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**REPUBLICAN TICKET FOR JOHNSTON COUNTY**

- Sheriff—A. J. Fitzgerald.
- Clerk of Superior Court—W. H. Massey.
- Judge of Recorder's Court—Ezra Parker.
- Solicitor Recorder's Court—Marion G. Lee.
- Register of Deeds—Miss Luma McLamb.
- Auditor—L. T. Rose.
- Treasurer—S. W. Brown.
- Legislature Ticket
- For the House—H. F. Hutchens and J. W. Alford.
- For Senate—Geo. W. Hair.
- County Commissioners
- J. T. Edgerton, L. D. Mitchell, E. R. Temple, M. B. Pleasant and R. Monroe Pittman.
- Road Commissioners
- First District—E. A. Johnson.
- Second District—S. T. Blackman.
- Third District—P. T. Duncan.
- Fourth District—G. T. Scott.
- Fifth District—R. L. Pittman.
- Coroner—Dr. G. E. Parker.
- Surveyor—H. A. Herring.
- Board of Education
- Mrs. Berry Godwin.
- Mrs. Sophia Lassiter.
- J. W. Knowles.
- Larry B. Boyette.
- J. P. Rains.

The neighbor's radio, like the neighbor's children, always seems a heap worse than your own.

A turtle in New York state has lived to be 600 years old. But who would want to be a turtle for 600 years.

The ideal husband is the Selma man who treats his wife like a new auto even after they've been married ten years.

The Selma boy who is seeking a job with a punch in it might try getting a position as a railroad conductor.

In running for the Senate the first essential is to lay aside a million or so for educational work in the primary.

Home is often a place where a Selma man goes after his day's work to take up his listening where he left off in the morning.

What kind of a country is this getting to be, where Hal- lowe'en lasts two weeks and the Fourth of July is like a Sunday on the farm?

We now have baby autos, baby golf courses and baby kitchens — in fact, everything now in the baby line seems to be popular but the babies themselves.

Personally we'd rather get our picture in the papers by writing a testimonial for a patent medicine than for dropping 15,000 feet in a parachute.

The only time a Selma boy is as helpless as he is when he is in the path of a tornado is when he is in the clutches of a pretty girl.

Selma people had better dispositions before the auto came and they found that it is possible for a road to have more holes in it than there are holes in a bachelor's socks.

Autos are claimed to have raised the intelligence of the people but you would never know it on those curves in the road where other drivers are trying to cut in.

Another thing that is easy to understand in these days when so little is hid, is why silk manufacturers have to pay so much larger income taxes than the cotton planters.

Middle-aged is that period in a Selma man's life when he finds happiness is sitting on the front porch and watching some other member of the family mow the lawn.

**MAKING THE ASCENT**

(By M. L. STANCIL)

The ascent on life's busy industrial road to success, is like a climb to the treacherous mountain's crest. You make it gradually, just one turn at a time, And it is hard to tell just how fast you do climb.

The future is dark because you can never see the end, And so it is as up the mountain side you ascend. As you swoop around one steep, rocky shoulder, You are face to face with another overhanging boulder.

Sometimes we almost falter as along life's road we go, But we gain new courage when we see others far below. The task seems unyielding as still we try to trust, But we gain a broader vision of all there is about us.

We struggle onward and upward for a mile or two, Then we glance backward o'er a vast field of blue. We can not even vision the vast progress we have made, But every step forward means one more step upgrade.

Many peaks whose heads we never before could measure, We see on a par with ours and delight in the pleasure. That far away mountain with its barren rocky look, Now shows us a gushing spring to the sparkling brook.

We look to the heights above and to the depths below, And there we stand in amazement at this bewildering show. The trees, the flowers and other enchanting views, Gives us a heart full of courage and dispells the blues.

But when we've reached the top in the Land of the Sky, We find that there are many more mountains just as high. We look to the adjoining peaks and towering crests, That surround us on the north, south, east and west.

Thus it is in the world of busy human endeavor, There are other men whose lives excell ours ever. When we make great sacrifices and new heights attain, Other men's lives make ours look like the lowly plain.

**VACATION HINT**

We don't want to set ourselves up as an authority on touring, and neither do we want to be accused of trying to tell Selma people where they should spend their vacations; But we feel sure everyone is open to suggestions, so we are going to offer one.

Why not see your own state first? The desire to visit strange territory is natural; we all have a streak of that old primitive wild-life in us, handed down from our forefathers who spent their days wandering in the forest and seeking new scenes and new comforts, as we do now. Just because the places of beauty and historic interest in our own state have not been as well advertised as some of those in other states does not mean they are any the less attractive. There are plenty of places to drive to in our own state where delightful vacations can be spent, and where there are things of interest to see. Fact is, few people around here really know what a wonderful state we live in, and of its many advantages, because they have never traveled all over it.

Get a state map, a road map, and a state history if you can do so handily. Study up your own state a little and then map out a vacation trip that will take you to the most interesting parts of it. You'll come back with a better opinion of it and better satisfied with the part your labor and your taxes play in maintaining it. You'll also save a lot of money that would otherwise be spent so far away from home that none of it would ever get back.

**THE COTTAGE ORGAN**

When Uncle Sam's new census tabulations are complete, and they will be in a few weeks, the figures will show the number of radio sets owned on American homes. But we don't suppose we'll be enlightened on something about as interesting—the number of cottage organs still in use.

To the young generation around Selma the old parlor organ, once common in American homes, is a distinct novelty. In fact, hundreds of boys and girls around here have never seen one. But to older residents they remain a fond memory of "the good old days," when we lived more naturally because we didn't grab our music out of the air, when our shows were put on by a troupe of patent medicine peddlers instead of through a roll of celluloid film, and when we get our meals with the aid of a cook-stove instead of a can-opener.

Many can go back to the gospel hymns of Sankey and Moody, made more beautiful when played on the little cotage organ, or melodean, as some suppose one could find an occasional cottage organ. But there are not many of them left, and so steadily has been their disappearance that we really might not have missed them had not Uncle Sam started in to count radios. It is just another example of changing times and changing customs; more proof of the fact that nothing in this old world is permanent.

To secure a variety of canned each housewife needs 45 cans of a variety of fruit and 57 pints of a variety of vegetables for each person in the family, estimates Mrs. Jane S. McKimmon.

**MONEY IN BANKS**

Years ago the Government did not trust its money in banks. Post-masters used to remit by sending money in registered letters. The activities of the Federal Government began to grow at the beginning of the last century through an expanding commerce and spread of population westward, and the Federal Government felt the necessity of having subagencies where vouchers drawn upon the United States Treasury could be paid. In the first instance the Treasury was a Government bank and made all transactions direct.

Experience dictated that orderly and economical transactions of the Government's fiscal affairs required the maintenance of deposits of Government funds at banks at all points where the receipts or disbursements of the Government were sufficiently large to justify such action. Accordingly, deposits of Government funds are maintained with Federal Reserve banks and their branches, special depositories in the insular possessions of the United States. There are nearly 900 depositories and they hold approximately a quarter of a billion dollars.

**NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS**

BE IT ORDAINED:

1. That on and after Aug. 1st, 1930, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, to permit his or their dogs to run at large on the streets of Selma, N. C., without first being properly muzzled. That the father, if living, and if dead, the mother shall constitute the head of the family and shall be held responsible for fine hereinafter set out and for all damage done by said dog or dogs.
2. That any person permitting his or their dog or dogs to run at large without wearing a muzzle as stated in article one, shall be fined not over \$5.00 or less than \$1.00 for each day said dog remains without a muzzle.
3. That any dog found on streets of Selma without a muzzle, the Police is hereby directed to catch said dog and impound him for a period of one day, and if no owner claims said dog and pay said fine of \$1.00, and for food furnished said dog for said day, and also, to Police the sum of \$1.00 for catching and impounding, then and in that event, said policeman shall take said dog and kill same, in way or manner that seems most expedient.

Ratified and passed this July 21st, 1930.

- C. L. RICHARDSON,
- C. A. JACOBS,
- E. J. SASSER,
- J. C. AVERY,
- Commissioners.

Luke Reilly Says, "The Rat Died Before Reaching the River."

"Since moving near the river 2 years ago, we've always used RAT-SNAP. Watch a vicious water rat, nibbling at RAT-SNAP outside the house. About 15 minutes later he darted off for the water to cool his burning stomach, but he died before reaching it." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by E. V. Woodard, Druggist, Selma, N. C.; Godwin Drug Co., Pine Level, N. C.; A. F. Holt & Sons, Princeton, N. C. Adv.

**Thin, Pale, Weak**

"I HAD been through a bad spell of sickness which left me very weak," says Mrs. Virginia Spruce, of Stapleton, Va. "I was pale and felt lifeless, and my strength did not return. "I spent most of my time on the bed. I was very nervous, and the least thing upset me. I did not have strength enough to lift a broom. At times I would have had headaches, which would hurt me until I could hardly see. "Someone asked me why I did not try Cardui. I had read of it, so I thought I would see what it would do for me. It was really remarkable how I came out. My strength returned, and my health was better than it had been in years. I gained in weight about ten pounds. My color was good, and I ceased to suffer from headaches. I have told my friends about Cardui because I was benefited after taking it."



**CARDUI**  
Helps Women to Health

Take Theford's Black-Draught for Constipation, Indigestion, Biliousness, 1 cent a dose.

**AUTOS AND CHURCHES**

Things are not going to be as we would like to see them around Selma until a lot of us wake up to the fact that while the auto is a wonderful vehicle it is, in a way a liability instead of an asset in still another way. The most serious complaint we have to register against it is that it detracts from church attendance and threatens the greatest of all institutions. We haven't the figures at hand to show how rural and small-town churches are suffering, more and more each year, through decreased attendance. But such figures are easy to obtain.

One thing we are all pretty much agreed upon is that the present generation needs the church fully as much as did the generation that preceded it. And the next generation is apt, from all indications, to need it more. Because the auto permits one to attend church at a great distance from home does not mean that people are using it for that purpose. Church attendance has dwindled, especially during July and August, in every section of the country, and is not in proportion to what it once was during the other ten months in the year.

Anything that discourages church attendance is harmful. But the auto would take people to church as easily and comfortably as it takes them elsewhere if they would only head it in that direction. We read in the good book that Elijah was carried to heaven in a chariot of fire. Can it be that a lot of present-day citizens are going to be carried to the other place in a more modern vehicle—the automobile?

**NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION**

North Carolina, Wayne County. IN THE SUPERIOR COURT Fremont Oil Mill Company Vs. Frances Wiggs and T. W. Wiggs.

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Wayne County in the above entitled action, I will, on Monday, August 4th 1930, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the Courthouse door of Johnston County, in Smithfield, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest which T. W. Wiggs; one of the defendants, has in the following described real estate, to-wit:

"Beginning at a persimmon tree near the graveyard, and runs with the road North 64 West, 12 poles; thence North 33 West 52 1-2 poles; thence North 78 West, 33 poles to a stake in the Hamilton line; thence South 5 1-2 West 283 poles to a birch on Little River; thence down said river to a Horn Beam, the corner of the Vale place; thence North 38 degrees East, 64 poles to a stake, the McDaniel corner; thence North 60 West, 40 poles to a stake on the ditch; thence North 24 West 10 poles to a stake at the mouth of a ditch; thence North 4 West 44.40 to a stake on the branch of a ditch; thence North 84 East, 23 poles to a stake on said ditch; thence 12 1-2 West, 130 1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 123 acres." (See Book 238, page 80, and H No. 13, page 255)

This 3rd day of July, 1930. A. J. FITZGERALD, Sheriff of Johnston County.

**A FEW SUMMER SPECIALS!**

Beginning Friday, August 1st, We will offer our Standard Quality Summer Flaxons, Dimitys, Voiles, Etc., Reduced prices.

- All 39c Flaxons and Dimitys at .....29c
- All 35c Voiles at .....25c
- All 25c Voiles at .....19c
- Children's 95c Dresses at .....75c
- Ladies' 95c Dresses at .....75c
- Several Ladies' \$9.75 Silk Dresses at \$2.95.
- Several Ladies' \$4.95 Silk Dresses at \$2.95.
- Several Ladies' \$4.95 Silk Dresses at \$1.95.

**SMITH & CAMERON**

Selma, N. C.

We have the cheapest Farm Implements

Also Hay, Oats, and Feed Stuffs

Don't forget our Burton Cream Flour (th BEST)

See us before Buying

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**205**

and our Representative will call on you.

**SALE!**

Default having been made in payment of the installments of the assessments made against the abutting property on Rairford street from Southern Railroad to Waddell street and Anderson street from Webb to Pollock street for street and sidewalk improvement during the year of 1922, the town of Selma will offer for sale to highest bidder for cash the lots on said streets belonging to the following persons to satisfy the balance due on said improvements, on August 30th, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M.:

- J. P. Temple six lots, \$2049.07.
- J. C. Pass and brother, two lots, \$291.22.
- M. G. Futrell and Mrs. W. A. Herring two lots, \$164.99.
- George M. Norwood one lot, \$330.64.
- Roberts-Atkinson Co., two lots \$305.06.
- W. B. Godwin two lots, \$311.04.
- A. V. Driver Co., one lot, \$141.95.
- Abdolla-Vinson Store Co., one lot \$273.07.
- Mrs. R. L. Ray one lot \$824.40.
- Miss Florence Stancill one lot \$267.77.
- Louis Abdolla two lots \$1025.15.

**M. R. WALL**

TOWN CLERK.

This July 30, 1930.

**Nine-Tenths Preventable**

Nine-tenths of all the diseases of the American people can be traced directly to constipation, doctors say. Constipation throws into the system poisons which taint and weaken every organ of the body and make them easy victims for any germs which attack them. Prevent constipation and you will avoid nine-tenths of all diseases, with their consequent pain and financial losses. Herbine, the good old vegetable cathartic, will prevent constipation in a natural, easy and pleasant way. Get a bottle today from

E. V. WOODARD

**TRAVEL BY AIR**

The record number of passengers carried on domestic civil airlines in 1929—a total of 173,405 and an increase over the previous year's total of 2048.81 per cent—is seen as an indication that aeronautic passenger transportation has "firmly entrenched itself in the economic life of America," according to a statement made public July 21 by the director of aeronautic development of the United States Department of Commerce.