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It is now in order for the Administration prophets to predict just when the drought will be over.

That probe into the Senatorial primary last June is about playing out. So far nothing worth while to probe has developed. It was purely a political move, no doubt.

If we understand Chairman Legge's logic it is that curtailment of acreage will put up the price of grains, and the rise in the price of grains will in turn increase the acreage.

Mr. Hoover's experience as Food Commissioner during the World War will, no doubt, be a great help in serving the drought affected regions of the West. He rendered wonderful service as Food Commissioner.

Judge Thos. L. Johnson, of Lumberton, has announced himself for the Democratic nomination for Governor in 1932. But there will be others. Carl Duncan, Republican, threw his hat in the ring several weeks ago.

Dale Jackson and Forest O'Brine, the St. Louis flyers, have taken the record from the Hunter brothers for the endurance flight and are still going strong. They say they will stay up 1,000 hours, almost double the Hunter record.

Capt Frank Hawks flew from California to New York Wednesday in 12 hours, 25 minutes and 3 seconds, beating Colonel Lindbergh's record by more than two hours and 25 minutes. There are others than Colonel Lindbergh who can fly.

Many people believe that if Governor Alfred E. Smith had been elected President in 1928 he would now be under the charge by Republican spokesmen of having brought on the great drought, and Senator Fess would have been able to prove it to the entire satisfaction of every reactionary in the Republican party.

In the more recent posed picture of the President he is taken on a bridge. This may be seen as an instance where, having come to a bridge, he is about to cross it.—New York Evening World.

Isn't the Evening World slightly optimistic? There is nothing about the picture to show that he intends to cross all the way over.

STATE COLLEGE TEXTILE SCHOOL MAKES EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENTS

Manufacturers of textile machinery have co-operated with the Textile School, North Carolina State College by supplying them with the latest improvements and devices available. The Casablancas and Saco-Lowell systems of spinning have been replaced with the latest developments in long draft spinning. These two spinning frames are in the testing room of the Textile School and it is now possible to make comparative tests on various types of spinning. These frames and other frames in the yarn manufacturing department of the School have been equipped with the latest bobbin holders.

The Bahnson Company have recently installed several of their latest type of humidifier heads in the weave room together with their latest development in automatic control.

The Hemphill Company have recently supplied the knitting department with one of their latest knitting machines equipped with the 12-speed and horizontal stripping attachment.

The Gaston County Dyeing Machine Company have furnished the dyeing department with a sample dyeing machine complete with pump and motor.

Various other additions have been made to the equipment of the School during the summer.

Hotchpotch.

It is given out that there is to be a reduction in the tax levy for 1930-1931, cutting the rate from \$1.53 on the \$100 valuation of 1929 to \$1.45 for 1930. But the levy has not been made yet, notwithstanding the law requires it to be fixed by August 15th. Therefore, the figure is as yet a mere gesture.

Suppose the rate should be reduced, and it should be, will it be a bona fide stroke of economy, such as the present county administration is boasting of? Let's see: Last year much ado was made about a two-cent reduction. Was the Board justified in making the reduction? Yes, certainly. The property valuation in the county last year was around thirty-three million dollars. A reduction of two cents on the \$100 valuation would have left \$6,600,000 in the pockets of the taxpayers. But what became of the balance of about \$30,000 that the county received from the state fund on account of gasoline tax? That's a new source of revenue which was not available prior to the present county administration.

If the tax payers had received full credit for the \$30,000, the tax rate should have been reduced, not two cents, but nearly five times two cents, or to about \$1.46 instead of \$1.52 for last year, and at the same time left the present Board with sufficient funds to do all and more than it claims in the way of paying fixed charges and road building.

The tax levies made prior to the present county administration were made sufficient to pay interest charges and liquidate maturing bonds. If there had been any defaults in the payment of interest and county bonds, the Republicans would have proclaimed it from the house-tops.

In Republican campaign propaganda it is exploited that the Democrats spent nearly twice as much in a given time for roads as they themselves did. But the Democrats built roads—hard-surfaced and sand-clay ones, and kept the roads in repair. Has the Republican administration built any hard-surface roads? If so, when, where, and how much? Enquiry has been made without being able to have pointed out a single yard of paved road built by the present administration.

Is the present administration keeping the Democratic constructed roads in repair? Deal M. Elder, a prominent Republican, said it is not. He claimed to know what he was talking about. It is hoped he is mistaken, for it would be shameful, even criminal, to let the county's fine roads go to ruin for lack of proper repair and attention.

In the Republican "Comparison of Two Alamance County Administrations" a statement is made about the amounts paid on interest and for retirement of maturing bonds for which "the county and tax payers get absolutely nothing." The person that penned that statement has yet to learn that one cannot eat his pie and still have it. It would be just as absurd to say that one who borrows money and builds a home and moves in, and when interest paying time comes around and bonds or notes have to be paid, that he is getting "absolutely nothing" for the loan procured to build the home that shelters him and his family.

There are a number of deceptive statements contained in that said "Comparison." It does not so much need to be answered or denied as it does to be stated so that it will not deceive.

Well, is the present administration living within its budget? How much has it saved on that account?

Will the Board levy as much for schools as it did last year? If the Board of Education has managed economically and will not ask or require as much for the coming year and by that much lessen the levy, is the present county administration entitled to any credit on that account?

Did You Ever Stop To Think

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By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Okla. This is written at Flagstaff, centered among the scenic attractions of Arizona, a state famed for the variety and grandeur of its natural wonders. Flagstaff is, because it also has the most delightful summer climate in the state, the state's leading and favorite summer resort city. Summer vacationists and tourists find modern accommodations, chief among them the up-to-date new community Hotel Monte Vista, built by the citizens of Flagstaff and operated by Senator Charles B. Hamilton as part of his big chain of modern hotels, of which the Hotel Alexandria in Los Angeles is one link.

Col. F. S. Breen, publisher and editor of The Coconino Sun, Flagstaff's only newspaper, says that not even the oldest residents here have seen all the scenic points worth seeing in this wonderland of America. Chief among them, of course, are the Grand Canyon and Rainbow Bridge, to both of which Flagstaff is the gateway. Then there are the San Francisco Peaks, highest in the southwest, at the foot of which nestles Flagstaff, highest city in the state, at an elevation of nearly 7,000 feet; and deriving its abundant water supply from snow-fed springs away up the Peaks. To the south are more than thirty mountain lakes, one the largest in the state; to the southeast and southwest mountain streams, the lakes filled with bass and perch, the creeks with trout. All around are great pine trees, part of the largest virgin forest in the world. Great lava beds; caves in which ice is found the year around and the most in summer; prehistoric Indian ruins that archaeologists agree are the oldest discovered in the United States; the famous Painted Desert, larger than some of our states; literally hundreds of extinct volcanoes in a radius of a few miles; great herds of elk, deer, and antelope—the deer so plentiful that this fall the state hopes to have 4,000 killed in one comparatively small area, to save the others from starving from insufficient range; a big, state-owned and protected herd of buffalo; nearby reservations on which the native Indians may be seen following their original tribal customs, among the tribes, the Hopi, famed for its annual "snake" dance, or pagan prayer for rain.

In climate, in scenery, Flagstaff and its environs has often been called the Switzerland of America, though its climate in delightful comfortableness is at least equal to and its scenery in diversity and magnificence is declared by world travelers to excel that of Switzerland. And the visitor here has the added attraction of meeting up and rubbing shoulders with folk who speak his own language, in breezy western manner, and uninquisitive friendliness. Tourists crossing the continent on U. S. Highway 66—th old Santa Fe trail—should by all means plan to stop a few days at Hotel Monte Vista and see some of the nearby scenic wonders.

More than 100 farmers attended the first boll weevil control demonstration ever given in the county last week.

Fifty-one poultry growers of Davidson County made a trip of inspection to the leading poultry farms of the county on July 25.

The upland corn in Wilkes county is dried beyond all hope but the lowland corn will produce a fair crop reports A. G. Hendren, county agent.

Burke County farmers have ordered a car of ground limestone to be used in demonstrations with growing legumes for feed and soil improving purposes this winter. Most of the lime will be used under alfalfa.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Fanny Taylor, late of Alamance County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to file the same with the undersigned or her attorney on or before the 15th day of August, 1930, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 5th day of August, 1930. DAISY McCALLLEY, Admrx. of Estate of Fanny Taylor. J. Dolph Long, Atty.

CLEAN HEAT PLANT CUTS REPAIR COST

Accumulation of Soot Found to Constitute Serious Fire Hazard.

For safety and economy, the heating system should be cleaned each spring as soon as the heating season is over, says the Holland Institute of Thermology of Holland, Mich. Ashes, soot and dust should be removed from chimney heater and flue pipe, and heat ducts and cold-air returns should be clean and free from obstructions. If the heating plant is not thoroughly cleaned when the fire is discontinued, soot and ash particles which absorb moisture from the air, corrode or rust the inside of the flue pipe, reducing its thickness beyond the point of safety before the outside surface



Removing Soot Accumulations From the Chimney is No Longer a Dirty, Messy Job. A Giant Vacuum Cleaner More Thoroughly Cleans the Chimney Than is Possible by Hand.

shows indications of damage. Accumulations of soot in the chimney constitute a serious fire hazard as soot is a condensed fuel which burns with a high degree of heat when ignited by hot sparks carried upward by the draft. Soot in the furnace is an enemy of heating as it is a non-conductor of heat, acting as an insulating material if allowed to gather on heating surfaces. Heating engineers have found that a "lining" of soot only one-eighth inch thick will reduce a plant's efficiency more than 25 per cent.

A giant vacuum cleaner, one of the new marvels of the mechanical age, has supplanted the unsanitary chimney sweep as a means of cleaning the heating system, and it does what has heretofore been a dirty job, quickly, thoroughly and without mess. The cleaner is mounted on an automobile truck and a motor-driven fan provides a powerful suction which is applied through a long flexible pipe attached to openings in the chimney and heating plant. This machine sucks the dirt and soot out of the most remote cracks and crevices and cleans the connecting pipes, blowing the soot and dust into an enormous dust-proof bag. The housewife appreciates the cleanliness of this method as it does not "raise a dust" in the house, nor is there an aftermath of grimy dirt in the basement or on the walks and lawns.

This system of cleaning heating plants is now available in most of the larger cities and towns. Home owners will be more sure of a first-class cleaning job by engaging cleaners whose equipment includes the powerful, motor-driven suction fan. This service usually includes a thorough inspection which will reveal any existing defects in the chimney or the heating plant itself, enabling repairs to be made during the summer months. The saving in fuel due to the increased efficiency of the plant more than pays for the cleaning, to which is added the benefits of cleanliness for walls, furnishing and wearing apparel and the virtual elimination of the residence fire hazard.

NEWS OF WHITSETT

Rev. and Mrs. O. P. Fitzgerald and daughter, Fern, spent a day here last week on their way to Waynesville and other points in western North Carolina. After a two weeks' trip they will return to their home at Williamston, N. C.

Special services are being conducted each evening this week at Brick Reformed church at 8 o'clock. The pastor has had a number of visiting ministers to assist in the work. Large crowds are attending the services.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Holt, of Burlington, were here for a visit yesterday. Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitsett and others are away today, attending reunions; the Trollinger reunion at Haw River, and the Ingle reunion near Gibsonville, are both being held today.

Miss Minnie Clapp had as special dinner guests yesterday at 7 o'clock several friends, among them Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Morrison, of Greensboro, Rev. Charles E. Hatt, of Brick

church and Rev. H. A. Fesperman, of Greensboro.

Miss Brownie Taylor, who has been away on a visit to Weaverville, is expected home next week.

George H. Parker, Jr., of Spartanburg, S. C., will reach here next week, to spend a part of his vacation.

Miss Emily Hinshaw was in charge of a picnic attended by a dozen or more of the boys and girls at Low's bridge yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean H. Torreyson left today for a weeks' camping trip to the caverns of Virginia and certain points in West Virginia. They were well equipped with a tent and other conveniences for camping.

As usual, the first two weeks in August will be a favorite time for vacations, and many are planning to make trips during this period.

Several went to Greensboro on Tuesday to meet with the county commissioners concerning road matters in this section. Certain roads are badly in need of early attention.

Ants may be driven from a dwelling by applying sodium flouride around all places where the insects are observed coming into the kitchen or pantry.

Notice!

NORTH CAROLINA—Alamance County In the Superior Court Before the Clerk.

A. E. Dannenburg, Simon Blumberg and William Wilfson, trading as Dannenburg Blumberg Company, on behalf of itself and all other creditors who may come in and make themselves parties plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated. To the stockholders, dealers, creditors, and all other parties interested in the affairs of Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated:

You will take notice, that an action entitled A. E. Dannenburg, et al, v. Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Alamance county and that the following is a copy of the summons which has been issued in said action:

Summons For Relief

Superior Court—Summons In accordance with chapter 66 public laws 1927.

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vs.

Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated. The State of North Carolina—To the Sheriff of Alamance County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Summons Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated, the defendant above named, if it be found within your county, to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, for the County of Alamance, at the courthouse in Graham, not later than thirty days from date of service of this summons, and answer the complaint, a copy of which is hereto attached (or which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of Superior Court of Alamance county within the time as set out in the attached order) and let the said defendant take notice that if it fail to answer the said complaint within the time required by law, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Herein fail not, and of this summons make due return.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, this 26th day of July, 1930.

E. H. MURRAY, Clerk Superior Court, Alamance County.

This is an action brought for the purpose obtaining the appointment of a permanent Receiver of the defendant, and for the sale of its assets and distribution thereof to creditors and stockholders under the orders of the Court.

This the 28th day of July, 1930.

E. H. MURRAY, Clerk Superior Court

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Notice of Re-Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, executed by C. L. Wall, trading as the Carolina Garage, and Fannie C. Wall, wife of said C. L. Wall, to Atlantic Bank & Trust Company, Mortgagee, and A. W. McAlister, Assignee, dated June 20th, 1924, and recorded in Book No. 83, at pages No. 212 and 215 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance county, North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured, and demand having been made for sale, the undersigned Mortgagee and Assignee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Graham, N. C., at 12 o'clock, Noon, on

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 12, 1930, the following described property, located in the county of Alamance, North Carolina.

A tract or parcel of land situated in Alamance county, North Carolina, and bounded as follows: That tract or parcel of land situated, lying and being in the County aforesaid, adjoining the lands of Gordon Lewis and others, bounded as follows: Begins at a rock on Lewis old line, running north 62 poles to a hickory; then west 165 poles to a rock; then south 124 poles to a rock; then 10 1/2 poles to a poplar; then north 90 deg east 166 poles to the first station, containing 7 1/2 acres of land, be the same more or less.

The bidding is to begin at the sum of \$1470.00.

This the 9th day of August, 1930.

ATLANTIC BANK & TRUST COMPANY, Mortgagee. A. W. McALISTER, Assignee. Hoyle & Harrison, Att'ys.

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Notice to Creditors.

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Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated. To all creditors and parties holding claims against Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated:

You and each of you are hereby notified to present your claims, duly itemized and verified, together with a statement of the securities or priorities, if any, in respect to said claims, to the undersigned Receivers at the office of Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated, in Burlington, North Carolina, on or before September 26th, 1930, or your claim will be barred from participating in the distribution of the assets of the said defendant, Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated.

You are further notified that the Receivers will take and state an account of the affairs of the said defendant, Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated, giving a list of all creditors and the amounts for which their claims are filed and allowed or disallowed, said report to be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Alamance county within ten days after the expiration of the time hereinafore stated, and that any person interested as creditor, claimant or otherwise, in the affairs of the defendant may except to the allowance or disallowance of any claim or part of claim.

This notice is given pursuant to an order wherein the undersigned were appointed permanent Receivers of the defendant. This the 26th day of July, 1930.

JOHN S. THOMAS and THOMAS D. COOPER, permanent Receivers of Mrs. Lasley's, Incorporated.

Let The Gleaner Office do your job work.