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**Case Against Cooper A. Hall Dismissed**

The arrest of Cooper A. Hall, Democrat, for alleged irregularities in the conduct of the late election was procured by an over-zealous partisan in that Mr. Hall was called upon to assist a voter in marking his ticket and the voter, later, by some means, arrived at the conclusion that he had not voted for some on the ticket that he intended to vote for.

Mr. Hall stated that he marked a straight Democratic ticket for the said voter as requested.

The hearing was held before T. H. Williams, J. P., in the courtroom Monday afternoon. After hearing the evidence, Squire Williams decided that there was not probable cause and dismissed the case.

Mr. Hall is believed to be an honorable gentleman, and it is not believed he would take advantage of one who appealed to him under the circumstances recited.

After December 1st, when the newly elected county officers go into office, it is presumed there will be an audit of the records in certain of the offices. However, it is hoped there will be as little need for it as was the fancied necessity for an extensive audit two years ago.

The congress which convenes the first of December will be urged to appropriate and distribute \$125,000,000 for highway construction among the states to help relieve the unemployment situation. With nearly three and a half millions idle that sum will not go far, but it will help. The severities of winter just ahead present a gloomy picture for those who have been idle for months and have no store laid by.

The American Bar association meeting in Chicago this week, composed of more than 2,000 members, went on record as favoring the repeal of the Eighteenth amendment by a vote of more than two to one. At the same time prohibition enforcement officials are asking for more money for enforcement of the law. A total of approximately \$17,400,000 is requested, which is an increase of \$2,400,000. Verily, prohibition is coming high.

From the big business centers the cheerful news comes out that there is a slight improvement in business. It behooves every industry and every individual to lend a helping hand to relieve the depression that has gripped the country for the past year.

Recovery cannot be expected all at once, but gradually the situation can be improved. To do it the government must not be depended upon solely for the performance. Universal individual effort must play the bigger part.

The people of Alamance county by their vote on November 4th, expressed their confidence in Democrats to manage the county's affairs. The county commissioners is the branch of the county government that will have more to do with the management of county matters than all others combined. They will choose agents to various posts of duty. Here it behoves them to be exceedingly careful, so that none but fit persons be named for any of the posts. Nor should there be any unnecessary appointments made—no handing out of "jobs," for people who perform public service should earn their pay just the same as other people do. Let not the confidence of the people be abused or violated in any way.

One hundred 4-H club members of Caldwell county have planted 2,500 black walnut trees so far this winter.

**THE DAY OF THANKSGIVING**

By Henry Ward Beecher

Thanksgiving Day is the one national festival which turns on home life. It is not a day of ecclesiastical saints. It is not a national anniversary. It is not a day of celebrating a religious event. It is a day of Nature. It is a day of thanksgiving for the year's history. And it must pivot on the household. It is the one great festival of our American life that pivots on the household. A typical Thanksgiving dinner represents everything that has grown in all the summer, fit to make glad the heart of man. It is not a riotous feast. It is a table piled high, among the group of rollicking young and the sober joy of the old, with the treasures of the growing year, accepted with rejoicings and interchange of many festivities as a token of gratitude to Almighty God.

Remember God's bounty in the year. String the pearls of His favor. Hide the dark spots, except so far as they are breaking out in light! Give this one day to thanks, to joy, to gratitude.

**Thanksgiving Proclamation  
By President Hoover**

President Hoover has called upon the people of the United States to observe Thanksgiving day by extending aid to those who are in need and suffering from causes beyond their control.

In his annual Thanksgiving day proclamation, the chief executive said this country has many causes for thanksgiving. He added that as a nation, "we have suffered far less than other peoples from the present world difficulties."

His proclamation follows:

"By the President of the United States, a proclamation.

"Notwithstanding that our forefathers endured the hardships and privations of a primitive life, surrounded by dangers and solaced only with meagre comforts, they nevertheless bequeathed to us a custom of devoting one day of every year to universal thanksgiving to Almighty God for the blessing of life itself and the means to sustain it, for the sanctuary of home and the joys that pervade it, and for the mercies of his protection from accident, sickness, or death.

"Our country has many causes for thanksgiving. We have been blest with distinctive evidence of Divine favor. As a nation we have suffered far less than other peoples from the present world difficulties. We have been free from civil and industrial discord. The outlook for peace between nations has been strengthened. In a large view we have made progress upon the enduring structure of our institutions. The arts and sciences that enrich our lives and enlarge our control of nature have made notable advances. Education has been rather extended. We have made gains in the prevention of disease and in the protection of childhood.

"Now, therefore, I, Herbert Hoover, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate Thursday, November 27, 1930, as a national day of Thanksgiving, and do enjoin the people of the United States as to observe it, calling upon them to remember that many of our people are in need and suffering from causes beyond their control, and suggesting that a proper celebration of the day should include that we made sure that every person in the community, young and old, shall have cause to give thanks for our institutions and for the neighborly sentiments of our people.

"In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the seal of the United States.

"Done at the city of Washington, this sixth day of November, in the year of our Lord 1930, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the 155th.

(Signed),

"HERBERT HOOVER,"

By the President;

(Signed),

HENRY L. STIMSON,

Secretary of State.

**ALAMANCE COUNTY**

**4-H CLUB WORK**

Do the people of the county realize what the 4-H club means to the boys and girls of the county. We are going to give a short review of this year's work. First, will be the Calf club work. On September 9, the boys and girls living in the Alamatah community brought out fourteen nice Jerseys to the schoolhouse and held their annual community show. For this show the prize money was furnished by the Burlington Kiwanis club. The boys and girls were well pleased with the show. The following day, September 10, at the Sylvan school, the Sylvan club boys and girls brought out twenty-one Jerseys of superior quality. These boys and girls went home well pleased with their prizes.

Next on the program came the Mebane fair. Since club work was started years ago in the county there has not been a better show held at this fair. Forty-three head of nice Jerseys, a pretty picture. The calves were of fine quality and in excellent condition. These calves not only won the club prizes, but won in the open classes.

Not satisfied with three shows, the club members decided to send some of their calves to the State fair in Raleigh. Eighteen picked animals were sent to Raleigh. On Tuesday, October 14, these animals

competed with several other county herds. The competition was strong, but Alamance animals could not be thrown out. Not a single animal failed to win a prize. Out of the six blue ribbons for first places Alamance won two and several second and third places. The blue ribbons were won by calves owned by Reid Aldridge, Haw River, and Seth Beale, Snow Camp.

We are well pleased with the Calf club work this year but hope to do better next year.

We also have a 4-H Corn club in the county. The home of this club happens to be in the Pleasant Grove and Union Ridge communities. The boys of this club put on the best Corn club exhibit ever shown at the Mebane fair. This has been a severe year on corn due to the dry weather, but several of the boys have made between fifty and eighty bushels of corn per acre. James Rascoe, a member of the club, made 80.2 bushels on his acre. Can we do better? Yes, and next year we are going to try to make the 4-H club of Alamance lead the state.

H. M. SINGLETARY,  
Assistant County Agent.

Last Sunday night near Deweitt, Va., nine persons, a white and eight negroes—four women and four children—were killed in an automobile at a grade crossing.

**News of Whitsett.**

Edro Wheeler, who was taken to St. Leo's hospital some days ago suffering from a stomach trouble will submit to an operation today. His many friends are hoping for his early recovery.

Mrs. R. K. Davenport and daughter, Doris, reached here from Raleigh yesterday for a visit of some days with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Summers.

The regular meeting of the Whitsett demonstration club will be held on Tuesday, November 18, the topic being "Food preparation."

Mrs. E. T. Wheeler and little son are here for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Taylor

Mrs. W. W. Martin made an excellent address here on Thursday evening before the Parent-Teacher meeting on the subject of Early influences in child life

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Summers and Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Witsett attended the Thompson school reunion held at Siler City yesterday. They report a gathering of several hundred from several states, and a delightful program of exercises.

Rev. Charles E. Hiatt of the Brick church-Mount Hope charge was a pleasant visitor this week to this place.

Claude K. Fitzpatrick of Asheville has been here for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Fitzpatrick, this week. He is now in the mercantile business.

Rev. D. D. Holt is the new pastor of the Gibsonville-Whitsett Methodist Episcopal churches, having been assigned to this work at the recent conference in Greensboro.

The returning delegates to the Parent-Teacher state convention in High Point last week reported to the local organization on Thursday evening, stating that the state convention while not so largely attended was a successful meeting in real progress and work.

There is general complaint that with all the road work throughout Guilford county that the roads in Rock Creek township, especially in South Rock Creek township, over which the school trucks have to travel daily are in such poor condition; they are not even moderately good sand clay, and this, despite the fact that Rock Creek is one of the heavy taxpayers among the townships. The taxpayers are becoming outspoken in their complaints.

Plans are under way for the building of another residence just north of this place on No. 10 highway.

Mrs. J. A. Anthony, sister of Gov. O. Max Gardner, was found dead in her bed at Shelby early last Saturday morning, a victim of heart failure.

**NOTICE!**

**TRUSTEE'S SALE OF REAL PROPERTY**

WHEREAS, Weldon Fonville and his wife, Lessie Fonville, on the 1st day of June, 1929, executed and delivered to C. G. Somers, Trustee, a deed of trust on certain lands in the Township of Burlington, County of Alamance, State of North Carolina, herein described, to secure the payment of the sum of \$1,250.00 due by said Weldon Fonville and wife, Lessie Fonville, to Alamance Home Builders Association, named as third party in the deed of trust herein referred to, which deed of trust is recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Book of Deed of Trust No. 113, at pages 258-260, to which reference is hereby made; and

WHEREAS, default having been made in the payment of the monthly installments therein provided, the whole of said debt and interest becomes due and payable as provided in said deed of trust, and the said Alamance Home Builders Association has requested the undersigned trustee to execute the trust therein contained;

NOW, THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power contained in the said deed of trust, the undersigned Trustee will, on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24TH, 1930, AT TWELVE O'CLOCK, NOON,

at the Courthouse door in the Town of Graham, by public auction, sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property, to-wit:

The following tract or parcel of land in Burlington Township, Alamance County and State of North Carolina, bounded as follows: Adjoining the lands of M. K. Tyson, Big Falls Road and others, bounded as follows:

BEGINNING at an iron bolt corner with M. K. Tyson and Big Falls Road; running thence with line of said Tyson S. 35 deg. E. 233 1/2 feet to an iron bolt corner; thence S. 55 1/2 deg. W. 60 feet to an iron bolt corner with Lot No. 1; thence with line of Lot No. 1 N. 35 1/2 deg. W. 252 1/2 feet to an iron bolt on Big Falls Road; thence with line of said Road N. 72 1/2 deg. E. 62 feet 4 inches to the BEGINNING, being Lot No. 2 of the survey of the Tyson Property.

Said lands will be sold to satisfy the debt secured by said deed of trust and such title will be given as is vested in said Trustee.

This sale will be made subject to increased bids as provided by law, and will be held open for ten days after sale to give opportunity for such bids.

This the 22nd day of October, 1930. ALAMANCE HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION. PARTY OF THE THIRD PART, C. G. SOMERS, Trustee. M. C. TERRELL, Attorney.

**STATE SUPPORT OF FAIR**

Pointing out that Ohio and New York spend as much as \$200,000 for the support of their state fairs and that "South Carolina, Tennessee and Kentucky cheerfully spend from one to four times the North Carolina deficit this year," the Progressive Farmer and Southern Ruralist waxed eloquent against those who threaten to destroy this state institution. "Yet because the state lacked about \$6,000 of collecting as much as it spent on this great North Carolina agency of agricultural and industrial progress, some gentlemen would have it discontinued. They don't ask the State university or any other college to pay its way; they don't ask any other educational agency of state governor to pay its way; but this educational agency for the plain dirt farmers of North Carolina (many of whom got mighty little education from the state in their boyhood days) must be sacrificed."

**Trustee's Re-Sale of Real Estate.**

Under and by virtue of the power of sale vested in the undersigned trustee by a certain deed of trust executed by J. S. L. Patterson and recorded in the office Register of Deeds for Alamance County in Book of trusts 113 at page 328, to secure the bonds therein mentioned, default having been made in the payment thereof, and the holders having requested foreclosure, the undersigned trustee, will offer at re-sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Alamance County, at 12:00 M., on SATURDAY, NOV. 22, 1930, the following valuable real estate, to-wit:

One undivided third interest in and to the following property: That certain lot or parcel of land in the city of Graham, adjoining the lot on which is situated Wrike Drug Co., and Green & McClure on the North; W. R. Harden and L. Banks Holt Mfg. Co., on the West; Court Square and the lot next below described on the South; and N. Main Street on the East, upon which there are located brick buildings now occupied by Graham Drug Co., Citizens Bank, Graham Hardware Co., and others and being that same that was conveyed to L. L. Patterson, Geo. W., E., & J. S. L. Patterson, June 22, 1900, by W. S. Roberson, Commissioner, which deed is recorded in book No 22 at page 131 and was formerly known as the Pugh corner.

Second Lot: Adjoining the above described property, O. J. Paris & C. P. Harden heirs, J. D. Moon and Court Square and fronts on N-W corner Court Square 24 feet and runs back 80 feet and known as lot No. 2 of Jacob Shoffner lands plat of which is found in Plat Book No. 1 page 18, and being the same that was conveyed to C. P. Harden, by deed of J. S. Cook, Commissioner, November 11, 1913, said deed in book 51 page 5, upon which is a two story brick building used as a garage.

Also an undivided half interest in the following lot:

That certain lot of land lying on the East side of N. Main street in Graham adjoining R. L. Holmes on the South; Gleaner building on the East; O. J. Paris & R. N. Cook heirs on the North, and N. Main on the West, and being the same upon which is located a two story brick building lately occupied and used as a motion picture show by Alco Theatre and is the same that was conveyed to J. S. L. & Geo. W. Patterson by C. C. Thompson and others and is known as lot 3 & 4 of the P. R. Harden property plat of which is recorded in Deed book 34 page 293.

One third interest in first and second lots and a half interest in the third lot will be sold.

The sale of this property will be left open for ten days after sale for advance bids as provided by law.

Time of sale 12:00 M., Nov. 22, 1930.

Place of sale: Courthouse door in Graham.

Terms of sale: Cash. This is a re-sale and bidding will begin at \$9,849.00.

This the 6th day of Nov., 1930.

J. S. COOK,  
Trustee.

Magistrates' Blanks—State Warrants, Civil Summons, Transcripts, of Judgments, for sale at THE GLEANER office, Graham.

**Summons by Publication**

**NORTH CAROLINA—**

Alamance County  
In the Superior Court,  
Mrs. Willie Mitchell  
vs,  
John F. Mitchell, Jr.

The Defendant above named will take notice, that a summons in the above entitled action was issued against the said Defendant on the 23 day of October, 1930, by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Alamance County, and that a duly verified complaint was filed in the office of the said Clerk by the plaintiff, alleging a cause of action for absolute divorce upon statutory grounds; that the summons is returnable before the Clerk of the Superior Court on the 22 day of November, 1930, at which time and place, above named, the Defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint or the relief demanded will be required.

This 23 day of October, 1930.  
E. H. MURRAY,  
Clerk Superior Court.

Carroll & Garroll, Vtys.

**Summons by Publication**

North Carolina—Alamance County.  
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

Edna Wilson

vs.

F. P. Wilson

The Defendant above named will take notice, that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Alamance County, North Carolina, for absolute divorce on statutory grounds; and the said Defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear within forty days from the date hereof at the Court house in Graham N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said Complaint.

This 27th day of October, 1930.  
E. H. MURRAY,  
Clerk Superior Court.  
Carroll & Carroll, Attys.

**Notice of Sale of Real Estate!**

Under authority of a Deed of Trust executed and delivered by L. A. Wilson and Docibael F. Wilson to the undersigned R. W. Vincent, dated the 28 of June, 1930, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust No. 106, at page 153, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said instrument, the undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the courthouse door in Graham, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock, M., on the

FIRST DAY of DEC., 1930, the following described real estate:  
A certain lot of land lying and being in the town of Mebane, N. C., joining the land of R. W. Vincent, B. Frank Mebane, L. A. Corbett et al and beginning on the east side of Fifth St. of said town the southwest corner of the lot of L. A. Corbett (formerly the land of Fannie Kerr Mebane Bason); running thence south with the line of said Fifth Street 80 ft. to a stake upon the said Fifth St. at the northwest corner of the lot of R. W. Vincent; thence east with the line of said R. W. Vincent 220.20 ft. at the northeast corner of the lot of said R. W. Vincent; thence in a northerly direction with the line of said B. Frank Mebane 79 1/2 ft. to a stake at the southeast corner of the lot of said L. A. Corbett; thence in a westerly direction with the line of said L. A. Corbett; thence in a westerly direction with line of said L. A. Corbett 218 ft. to the beginning, containing 17,444 sq. ft., more or less.

The said lot of land is offered for sale subject to the following liens:

County tax for 1928 \$86.21 and for 1929 \$81.29 and for 1930; Town of Mebane Tax for 1928 \$62.94 and for 1929 \$68.02 and for 1930 St. assessment \$530.81; Deed of Trust to secure World War Veterans Loan Commission for \$964.33.

R. W. VINCENT, Trustee.  
Louis C. Allen, Atty.

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