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A Boomerang --- Graham's Election Tuesday

In Graham's town election Tuesday the Republican ticket won over the Democratic ticket by an average of almost two to one, as will be seen by reference to the result printed elsewhere in this paper.

At the outset of the campaign Democratic workers believed, at least so pretended, that a Democratic victory was a cinch.

There is a reason, maybe more than one, for the flop, but it is not purposed here to go into all of the reasons or causes in detail.

For around a dozen years the Republicans of Graham have been able to pull their ticket through, but not with overwhelming majorities and sometimes not the entire ticket.

Back, years ago, Graham was Democratic. It was rare when the Democrats were not in control, and, considered from all angles, the town at this date should be Democratically controlled.

But the Republicans came into power some years ago and are holding their grip. Charges of unfair practices were made, especially in regard to the absentee vote. Both parties made charges, but none of them ever reached the stage of investigation. There may have been some truth in them and both parties may not have been entirely innocent.

While the Republicans were in power they controlled the election machinery. Taking this as the key to the situation, plans were devised to make a change and put the Democrats in charge. Alamance county being Democratic—had been for more than fifty years. Only once in that long period had the offices been held by Republicans and that was before the year 1900.

In planning to get control of the election machinery, the device of legislative enactment was resorted to—just a little amendment to an existing statute that looked quite innocent, substituting "Board of elections" for "Commissioners." That little prank took away from the town of Graham its control of its election machinery and placed it with the County Board of Elections.

Those who engineered the scheme, perhaps, believed they had things fixed for a Democratic victory. This was done at the Legislature of 1935. Prior to that it is understood a similar proposition was made and was turned down, perhaps more than once.

The originators of the scheme may have thought they were turning a good political trick, but it did not prove so at the election held this week.

The fact the device was worked out and passed through a Democratic Legislature while the county was represented by a Democrat, fixed the responsibility and gave the Republicans a mighty handy campaign club, and they used it effectively.

Not all fair minded Democrats in Graham who believe in square shooting approved the device. Not a few resented it who said little about it, except

by their ballots. The Democrats are not blameless for the result. Leading Democratic citizens must show more interest in their town's affairs and be willing to serve it when called upon, though at some sacrifice, if they would wrest its control and management from the opposing party.

When the wires flashed the news to Edward, former King of Great Britain, that a final decree of divorce had been given Wallis Warfield Simpson on the 4th, he dropped everything at his self-imposed exile in Austria and fled to her near Paris. They expect to be married soon after the coronation of George VI, on the 13th.

The contention over the proposed Court reorganization is unabated. Leaders have suggested a compromise, but Mr. Roosevelt is reported opposing anything but his plan. That puts him in the role of dictator which may arouse more determined opposition, besides changing supporters to opponents. When men become greedy and drunk with power, they become a menace to liberty and popular government.

TAX RACKET

By J. E. Jones

Washington, D. C., May 4th; '37—Every now and then somebody recommends abolishing the forty-eight States, and having only one Government. This would be a acute and cunning little trick, if it weren't taken so seriously in Washington, and elsewhere.

But so far as our information goes the rural districts still have their local governments. So do our towns and cities, counties, and states. In every instance the democratic system is observed in the electing of local officials.

The single-government pipe-dream is argued as advisable simply because the Federal Government has been supplying about three-fourths of the money for relief. People of the States and local governments are thereby deceived to believe they have escaped the costs. Senator Borah broke out the other day to protest against Mayors and Governors "trekking their way to Washington about every fortnight" in search of Government money. They get what they go after. That's how these officials are able to feather their own nests and gain re-elections under the false pretense of having met their budgets. Some of them make successful claims that they thereby relieve their own communities of heavy taxation.

Such is the nature of the stage-stuff performances to begot the minds of the American public—for while the Governors and Mayors juggle taxation the tax eventually is hidden and paid by the average citizen. What the Government spends is just like what a local government spends. In either, or every case, it must be paid back.

Not even the most cheerful optimist who knows his Washington ropes has any hope that the budgets will be met for years to come.

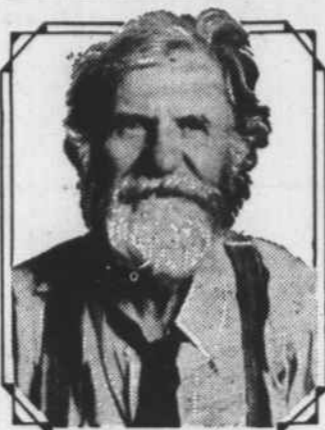
Its time that the game of "monopoly" was replaced by some sort of a game of hide and seek with taxes—particularly as no one can successfully contradict the oft-repeated claim that the country's tax collectors eventually take thirty cents away from every dollar spent by American housewives and work-

THE MISSING PLAYWRIGHT

An unusual story in which is reported the unaccountable tragedy of a playwright who, in evening dress and with \$25,000 in pocket, stepped from a ship into the ocean, where his body was found. Read this exciting story in the May 9 issue of the American Weekly, the big magazine which comes regularly with the BALTIMORE SUNDAY AMERICAN. Get your copy from your favorite newsdealer.

Jenny Lind's Grave
Jenny Lind, the Swedish nightingale, is buried in Malvern, England.

NITRATE SAVES DYING ORCHARD



Elmer E. Page, of Weaverville, Buncombe County, North Carolina, owns a 25-year-old apple orchard on a mountainside over 3,000 feet above sea level; but neither distance, height nor age could prevent him from getting a 200-pound sack of Arcadian to his orchard which he felt was badly in need of the American Nitrate of Soda. Transportation facilities not immediately available, he put the heavy sack on his back and carried it up the mountain.

Because of lack of fertility and diseased condition, he was considering cutting the trees down. Relating his experience, Mr. Page says— "... I used 7 pounds around each tree about the time the buds showed pink. My results have been 'An Old Orchard Made Young.' The trees are free from rust without spraying and are as fine as they have ever been. I am looking forward to some big apple crops, as a result of using 'Arcadian' which has saved my orchard."

First Plows of Tree Branches
The first farm plows were made of crooked tree branches and worked by man power.



G. H. ENFIELD

QUOTATIONS

"Eyesight is not enough. We need insight and foresight."

"One of the great difficulties in high-pressure competition is that the market must be stimulated at the cost of great effort."

"A bore is a man who talks about himself, when you want to talk about your-elf."

"It costs \$7,200 a year to keep the White House white. That's what a single coat of paint for the structure comes to."

"North Carolina and South Dakota are the only states in the Union that have never had a dreadnaught named in their honor."

"A mighty torrent does not rush from a six-inch pipe; neither has the Creator yet sent a stupendous truth into the world through a trivial mind."

"Homer took a noble view of life because of the essential nobility of his mind."

"I am the way, the truth, and the life."

Timely Farm Questions Answered at State College

Question—Is it a safe practise to cross breed poultry?

Answer—There are several angles to this question. A first generation cross, if carefully planned, should give a higher livability and an increased egg production over that of the parent line. In broilers, there should be produced a hybrid vigor which makes for lower mortality and rapid growth. After this first cross any additional cross breeding does not do so well and if practised year after year, the desirable qualities of the stock is gradually lost.

Question—What treatment is necessary for sweet potato plants when set on soils infected with stem rot.

Answer—The stem and roots of all plants should be dipped in a 20-20-50 Bordeaux mixture or dust-

ed with a mixture composed of 25 percent monohydrated copper sulphate and 75 percent lime just before planting. This treatment also applies to soils infected with the wilt organism. Where roots and stems are infected with scurf, they should be treated with ground sulphur immediately before transplanting. Treated plants may be set in moist but not water logged soil.

Question—What is the formula recommended for home-mixed fertilizer to be used under corn in the piedmont section?

Answer—The best mixture is made by using 243 pounds of 16 percent superphosphate, 43 pounds of cotton seed meal, 66 pounds of sulphate of ammonia, and 31 pounds of muriate of potash. This gives a mixture containing 4 percent nitrogen, 10 percent phosphoric acid, and 4 percent potash. The fertilizer should be applied in the drill at planting time. A nitrate of soda mixture may be prepared by using 85 pounds of nitrate of soda instead of the sulphate of ammonia.

Question—What can I use for natural skim-milk in feeding a young calf?

Answer—Fresh powdered skim-milk, when properly mixed with water makes a good substitute for the natural skim-milk. It can also be used in the dry form in calf meal mixtures. One pound of powdered skim-milk to nine pounds of water will give a good mixture. Make a paste by first mixing the skim-milk powder with a small quantity of water and then add a sufficient quantity of water to give the proper solution. The water should be heated to a temperature of 100 degrees before mixing and the reconstructed milk fed immediately. The calf should be changed from whole milk to the reconstructed milk the same as when natural skim-milk is used.

Question—How much corn should I plant to provide silage for ten dairy cows?

Answer—This depends upon the fertility of the soil and the breed of the cows. On the average corn will yield one ton of silage to each five bushels of grain produced and the required acreage must be estimated on this basis. The average Jersey or Guernsey cow will consume from 30 to 35 pounds of silage a day which will mean that each animal should be provided from three to three and one-half tons for a six months feeding. For your herd of ten cows about 33 tons will be needed and to get this you should seed enough acreage to produce approximately 165 bushels of grain.

Nation-Wide Audience To Hear Achievements of State Institution

N. C. State College Goes on Air Over National Broadcasting Company

Microphones of the National Broadcasting Company will be set up in Raleigh April 21 as N. C. State College joins the parade of Land Grant Colleges in bringing to listeners a story of how the institution has aided in meeting changing conditions.

The program, to be heard on the National Farm and Home Hour from 12:30 to 1:30 p. m., will feature State College musical organizations, agricultural specialists; and students, according to John W. Harrelson, dean of administration.

The program will be the 14th in a series of broadcasts from the campuses of Land Grant institutions. The broadcasts are a monthly feature of the Farm and Home Hour. Dean Harrelson will present to the nation-wide audience a brief account of the history and purposes of State College.

Dean L. Q. Schaub, director of the Extension Service, is also featured on the hook-up of 60 stations. He will summarize agriculture as it exists in North Carolina at present. Skits depicting changing conditions in horticulture, cotton, tobacco, home demonstration work, and the dairy industry are also scheduled. Specialists and students will take the character parts in these skits.

The broadcast from N. C. State College will go out over the Blue Network of the National Broadcasting Company through the facilities of Station WPTF, Raleigh.

LIKE SHORT STORIES?

The best of serial and short fiction appears regularly in the American Weekly, the big magazine which comes with the Baltimore Sunday American. Be a regular reader of the Baltimore American. Your newsdealer will reserve your copy.

Trustees' Sale of Real Estate

Pursuant to the power and authority contained in a certain deed of trust dated the first day of April, 1932, executed by J. P. Barbour, W. R. Massey and wife, Mary Massey, T. L. Stanford and wife, Alice Stanford, to E. B. Thomason and L. O. Lohmann, Trustees, which deed of trust is duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Alamance County, N. C., in Book of Deeds of Trust, No. 116, page 138, securing the payment of certain notes more particularly described therein, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and demand of foreclosure having been made by the holder of said indebtedness, the undersigned Trustees will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Courthouse door in Graham, North Carolina, on

Monday, May 31st, 1937; at 12:00 o'clock, noon.

the following described real estate, to-wit:

All that certain tract or parcel of land in Burlington Township, Alamance County, State of North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the Northwestern line of South Worth Street, which point is distant 8, 55 1-2 deg. W, 100 feet from the intersection of the Northwestern line of South Worth street with the Western line of Fifth Street; thence along a line dividing the lot herein conveyed and lots numbers 2, 3 and 4, N. 34 1-2 deg. W, 145 feet to the southern line of lot No. 1; thence along the line of lot No. 1, S. 55 1-2 deg. W, 45 feet to a point on the Northwestern line of South Worth Street; thence along said line of South Worth street N. 55 1-2 deg. E, 45 feet to the point of beginning, and known and designed as lot No. 5, as shown on plat made by A. C. Linberg, Engineer, dated January 27, 1932; and being the same property conveyed to J. P. Barbour, W. R. Massey and T. L. Stanford, by south Atlantic Investment Corporation, by deed dated April 1, 1932.

The purchaser at this sale will be required to make a cash deposit of ten percent of the purchase price to show good faith.

This the 30th day of April, 1937.
E. B. Thomason,
L. O. Lohmann,
Trustees,
W. D. Madry, Attorney.

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Beginning at a point on the Northwestern line of South Worth street; thence along said line of South Worth street, N. 55 1-2 deg. E, 45 feet to the point of beginning, and known and designated as lot No. 6, as shown on plat made by A. C. Linberg, Engineer, dated January 27, 1932; and being the same property conveyed to J. P. Barbour, W. R. Massey and T. L. Stanford, by south Atlantic Investment Corporation, by deed dated April 1, 1932.

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Trustees,
W. D. Madry, Attorney.

Notice of Sale of Land

Under and by virtue of the authority conveyed by that certain deed of trust signed by E. E. Pennington and wife, Minervia Pennington, dated the 23 day of March, 1935, and recorded in Book 122 at pages 164, 165, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, the undersigned trustee, will,

at 12:00 o'clock, noon,
Tuesday, May 25th, 1937,

at the courthouse door in Alamance County, Graham, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the following land, to-wit:

Two certain lots or parcels of land lying and being in Burlington Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, and being more fully described as follows, to-wit:

"Being lots Nos. 70 and 71 in Block "J" of the property known as Piedmont Estates, map of which made by A. C. Linberg, C. E., is recorded in Book No. 2, page 43, office of Register of Deeds for Alamance County. Block "J" being a part of Block No. 17 of old survey of Piedmont Estates, plat of which is recorded in Book No. 1, page 30, Alamance County."

This sale is made on account of default in payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and a ten (10 percent) cash deposit will be required by the highest bidder at the sale, said sale to remain open for advance bids as provided by law.

This the 20th day of April, 1937.
William C. Purdue,
Trustee.

Notice of Foreclosure Sale

DCA-4553-M. B. A. Smith Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by B. A. Smith and wife, Joy Belle Smith, to Carolina Mortgage Company, Trustee, dated November 15, 1931, filed for record in the Registry of Alamance County, North Carolina, on December 15, 1931, and recorded in Book 116 Deeds of Trust on page 89, the undersigned as the duly appointed substituted trustee (see Book 114, page 80-82 of said Registry) will offer for sale at public auction, at the Courthouse door in said county, in the City of Graham,

at 12:00 o'clock, noon,
Monday, May 17, 1937,

and will sell to the highest bidder for cash the property described in said deed of trust as follows:

A certain tract or parcel of land in Burlington Township, Alamance County, State of North Carolina; adjoining the lands of Main Street, Summit Ave., Lots Nos. 15, 16 and 17, and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron bolt on Main St. and corner with summit Avenue, running thence with line of Summit Avenue, N. 39 deg. 15 min. W, 80 ft. to an iron bolt in line of Summit Avenue, and corner with Lot No. 16; running thence with line of Lot No. 15, N. 56 deg. E, 133.8 feet to an iron bolt corner with Lots Nos. 15 and 17; running thence with line of Lot No. 17, S. 41 deg. 10 min. E,

82 ft. to an iron bolt in line of Main St.; running thence with line of Main St. south 56 deg. 15 min. W, 140.5 ft. to the Beginning, and being Lot No. 18 in Block "I" of the subdivision of Central Heights, a blue print of which is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Book No. 2, page No. 47.

Being the same land conveyed to Mebane Real Estate & Trust Co., by deed from John H. Clapp, (widower) dated October 1, 1917, and recorded in Book No. 62, Page No. 193-195.

Being the same land conveyed to Central Loan & Trust Company by deed from Mebane Real Estate & Trust Company, dated 15th Sept. 1926, and filed for registration 10 A. M. Sept. 22, 1926; in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County in Book 87, Page 56-57; and the same property conveyed to Central Investment Corporation by Trustees in Bankruptcy for Central Loan & Trust Company, Burlington, by Trustees' deed dated April 6, 1929, filled for registration on the 3rd day of May, 1929; recorded in Book 85, pages 216 and 218.

Being the same property this day conveyed by Central Investment Corporation to B. A. Smith by deed delivered contemporaneously with the delivery of this deed of trust, the deliveries being parts of one and the same transaction, and the money hereby secured being a part of the purchase money for said land.

This sale will be made subject to all outstanding and unpaid taxes and other assessments, if any.

This sale is to be made on account of default in the payment of the indebtedness secured by the aforesaid deed of trust and is made pursuant to demand made upon the undersigned by the holder of said indebtedness.

Keswick Corporation,
Substituted Trustee.

Notice of Service by Publication.

NORTH CAROLINA. ALAMANCE COUNTY IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

Before the Clerk
William R. Capps, Ellen Capps Holt and husband, H. M. Holt, Dora Capps Mann, widow, Bettie Capps Martin and husband, Samuel B. Martin, Etta Capps Moser and husband, W. L. Moser, Elsie Capps Sykes and husband, A. Eugene Sykes, Alice Capps Shepherd and husband, Charles P. Shepherd.

vs.
Josie Capps, widow of H. J. Capps, Norman R. Capps, Helen Capps Standfield and husband, James Standfield, H. J. Capps, Jr. Mark Andrews Capps and Dorothy Jane Capps, children of H. J. Capps, deceased, the last three being minors Louise Capps, Thorean Capps and wife, Mrs. Thorean Capps, Earsley Capps, and J. J. Neff and wife, Ethel Neff, and Security National Bank of Greensboro, Trustee.

The defendants above named and more particularly Louise Capps, J. J. Neff and wife, Ethel Neff, and Thorean Capps and wife, Mrs. Thorean Capps, will take notice that an action and Special Proceedings entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Alamance County, North Carolina, for the purpose of obtaining an order of the Superior Court of Alamance County, directing the sale for division and for dividing the real property and the personal property left in trust, all under and pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of the late Andy J. Capps, and for the further purpose of determining what interest, if any, the said respondents take in and to the said real property and personal property of the said Andy J. Capps under and pursuant to the terms of his said Will.

The said defendants and respondents will further take notice that they are required to appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County in the Courthouse in Graham, North Carolina, on or before ten (10) days after the 10th day of May, the same being the 20th day of May, 1937, and answer or demur to the petition and complaint filed in said action, or the petitioners will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said petition.

Done this the 15th day of April, 1937.
E. H. MURRAY,
Clerk Superior Court,
Alamance County.
Long, Long & Barrett, Attys.