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Republican Nominees

At the national Republican convention in Philadelphia Wendell Willkie of New York, native of Indiana, won the nomination for President on the 6th ballot. Thirteen candidates were voted for. Willkie was third on first ballot. After that he was a steady gainer, except the 4th, and the sixth brought a unanimous vote. Senator Charles L. McNary of Oregon was named his running mate by acclamation.

"When hunger comes" who will feed Europe? The major part of that country is at war. The men, many thousands of them, are in the war doing military duty, other thousands are prisoners of war, and still other thousands have fallen ou the battle field, in all running into millions. This huge man power has been drawn from fields and shops, producing nothing to contribute to the daily living of many millions of women, children and helpless men. It's a problem that the nations at war are thinking about and will become acute if the war is long drawn out.

News 'n Views

Drivers' License Revocations

About the number of revocations of automobile drivers' licenses the Revenue Department in Raleigh has sent out a table which gives the number reported this year for the six months ending June 30th for the State's 100 counties. With only a few exceptions the revocations were for driving under influence of liquor. For the period they total 2,774, in which is included 156 out of the State.

An analysis of the table (6 mos.) shows 48 for Alamance, 15th from the top. Guilford tops the list with 201. In three counties, Gates, Hyde and Terrell, none; two counties, Currituck and Jones, one each; in five counties, two each.

The high numbers with two exceptions are west of Wake, and the low numbers are extreme eastern and western counties.

Car drivers are very forgetful. When they start out they cannot remember that they will lose their their driver's license, if they are caught driving under the influence of liquor.

It were better in every way that they forget their liquor.

One thousand German and Italian prisoners of war were drowned yesterday when the British liner Arandon was torpedoed by a Nazi U-boat off the coast of Ireland. Two thousand were aboard, destined for Canada.

President Roosevelt will request $5,000,000,000 more for national defense, and the Congress seems to be in accord. The collosal appropriations bring to mind a motto of this country's early days—"Millions for defense but not one cent for tribute."

The Two World Fairs

Tranportation, hotel and other accommodations to the New York World's Fair have been reduced to such low rates that it is almost cheaper to go to New York than to stay home.

The circular trips on the railroads and the advantages of motor travel, have been made so attractive that it is now possible for thousands of persons who never could contemplate a journey from coast to coast to plan this Summer to go to both the New York and San Francisco fairs, and to see the great American country in which they live between the Atlantic and Pacific Coast.

THE FOURTH.

The outstanding day in American history is July 4th, the day from which dates the founding of a great nation in the Western Hemisphere.

On that date, 164 years ago today, in Philadelphia, a charter of liberty and freedom was signed and proclaimed to the world.

The 13 colonies were named the United States of America. They embraced the territory, not all of it, bordering the Atlantic ocean, and east of the Mississippi river.

Since then several times more has been added by purchase and extended to the Gulf of Mexico and the Pacific ocean. The 13 sparsely populated colonies have grown into 48 sovereign states, making a great empire, ruled and governed by the people.

For all of this we celebrate the Glorious Fourth, and it is well to recall the motive that inspired the movement and remind the people of its great significance to the individual and the nation at large, and to succeeding generations.

None too often can the people be reminded of the great boon of civil liberty and religious freedom—greater than anywhere else on earth.

The Declaration of Independence proclaims them and the Constitution guarantees them. Read and ponder those and get the spirit and meaning of the Fourth.

National Defense.

By J. E. Jones

Washington, D. C., July 2nd—Twenty-five or thirty years ago Germany stood out in front as a producer of manufactured goods chemicals, dyes, toys, games, etc. In the years between 1914-17 we discovered that Germany was a military nation far superior to other European powers. German sabotage in this country, such as the Black Tom exposition, German diplomatic blunders, and attacks upon our ships by German raiders drove us to war.

The United States built up such gigantic military strength that the war was won for the Allies. We captured a few ships that have since been declared "obsolete," and accepted a warehouse full of European IOU's that have turned out to be of very little value.

But we did gain many rich rewards when we seized German patents and proceeded to develop our own dyes and a variety of chemicals, and free ourselves from depending upon Germany for many goods and products which are now made better here at home within our own borders.

The avowed object to "make the World safe for democracy" failed, and for about 20 years the United States has been minding its own business and leading the World in discoveries and development of the more abundant life. In a quarter of a century we have made gains in our objecttives that are more important than in all previous times since the landing of the Pilgrims at Plymouth.

In 1921 a "disarmament conference" met in Washington, and a treaty was signed by important nations that pledged themselves to reduce their navies. The United States sunk some of its ships and for many years our Nation showed its faith in other Governments by reducing the volume of our military preparedness. The United States developed mass production of products of every class that might possibly be used or employed for human and economic improvement. We were at peace with the World.

Meanwhile the United States attained mastery in the fields of science, inventions, chemistry, and other activities for the production of war machinery that would make things dangerous for Nations and countries that challenged democracy. France and England maintained military establishments of "brave men" who worked about half as many hours a day for human improvements as Germany's people did for destruction of their old enemies.

After a few exciting weeks of the European war we Americans can see things and measure results better than we could at first Our own atmosphere has cleared and we can look back over recent European events and think, and plan, more sanely, since we face the fact that German mechanized warfare is as perfect in its construction as the peacetime mechanism in the United States.

There has been a "rude awakening" in Washington that reveals hasty, mistaken and poor judgment on the part of the administration and the Congress, including leaders of all political beliefs. However, there is general conviction backed by public sentiment that this is not America's war, and one way to stay out of it is for the Government to stick within its rules as a neutral. We seem to have challenged other warring nations to come over here and shoot us up, before we are prepared to receive them.

The United States took a couple of years off from its peaceful routine and spent its time preparing to win the World War. Plenty of preparation brought us success. The decision has again been reached that this Government must carry out speedy plans for National Defense. Billions of money has been voted for that purpose. Our factories need a year's time to deliver unlimited military supplies through processes of mass-production. After that any of those Dictators who desire to take chances can come over here and get licked worse than they were in 1918.

They are too busy "over there" to bother with us now. So, lets be patient and consistent and safeguard our Law of Neutrality from getting out of joint.

Oldest Temperance Society in South Meets at Pleasant Hill July 7th.

On Sunday, July 7th, at 2 p.m., the oldest temperance society in the South, and the oldest existing society in the United States, will hold its annual meeting at Pleasant Hill church, a few miles East of Liberty. Cale R. Burgess, head of the Anti-Saloon League of North Carolina, has promised to address the association.

The origin of the temperance movement is attributed to Benjamin Rush, who was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

The remarkable thing about Pleasant Hill Temperance Society is the fact that all temperance societies which had their birth 50 or more years ago, except Pleasant Hill, have long since ceased to function.

There was a large tannery in Randolph County which employed a number of men back in 1833 Stephen White from Orange county worked in this tannery, and noted that some of the men who were employed would get "lively" at certain times from an overdose of whiskey. Mr. White became interested in forming a society to reform these men from drinking.

Hon. John Long, a member of Congress at that time, heard of this movement at the tannery, and invited the men interested to meet at his home. Twenty people attended this meeting, which was held in Sept., 1833, and among those present was Senator William Albright. He had heard of the meeting. Mr. Albright was a stiller, himself, and was anxious to ascertain what would be said at the gathering. After attending the meeting he returned home to think the matter over, and decided the distilling business was not a proper course to pursue. He converted his barroom into a store. Mr. Albright lived on the main highway between Petersburg and Fayetteville, then the principal markets of our State. Judges, preachers, and politicians called at William Albright's for lodging and to share his hospitality.

Senator Albright and a few others organized the Pleasant Hill Temperance Society in November, 1833, which makes the organizattion almost 107 years old. About 33 members joined at this first session. The pledge was that "Those who became members must refrain from drinking liquor of all kinds as well as selling and manufacturing it." This society convened its sessions at different churches in Chatham, Orange, Alamance, Randolph, and Guilford counties. In fact, almost monthly meetings were held in the above mentioned counties until 1860. After the Civil War the meetings were not so numerous.

For the past 50 years Pleasant Hill and Cane Creek churches have been the home offices of the society. At Pleasant Hill on July 4th and Cane Creek on December 25th are fixed dates for meetings. The society has not failed to meet annually at Pleasant Hill, the place of its inception, for a period of almost 100 years. This year the society meets Sunday, July 7th, at 2 p. m.

Pleasant Hill Temperance Society was the first to be organized in the South. Its membership includes many thousands of people. The society's influence is statewide. The only marker, so far as the writer knows, ever to be erected to the memory of a temperance society in North Carolina, is the monument at Pleasant Hill.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Liberty. W. H. Albright.

Farm Employment

The June 1st estimate of total farm employment was 11,896,000 persons, according to the monthly farm labor report of the U. S. Agricultural Marketing Service.

Keeping Milk Fresh

A new simple process, now widely used on trans-Pacific ships, will keep bottled milk fresh and sweet for periods as long as three months.

WOULD YOU BELIEVE IT?

While civilization suffers another violent outbreak of man's inhumanity to man, natural enemies of the animal kingdom go on breaking jungle law to form fancy friendships. A collection of photographs that will start you thinking, feature in the July 14th issue of the American Weekly, the big magazine distribnted with the Baltimore American.

On Sale at All Newsstands.

NOTICE!

Execution Sale.

NORTH CAROLINA,
ALAMANCE COUNTY.
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

W. P. Robin, Trading as
Wm. Robin Company,
vs.
Charles F. Foster and wife,
Brona Fae Foster.

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Stokes County in the above entitled action, I will, on

Monday, July 22nd, 1940,
at 12:00 o'clock, noon,

at the Courthouse door of said County sell to the highest bidder, for cash, to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest, which the said Brona Fae Foster, the defendant, has in the following described real property, to-wit:

Being located in Haw River Township, Alamance County, North Carolina; all that certain piece, parcel or tract of land containing eighty-seven, and four tenths (87.4) acres, to be the same, more or less, situate, lying and being on the public road from Gailbraith Bridge to Trollinwood, about one mile from Trollinwood Cotton Mills, nearly south, in Haw River Township, Alamance County, State of North Carolina, having such shapes, metes, courses, and distances as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof made from survey of John B. Bray, August 27, 1914, and attached, to the abstract of title now on file with the Atlantic Joint Stock Land Bank of Raleigh, the same being bound on the North by J. A. Long and J. A. Trollinger; on the West by Haw River; on the South by J. P. Kerr; on the East by John Chandler and Pleas Dixon, and being the identical tract of land conveyed by deed from The Atlantic Joint Stock Land Bank of Raleigh, to W. H. Moser and D. H. Moser, of date April 21, 1933, the same being duly recorded in Book No. 105 of Deeds, at pages 167-168 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, North Carolina, to which reference is hereby made—Book 120, page 8.

With the exception of:

Beginning at an iron stake on the West side of the Carr Road, a new corner with Mrs. Brona Fae Foster, running thence a new line with the said Mrs. Brona Fae Foster, N. 89 deg. .05 min. W. 440 feet to an iron stake, thence another new line with the said Mrs. Foster, 58 deg. 45 min. E. 140 feet to an iron stake, thence another new line with the said Mrs. Foster, S. 89 deg. 15 min. E. 386 feet to an iron stake on west side of Carr Road, thence along the West side of Carr Road N. 13 deg. 40 min. E. 140 feet to the beginning, containing 1.3 acres. Upon the above described lot is located a two story frame house, which was allotted to the said Brona Fae Foster as her homestead.

This the 17th day of June, 1940.

WILLIAM V. COPELAND,
Sheriff Alamance County.

Sale of Real Estate.

Under authority of that certain Deed of Trust executed and delivered to the undersigned Louis C. Allen, Trustee, by J. C. Johnson, which bears date of the 30th day of September, 1939, and is recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust No. 136, at page 241, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said instrument and demand for foreclosure having been made by the owners of said indebtedness, the undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Courthouse door in Graham, North Carolina, on

Monday, July 8th, 1940,
at 12:00 o'clock, noon,

the following described real property:

A certain tract of land lying and being in Alamance County, State of North Carolina, in Burlington Township, and more particularly described and defined as follows:

Being all of lots numbered one hundred fourteen(114), one hundred fifteen(115) and one hundred sixteen (116) of the James W. Johnson property, plat of which is recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Plat Book No. 1, at page 132.

The purchaser will be required to deposit ten per cent of his bid when the same is knocked down to him, and the balance upon confirmation.

This the 6th day of June, 1940.

LOUIS C. ALLEN,
Trustee.

Notice of Sale of Land

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred by Deed of Trust executed by W. H. McAdams and wife, Lala Irene Lemons McAdams, dated the 4th day of June, 1937, and recorded in Book 129 DT, Page 247, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, Jefferson E. Owens, Trustee, will at twelve o'clock Noon, on

MONDAY, JULY 22, 1940

at the Court House Door of Alamance County in Graham, North Carolina, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder, the following land, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land in Boone Station Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of T. A. May, Mrs. W. L. Smith, H. E. Whitesell and South Williamson Avenue, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING at an iron stake set in the Western margin of South Williamson Avenue, corner with H. E. Whitesell, the point of beginning, being South 1 degree West, 208 feet from the Northern edge of the sidewalk at the intersection of South Williamson Avenue and Trollinger Avenue; running thence with the line of H. E. Whitesell South 89 degrees West 175.5 feet to an iron stake, corner with Mrs. W. L. Smith and H. E. Whitesell; running thence with the line of Mrs. W. L. Smith South 1 degree West 80 feet to an iron stake, corner with T. A. May; running thence with the line of T. A. May North 89 degrees East 175.5 feet to an iron stake set in the Western margin of South Williamson Avenue; running thence with the margin of South Williamson Avenue North 1 degree East 80 feet to the point of BEGINNING.

This is the property conveyed to W. H. McAdams by warranty deed from T. A. May, et ux., dated May 2, 1932, recorded in Book of Deeds No. 100, page 508, Alamance County Registry.

This sale is made on account of default in payment of the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust.

A five per cent (5%) cash deposit will be required of the highest bidder at the sale.

This the 18th day of June, 1940.

Jefferson E. Owens, Trustee.

Allen and Madry, Attys.

(Loan No 152)

NOTICE!

Summons by Publication

NORTH CAROLINA,
ALAMANCE COUNTY.
IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT

Mrs. Mandy Wiles,
vs.
William Wiles.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the General County Court of Alamance County, North Carolina, for divorce, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the General County Court of Alamance County, in Graham, North Carolina, on or before the 18th day of July, 1940, 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 the 15th day of June, 1940.

F. L. WILLIAMSON,
Clerk of General County Court
of Alamance County.

John J. Henderson, Atty.

NOTICE!

Summons by Publication

NORTH CAROLINA,
ALAMANCE COUNTY.
IN THE GENERAL COUNTY COURT

Louise Thompson Etheridge, Plaintiff
vs.
Alton T. Etheridge, Defendant.

The defendant, Alton T. Etheridge will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the General County Court of Alamance County, North Carolina, to obtain an absolute divorce, and the defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the General County Court of Alamance County in the courthouse in Graham, N. C. on the 8th day of July, 1940, and answer or demur to the complaint in the said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the said complaint.

This the 3rd day of June, 1940.

EFFA D. GUTHRIE,
Deputy Clerk of the General County Court of Alamance County.

William C. Perdue, Atty.

Sale of Valuable Farm Property.

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by C. E. Jackson and wife, Mattie Jackson, on the 1st day of July, 1938, and recorded in Book 131, Pages 635-636, we will on

Saturday, July 6th, 1940,
at 12:00 o'clock, noon,

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:

A certain tract or parcel of land in Newlin Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, described as follows:

Beginning at a stone in D. H. Thompson's corner; running S. 4 deg. 31.25 chs. to a stone; thence S. 26 deg. E. 12.5 chs. to a stone on the bank of a ditch near a bridge; thence S. 8 deg. W. 3 chs. to a maple on the bank of Cane Creek; thence down said creek 21 chs. to John Allen's corner, (the Henry Stout place); thence N. 86.50 chs. with his line to the old public road; thence with said road to John Foust's corner; thence West with his line 25 chs. to a stone pile, Oliver McPherson's corner, in John Foust's line; thence South 13.25 chs. to the beginning, containing 115 acres, more or less.

This land is sold subject to all unpaid taxes.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of C. E. Jackson and wife Mattie Jackson, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust.

A deposit of 10 per cent will be required from the purchaser at the sale.

This the 2nd day of May, 1940.

INTERSTATE TRUSTEE CORPORATION, Trustee,
Durham, N. C.

Foreclosure Sale!

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage deed, executed by Joseph H. Garner (widower) to C. Murray, on the 6th day of June, 1939, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Book of Mortgage Deeds 126, page 402, default having been made in the payment of interest and principal of the note thereby secured, the undersigned will sell, for cash at Public auction at the Court House door, in Graham, North Carolina, on

MONDAY, JULY 22, 1940
AT 11:00 O'CLOCK A. M.,

the following described property:

Beginning in the center of a concrete bridge across Little Alamance Creek on the East side of said Highway, running thence with said Highway S. 9 deg. West 350 ft. to corner on the East side of said Highway, with Lot No. 20, known as the home place; thence with the line of lot No. 20 S. 81 deg. E. 153 ft. to a corner in line of Lot No. 20; thence N. 71 deg. 30 min. East 250 ft. to corner with said Holt; thence No. 6 deg. 45 min. East 706 ft. to the center of said creek; thence up said creek as it meanders in the center of said creek to the beginning, containing 4 acres, more or less, same being a portion of Lot No. 21, the west portion, as surveyed by W. T. Hall, C. E., of Graham, N. C., of the McBride Holt subdivision, known as "Holtwood," plat of which is found recorded in Plat Book No. 3, page 116, in office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County.

This 17th day of June 1940.

C. Murray, Mortgagee.

Jno. R. Hoffman, Atty.

NOTICE!

Trustee's Sale of Real Estate Located in Burlington Township.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by L. Lucille Leath to C. A. Trollinger, Trustee, and bearing date of September 13, 1939, and being duly probated and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, in Book of Deeds of Trust No. 135, at pages 433 to 435, default having been made in the payment of the note secured by the said deed of trst, the undersigned, C. A. Trollinger, Trustee, will, on

Monday, August 5th, 1940,
at 12:00 o'clock, noon,

at the Courthouse door of Alamance County, in Graham, North Carolina, offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the real property conveyed by said deed of trust and described as follows, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land, lying and being in Burlington Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, on the Big Falls Road, and being a part of Lots Nos. 31 and 46 of the subdivision of the N.C.R.R. Property, according to the map, plan and survey made by Lewis H. Holt, County Surveyor of Alamance County, on October 15, 1909, and duly probated and recorded in Plat Book No. 3, at page 14, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Alamance County, and having been also surveyed by W. T. Hall, C. E., on May 20, 1938, and more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron stake on the northern side of the Big Falls Road, 164 feet and 1 inch easterly from the intersection with a 50 foot street, corner with the western part of Timothy Presbyterian Church Lot; running thence with the northern side of the Big Falls Road N. 65 deg. 10 min. E. 64 feet and 1 inch to an iron stake, corner with Catherine Bowes; thence with Bowes' line N. 4 deg. 35 min. E. 135 feet and 3 inches to an iron stake in the County Training School's line; thence with County Training School's line N.83 deg. 10 min. W. 56.8 feet to an iron stake, corner with the western part of the Timothy Presbyterian Church lot; thence with said Church's line S. 4 deg. 15 min. W. 169 feet to the point of beginning.

This sale will be made subject to increased bids as prescribed by law, and will be held open for ten (10) days after sale for the reception of such increased bids.

This, the 25th day of June, 1940.

C. A. TROLLINGER,
Burlington, N. C. Trustee.