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MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1921.

DON'T FAIL TO VOTE.

The school bond election tomorrow will be decided by the registration. If you registered for this election and are in favor of issuing the proposed bonds, you must vote in order for your vote to be cast for it.

ENCOURAGEMENT AND WARNING

Charles M. Schwab, just back from a trip to Europe, gives out a most encouraging word. He says he "can see nothing ahead but unusual prosperity for America."

The result of the recent plebiscite to determine whether Germany or Poland should have Upper Silesia, rich in minerals, probably also determines how soon Germany will begin another war of conquest.

Germany has to-day the greatest and most active dyestuff industry in the world, as evidenced by a production last month (January) of twelve thousand tons of dyes, seven hundred and fifty tons more than the average dye-plant monthly output.

That explains why Germans born in Upper Silesia journeyed from all over the world—from America and South Africa as well as from points not so far away—to vote in the recent plebiscite, a curious provision being that any one born there might go back and vote, no matter how long he had been away.

Another writer in The Outlook says:

Under a camouflage of apparent bankruptcy Germany is actually accumulating wealth. Under a camouflage of democracy (incidentally daily more transparent) she is preparing the return of the Hohenzollerns.

"When I am grown up I shall be a soldier,

I shall have a horse, And shall fight the French.

Germany boasted in 1918 that she would make her enemies pay for the war, would make them "drag the chain for a hundred years."

NUMBER OF OUTSIDE PUPILS.

From local school authorities the following facts have been ascertained: The number of outside pupils in the local schools was reduced 50 per cent, this year.

Town pupils are not being crowded out by outside pupils. The crowded conditions have come about by reason of the facts that one small grade is dismissed each year and enough for two grades enter.

These facts should be a source of gratification. They show a wholesome growth. Of course it is impossible to continue to pour in more than leave without reaching the point when enlargement is necessary.

The Robesonian believes that any citizen may safely take the advice of the school trustees in this matter and vote for the bonds, which will not be a burden on any one and will give the town the most ideally located property for school purposes that is available.

WELL WORTH THE PRICE.

Those who contend that the property it is proposed to purchase for a school site is not worth \$20,000 are invited to consider the following facts:

A half-acre lot located further out on Walnut street than the property in question—on the north side of the Elizabeth road and beyond Mr. J. P. Russell's—was purchased about a year ago for \$4,600—that is, at the rate of \$9,200 the acre.

Almost any one will admit that the property it is proposed to purchase for a school site is more desirable than property located farther out on the same street.

The argument that the tract it is proposed to purchase for a school site is not worth the price tumbles down like a house of cards, as also does the argument that some other site should be purchased for less money.

RE "FALLACIOUS ARGUMENTS."

The Robesonian has carefully avoided in all that it has said on the school bond question reflecting in the slightest degree upon any who differ with it.

Webster's New International defines as follows: "Fallacious—Misleading. That is misleading which either with or without intention leads into error, especially of judgment; as, a fallacious argument.

People do that every day. If that

were not so, everybody would reach the same conclusion invariably, arguing from the same set of facts.

CLEAN UP WEEK.

The North Carolina Insurance Department asks for observance of clean-up week April 4 to 9. That "cleanliness is next to godliness" is a faithful saying, and it is also one of the best forms of insurance against fire.

A thorough observance of clean-up week will promote health and save property.

WHERE THERE ARE NO TAXES.

Prosperity is always expensive. The least expensive civilization we know is that of Dahomey, where nobody pays any taxes and where nobody wears any clothes to speak of.

Citizens of Lincolnton, a town about the size of Lumberton, voted last week a bond issue of \$200,000 for new school buildings and equipment.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of Peter McMillan, deceased, late of Robeson County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the decedent to present the same to the undersigned.

Meeting Places for Community Service Pictures. Union Chapel (Ind.) Monday, April 4th.

Philadelphus Tuesday, April 5th. Purvis Wednesday, April 6th. St. Pauls Thursday, April 7th. Centenary Friday, April 8th. Tabernacle Saturday, April 9th.

Messrs. H. W., Quincey and H. F. Ivey of R. 1, Marietta were among the visitors in town Saturday.

NOTICE TO THE BANKS OF THE COUNTY.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Robeson County, on the first Monday in May, being the 2 day of May, 1921, will meet at the court house in Lumberton for the purpose of receiving and opening bids for the deposit of public moneys and for the purpose of designating a depository and financial agent of said county under the provisions of chapter 46 of the local public laws of North Carolina, session of 1917.

Register of Deeds and Clerk to Board of Commissioners of Robeson County. 4-4-4 Mon.

Cotton



Thoughtful students of the Cotton Situation are unanimous in the opinion that the acreage should be cut at least fifty per cent. They also agree that the Fertilizer Bill should be cut in half.

Unless we can raise CHEAP COTTON it is better not to plant. By the practice of economy and hard work and the use of business methods the farmer will survive.

Advise your neighbor who is hoarding his money at home to deposit it in a good strong bank. Keeping money out of the bank is keeping it out of circulation.

The National Bank of Lumberton

A. W. McLean, Pres. M. F. Cobb, cashier

DOLLAR DAY

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Thursday, Friday, Saturday

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DOLLAR BARGAINS IN SOAP

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35 Cakes Friendship Toilet Soap for \$1.00
30 Cakes Borax or Lenox Soap for \$1.00
6 Cakes "Woodburys" Facial Soap for \$1.00

DOLLAR BARGAINS IN DRY GOODS

- 6 YARDS 32 inch Dress Gingham for \$1.00
11 YARDS yard wide Sea Island Sheeting for \$1.00
2 YARDS of 69c Dotted Swiss or Figured Voiles for \$1.00
2 YARDS 75c Cretonne for \$1.00
8 YARDS 19c Curtain Scrim for \$1.00
5 PILLOW CASES for \$1.00
One lot of Children Dresses 2 for \$1.00
Ladies Kimonas each \$1.00
Play Suits for Little Tots \$1.50 values each \$1.00
\$1.50 Shirt Waists each \$1.00
Men's \$1.39 Shirts each \$1.00
Ladies House Dresses each \$1.00
Children or Little Girls Summer Hats 3 for \$1.00
Ladies Panama Hats each \$1.00
Ladies White Canvass Pumps One lot, per pair \$1.00
Men's 50c Caps 3 for \$1.00
Ladies \$2.00 White Skirts each \$1.00
Ladies Muslin Gowns each \$1.00
Middy Blouses \$1.50 values each \$1.00
9 PAIR Ladies Black Hose for \$1.00
Men's \$1.50 Overalls each \$1.00
One lot of Men's Overall Pants; Two pair for \$100

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