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The Northwestern Fair

While people of Europe are killing each other off and making preparations for killing on a bigger scale, people of Wilkes and other counties in Northwestern North Carolina are making plans to enjoy themselves at the Great Northwestern Fair to hold away here next week, September 12 through 16.

The Northwestern Fair is the one big gala occasion where the people of a great section of the state join to enjoy themselves.

But the fair should and will mean more than a gala occasion of merriment. It is designed to encourage the production of better products on the farms, the orchards and in the homes.

By offering about \$3,000 in cash premiums the fair hopes to and will attract the largest collection of exhibits ever assembled, exhibits which the public can see and learn why one is better than another and why one type is rated superior to others.

This manner farmers, orchardists and makers can glean knowledge which will help them in their endeavors to produce more and better products for the market and for home consumption.

Industrial exhibits are displayed mainly for advertising purposes but incidentally are very educational in that they demonstrate to the public what industry offers in the way of implements, products, methods and services to raise the standard of living in the homes and on the farms.

In order to encourage the department of the fair set up to promote progress, it is the duty of producers to place something on exhibit and in that manner to have a part in the fair.

Department superintendents will be on hand to help in care and display of exhibits and to offer every reasonable service to exhibitors. Exhibits should be placed in the exhibit hall on Monday if possible and not later than early Tuesday morning.

Mail-Box Improvement

Unusually good mail boxes detract from the natural scenic beauty along highways and add credit to the owners of attractive boxes served through the boxes. Rural mail boxes which are not properly erected or which are not in good, serviceable condition retard the delivery of mail and expose it to damage from the elements.

It is the desire of the Department to encourage patrons of the rural delivery service to provide entirely suitable mail receptacles and to erect them in such manner that they will be accessible to the carrier and present a neat appearance. It is especially desirable that the boxes be maintained in such condition that they will properly protect mail placed therein, that the names of box owners be inscribed on the side of the boxes visible to the carrier as he approaches them, and that the boxes and their supports be kept painted. Patrons who have non-approved boxes of top-opening or other type are not required to discard them, provided that they have been in use for several years and are maintained in good, serviceable condition. However, any boxes which are not of approved type and are not in such condition that they will protect mail from damage by the elements should be replaced with boxes of approved type.

To accomplish these desirable objectives the Department has designated the week beginning September 10, 1939, a "Rural Mail Box Improvement Week."

Maybe Joe Is Right

The average American has the reputation in some circles of being too cocky—of thinking he's a lot more important than he really is when you consider his position in the general scheme of things.

Joe Z., who comes close to being the average American himself, has his own opinion on this particular subject. Let's listen in on Joe for a moment:

"So you think I take myself too seriously? You think my job, for instance, isn't important enough to justify my acting this way?"

"Well maybe you're right. I said maybe. Of course I don't have the best job in this plant. But what I do is important just the same. Here's the way I look at it.

"I've got a job, a self-respecting one that means I can support my family and that means I have the chance of getting a better job if I have the stuff. And it's a job in the United States of America. Makes a man feel important just to be an American these days—to know his position in

life doesn't depend on his race or creed or the way he ties his necktie. We Americans have the shortest hours and the highest pay for what we do in the whole world, and we buy the best products in the world with the money we earn. We know how good these products are: you and I provide the skill that makes them.

"Why shouldn't I feel important. I'm an American workman, ain't I?"

Maybe Joe Z. has an idea that's worth remembering!

Our Main Defense

Peacefully inclined and 3,000 miles away from the scene of European hostilities, it behooves the American people to make strong their greatest defense—our location on the globe.

Distance from Europe makes our shores reasonably free from hostilities just so long as no European nation can gain a foothold on this hemisphere.

That is what made the Monroe doctrine so valuable and that is the reason America should always be interested in the goodwill of Canada, Mexico, and all the countries of Central and South America. It is distinctly our business to guarantee that no European or Asiatic power takes over any territory in North or South America.

Without a base of operations on this half of the world, no nation can get far in invasion of our country but give a nation or an alliance of powers a foothold as a base of operations and we would be in hot water continually.

Our principal business while Europe is at war is to strengthen our defenses and to demonstrate to the nations of this part of the globe that we are mutually interested in their welfare and goodwill. America can and will remain the bulwark of strength in the world by following such a course.

Americans traveling abroad often unwittingly threaten the peace of our nation. We naturally feel that our nation should protect its people but it does look like a big obligation on the part of the people to stay out of places and situations which might precipitate international squabbles.

Borrowed Comment

ONE U. S. COURSE IS CLEAR AND STRAIGHT (Reidsville Review)

Whatever happens in Europe, and it would be a hardy man who would make any guesses at this moment, there are certain courses for the United States about whose wisdom there can be no doubt.

War or no war, Europe is driving the Americas in upon themselves. Those in both North and South America who favored a sort of world alliance of democracies including primarily Russia, have waked up to find Russia suddenly on cordial terms with its announced enemy, Germany, and quite as ready to appease her with Poland as Chamberlain ever was to appease her with Czechoslovakia. Those who dislike Franco in Spain because of his close links with Germany and Italy have seen him abandon overnight his "Anti-Communist Axis" friends.

All have seen treaties torn up, alliances repudiated, 15 years of propagandistic assertions thrown overboard in a moment for the sake of immediate advantage. Surely the faith of all Americas in the large-scale politics of Europe must be shaken to the core.

In such a case what is an American to think? The only answer seems to be: Nothing, until the situation jells into something that can be understood.

In the meantime, we have tasks before us which are obviously ours no matter what happens in Europe.

We must unite, regardless of faction, politics, race, creed, or class, behind every sincere and promising effort to solve our overhanging unemployment and business problem. The fate of disunited and factional people of today's world has been too terribly outlined to be an instant out of mind.

We must, unfortunately, prepare ourselves in a military way for any likely attack upon us, and prepare quickly and effectively. That includes making the Panama Canal as nearly invulnerable as human ingenuity can make it.

We must spare no pains in building a unity between the American countries based on mutual interest as well as cultural and political ties. The reciprocal trade treaty with Argentina, for example, should be pushed through to signature in such a way that both countries will be better for it. Inter-American relations must be solidly based on mutual consideration and inter-twined welfare. Such relationships are the only ones which stand firm amid the political cyclones which are sweeping away the landmarks of yesterday.

We should adjust all difficulties with Mexico, and embark on a resolute and reaching development of Alaska. We should cement even closer our bonds with Canada, a great country overdue for great developments as the supply base for, and possibly even the sometime successor to, Britain.

These are the tasks that call for all we can muster of resources, of good-will, of wisdom in the developing of policies that can create vast benefits while injuring no people but helping many.

To these tasks the United States may, and must, devote itself, whether or not Europe takes the last plunge to self-destruction.

Wilkes Livestock Market Report

We had for sale Monday, September 4, a total of 315 head of cows, calves, hogs and sheep and all kinds of livestock.

The prices were stronger on all classes with more buying power than ever before. Not enough cattle to supply the demand. Choice calves scaling \$10.00 and above.

Choice Calves	\$10.25
Second Calves	9.00 to 10.00
Medium Calves	8.00 to 9.00
Common Calves	6.00 to 8.00
Stock Calves 15.00 to 40.00 hd.	
No Choice Steers	
No Good Steers offered	
Medium Steers	5.50 to 6.50
Common Steers	5.00 to 5.50
Good Heifers	6.00 to 6.50
Medium Heifers	5.50 to 6.00
Common Heifers	5.00 to 5.50
No Springer Heifers offered	
Best Cows	6.00
Good Cows	5.00 to 5.50
Medium Cows	4.00 to 5.00
Canners	3.00 to 4.00
Milk Cows, as to kind and quality 25.00 to 42.50	
Good bulls	6.00
Medium Bulls	4.80 to 5.00
Choice Hogs	7.55
Heavy Hogs	7.00 to 7.25
Sows	6.00 to 6.50

Friendship Church Revival Under Way

A series of revival services is in progress this week at friendship Methodist church near Millers Creek.

The meeting is being conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Wall, assisted by Rev. Mr. Templeton. The services are being well attended and much interest is being shown.

Use the advertising columns of this paper as your shopping guide.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND

Under and by virtue of a decree and judgment signed by a Judge of the Superior Court in the case of The Federal Land Bank of Columbia versus E. C. Bradley, Cloyd Bradley, and others, appointing the undersigned Commissioner to sell certain lands in Wilkes County to satisfy a note secured by Mortgage Deed, the undersigned Commissioner will expose to sale at public auction, for cash, at the Courthouse door in Wilkesboro, North Carolina, on the 2nd day of October, 1939, at one o'clock, P. M. the following described lands lying and being in Wilkes County, North Carolina, and more particularly described and defined as follows: All that certain piece, parcel or

tract of land containing 298 acres, more or less, situated, lying and being on the Stony Fork Road and Stony Fork Creek, about 30 miles southwest from the town of Wilkesboro in Elk Township, Wilkes County, North Carolina, and having such shapes, metes, courses and distances as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof made by G. G. Elledge, County Surveyor, on Oct. 22, 1917, and being bounded on north by the lands of D. M. Shell, on east by lands of A. L. Barnett, and on south by lands of Grandin Lumber Company, and on west by lands of J. C. Triplett and G. C. Triplett. This being the same land conveyed to the said Geo. W. Bradley by N. H. Robinette and wife, Alice V. Robinette, by deed dated Nov. 1, 1917, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wilkes County in Book 106, at Page 160.

All of the above-described tract of land will be offered for sale first, except a seventy-five-acre tract of land which was sold to T. M. Hawkins by George W. Bradley subsequent to the execution of the Mortgage, and in the event that the original tract of land, less the seventy-five-acre tract deeded to T. M. Hawkins, brings a sufficient amount to pay the indebtedness of The Federal Land Bank, then the T. M. Hawkins seventy-five-acre tract will not be offered for sale. In the event the tract, excepting the seventy-five-acre tract, does not bring a sufficient amount to pay the indebtedness of The Federal Land Bank and the costs, then the T. M. Hawkins seventy-five-acre tract of land, which is described and recorded in Book 109 at Page 281, will be sold also on said date at the same time and place.

The Commissioner will require the successful bidder to deposit with him the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200), either in cash or certified check, or the day of the sale as evidence of good faith, this sum to be applied on the bid should there be a compliance with the same; but, should the successful bidder fail to make such deposit immediately at the time of the acceptance of the bid, then the said premises shall be immediately re-sold at such bidder's risk. If the successful bidder makes said deposit and thereafter fails to comply with said bid without just cause or legal excuse shown, then such deposit shall be retained by The Federal Land Bank and retained by it as liquidated damages, the premises shall thereupon be resold upon the same terms and at such purchaser's risk on some subsequent date to be designated by the plaintiff or its attorney.

The Federal Land Bank is given permission to bid at such sale in order to protect its right in and to said property.

This sale will be made subject to confirmation by the Court.

This the 2nd day of September, 1939.

EUGENE TRIVETTE, Commissioner.

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A Message Of Importance TO OUR FRIENDS IN WILKES And Adjoining Counties:

Do you have any live poultry to sell? If so, do you want to sell at the highest market price? If you have the poultry and want the top market prices, bring it direct to us, because we are in the market for quantities of . . .

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