

Life Was a Misery

Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood . . . I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery. I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. . . Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, . . . I decided to

TAKE

CARDUI

The Woman's Tonic

"I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. . ."

"It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. . . I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble."

If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Cardui. It helped her. We believe it will help you.

All Druggists

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DR. W. C. HOUSTON

DENTIST.

Office Over Cabarrus Drug Company
Phonics: Residence 11, Office 42
Concord, North Carolina.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Mrs. W. R. Johnson, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make prompt payment or suit will be brought. And all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 8th day of October, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

W. C. HOUSTON, Executor.
By Gordon A. Carver, Attorney.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as the Administrator of Margaret Ann Dees, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make prompt payment or suit will be brought. And all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 11th day of October, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

This the 11th day of October, 1918.
E. C. DEES, Administrator.
By L. T. Hartsell, Atty.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as the Administrator of the estate of R. A. Dees, deceased, all persons owing said estate are hereby notified that they must make prompt payment, or suit will be brought. And all persons having claims against said estate must present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 11th day of October 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

E. C. DEES, Administrator.
October 11th, 1918.
By L. T. Hartsell, Atty.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executrix of the estate of C. R. Sears, deceased, all persons owing said estate, are hereby notified that they must make prompt payment or suit will be brought. And all persons having claims against said estate, must present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 23rd day of September, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

M. E. SEARS, Executrix.
By J. Lee Crowell, Attorney.
Sept. 21, 1918.

Probably the oldest nun in the United States is Sister Mary of St. Michael of the Convent of the Goodherb in Newport, Ky., who recently celebrated her hundredth birthday.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE BY TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY.

Under and by authority vested in the undersigned trustee and received in bankruptcy of Brown-Knox Mercantile Company, a corporation, bankrupt the undersigned will sell for cash, to the highest bidder, at or near the County Court House door of Mecklenburg County, N. C., at or soon after 12 o'clock M. on the third Monday, the same being the 16th day of December, 1918, all the real estate owned by the Brown-Knox Mercantile Company, a corporation, bankrupt in both Mecklenburg and Cabarrus Counties, N. C., and the same being described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Lying and being in the County of Cabarrus, State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows: Lying in No. 3 Township, adjoining the lands of Mrs. Wm. Pope, Johnson and others, and being lot No. 3 in the division of the lands of the late Kirby Pope, deceased; BEGINNING at an iron stake by the edge of an immovable rock also has a bearing of S. 4 W. 17 feet from a small hole cut in a large rock as a pointer this being a corner of lot No. 1, of Mrs. Wm. Pope's lot and runs with her line S. 4 W. 102 poles to the old beginning point of lot No. 1; thence due East 165 feet to an oak on the bank of the river; thence N. 23 E. 103 feet to a willow; thence N. 11 1-2 W. 110 feet to a sycamore; thence N. 64 1-2 E. 175 feet to a double ash; thence S. 80 1-2 E. 156 feet to a sycamore; thence S. 65 1-2 E. 90 feet to a large birch; thence the same course, S. 65 1-2 E. 6 feet to a stone in the mouth of a large branch, this being where the old mulberry tree stood, the old corner; thence N. 3 1-2 E. 125 poles to a large stone planted in the ground; thence S. 79 1-3 W. 20 poles to an iron stake by dogwood bushes, this being a corner of the Johnston lands; thence with the Johnston line N. 68 W. 25 poles to an iron stake in the road and on the Johnston line and a corner of lot No. 2; thence with the line of Lot No. 2 S. 25 1-2 W. 48 1-8 poles to the beginning, containing 47 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Lying and being in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at stone Pope's corner on the bank of Rocky River and runs with his line N. 89 poles to stone corner of lot No. 3; thence with No. 3 N. 75 W. 25 poles to stone corner of lot No. 5; thence S. 60 poles to black gum on the bank of the river, thence down the river as it meanders to the beginning containing 11 1-2 acres.

THIRD TRACT: Lying and being in Mecklenburg County, North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at black gum on the bank of the Western prong of Rocky River, and runs N. 60 poles to a stone of the lot of I. L. Fulham; thence with his line S. 75 W. 55 Poles to a stake on the bank of said river; thence down the river as it meanders to the beginning containing 15 acres more or less—the same lots No. 4 and No. 5 of the division of the lands of Isaac L. Fulham deceased. For a more complete description of the above described land reference is here made to the deed from R. H. Benson to Maggie L. Benson on the 20th day of November, 1907 and registered in Record of Deeds No. 70, page 94 of the Register's office for Cabarrus County, and also in Mecklenburg County, same being last tract described in said deed.

FOURTH TRACT: Lying and being in Lemley's Township, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina and bounded and described as follows: Being three and one-third (3 1-3) acres, another small distribution which came to be in a second allotment, and my entire interest in the T. A. Gibson land—excepting, however, my undivided interest in the dower tract. Being in all respects the same land, together with all interests, rights and easements therein conveyed to Brown-Knox Mercantile Company by N. E. Gibson and wife, Laura Gibson by deed dated December the 9th, 1912 and recorded in Book 303, page 142 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg County, N. C., and to which reference is hereby made, and the undersigned will sell all the rights and interests of the Brown-Knox Mercantile Company in any way whatsoever in and to the lands aforesaid.

FIFTH TRACT: Lying and being in Dewese Township, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina and bounded and described as follows: BEGINNING at an iron stake on the Charlotte and Statesville Road, corner of Lot No. 2 and runs N. 37 E. 60 feet to an iron stake; thence N. 52 W. 150 feet to an iron stake, corner of Lot No. 4; thence with line of Lot No. 4 S. 37 W. 60 feet to an iron stake; thence S. 52 E. 150 feet to the beginning, the same being and known as lot No. 3 in Block "B" in "A. E. Armour's North side Addition" plot of same being duly recorded in Register of Deeds' Office in Mecklenburg County, N. C., this said lot of land was conveyed by deed dated June 20 1911, by Arthur E. Armour to W. L. Torrance and recorded in Book 280, page 104 in the Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg and Cabarrus Counties by the said Brown-Knox Mercantile Company, bankrupt, at the time of the adjudication of said corporation to be bankrupt, and whether all of its said real estate in both of said counties be included in the above descriptions, any and all other real estate owned by said corporation either in Mecklenburg or Cabarrus County at the time it was adjudicated a bankrupt if not sufficiently and properly described above will also be sold by the undersigned at the time and place aforesaid, the purpose of this sale being to sell any and all of the real estate of the said Brown-Knox Mercantile Company, bankrupt, in both Mecklenburg and Cabarrus Counties, to make assets with which to pay its debts, in the respective order in which its said debts should be paid.

This the 15th day of November, 1918.
T. A. ADAMS,
Trustee and Received in Bankruptcy of Brown-Knox Mercantile Company, a corporation, bankrupt.

GENERAL ORDERS

FOR CIVILIANS

These Orders Apply to Civilians Just Returned From the Army.

1. To take charge of my lady friend as well as any other fellow's lady friend who may appear in view.
2. To walk the streets and avenues in a military manner keeping always on the alert and observing every female that approaches within sight or hearing and at no time forgetting to demonstrate by word and action, the fact that I have lately returned from the army.
3. To report to my lady friend's father all attempts on her part to flirt or disobey instructions that I have given her.
4. To repeat regularly all calls on my lady friends, being especially careful to call around at meal time.
5. To quit my post outside of the large drug store in town or at the stage door of the opera house, only when I am convinced by a limb of the law that it is not wise to linger any longer.
6. To receive, obey and pass on to those who relieve me at the aforesaid posts, all orders from the policeman on post, the drug store proprietor or stage door keeper.
7. To talk to no one except those whom I am sure will believe my stories of camp life or exploits while in the army.
8. In case of fire or disorder, to take no notice of same unless it should occur in the neighborhood of a seminary or boarding school.
9. To allow no strangers in town to commit a nuisance, such as lounging on my post.
10. In any case not covered by instructions to call upon the telephone all of my lady friends.
11. To salute with gusto, all females under the age of 50.
12. To be especially watchful at night and during the hours for courting to challenge any and all fellows on or near my lady friend's front porch and to allow no one to pass unless he is a member of the lady's immediate family.

Rev. T. W. Smith will preach at Patterson Mill Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

A DEAD STOMACH

Of What Use Is It?

Thousands? yes hundreds of thousands of people throughout America are taking the slow death treatment daily.

They are murdering their own stomach the best friend they have and in their sublime ignorance they think they are putting aside the laws of nature.

This is no sensational statement; it is a startling fact, the truth of which any honorable physician will not deny.

These thousands of people are swallowing daily huge quantities of pepsin and other strong digesters, made especially to digest the food in the stomach without any aid at all from the digestive membrane of the stomach.

Mi-on-a stomach tablets relieve distressed stomach in five minutes; they more. Taken regularly for a few weeks they build up the rundown stomach and make it strong enough to digest its own food. Then indigestion, belching, sour stomach and headache will go.

Mi-on-a stomach tablets are sold by druggists everywhere and by Gibson Drug store, who guarantees them.

A GOOD FRIEND.

A good friend stands by you when in need. Concord people tell how Doan's Kidney Pills have stood the test. Mrs. J. W. Cline of 147 E. Depot St., Concord endorsed Doan's three years ago and again confirms the story. Could you ask for more convincing testimony?

"About ten years ago I suffered with lumbago and kidney disorder," "I couldn't get around, the attacks were so bad. My backs ached most of the time and there was hardly any letup to it. My kidneys acted irregularly and I was in a pretty bad way. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended so highly. I got a supply at Gibson's Drug Store. Two boxes were all that was required to make me feel better. Five boxes made me feel like a different woman and I haven't been bothered since." (Statement given March 13, 1915)

On May 9, 1918, Mrs. Cline said: "I haven't used a kidney remedy since I recommended Doan's Kidney Pills before. What I formerly said I now confirm."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Cline had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cabarrus county, made in the special proceeding entitled "Southern Loan & Trust Company, administrator of Hiram Alexander, deceased, vs. Esther Alexander and others," the undersigned commissioner will on Monday the 30th day of December, 1918, at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door in Concord, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash that certain lot of land lying and being in Ward No. 4 of the City of Concord, and described as follows:

Beginning at a stake on the north side of the old National Road, now West Corbin street, and runs thence N. 27 1-2 W. 100 feet to a stake, a new corner, Robert McCree's corner; thence S. 65 W. 72 feet to a stake, a new corner; thence S. 38 1-4 W. 45 feet to a stake, Robert McCree's corner; thence S. 22 1-4 W. 96 feet to a stake on side of West Corbin Street; thence with said street N. 57 1-4 E. 121 feet to the beginning, containing 1.4 of an acre, more or less. This lot is a part of a tract of land formerly owned by Robert McCree and is of the Fenix Flour Mill, and is evidenced by a deed duly recorded in Record of Deeds No. 53, page 602.

The above land is sold subject to the dower of Esther Alexander.
This the 26th day of November, 1918.
C. A. ISENHOUR,
Commissioner.

AGRICULTURAL COLUMN.

R. D. GOODMAN
County Agent.

Don't forget the State Livestock Meeting in Charlotte at the Fair Grounds, Dec. 10-11-12-13 and make your arrangements to attend and see the sales of Duroc Jersey hogs, Guernsey cattle, Jersey Cattle Argus, and Hereford cattle and different breeds of poultry.

It will be well worth your time to see these representative animals of the different breeds all together and so close to home.

Don't forget to wait until the ground gets dry enough to do your fall plowing for next year's corn crop and don't forget to plow the land good when its gets dry enough.

If you haven't sowed all the rye you intended to sow, sow it the first half of December as at this late date it will make a green crop to turn under next Spring and increase the small amount of humus now in the soil.

By all means examine all your cattle and hogs and see that they are free from lice as it takes extra feed for these visitors and feed is so scarce and high priced to feed to cattle and hogs to grow lice. Store all your roughage and grain so it will save and feed all the live-stock you have a sufficient amount to keep them in good condition during the winter.

Try and trap and poison all the RATS you are now wfeeding as they are the most destructive and dangerous of all animal pests, annually destroying foodstuffs in the United States worth \$200,000,000.

It is now time to place your orders for improved seeds. Those ordering Improved Cotton Seed, King, Cook and Cleveland, made all the way from one-fourth to almost double the yield of the regular gin run seed that they had been planting. Without seed that have been bred up for high yielding qualities you cannot make the largest possible yield although you have fertile soil and a good season though the seed alone will not make the crop still they are one of the most important factors in high yield.

It will be impossible to get first class seed if you don't place your orders right away as all the people producing high class seed can't near supply the demand and of course they honor the first orders and I would advise you to get enough to plant a few acres and grow enough seed to plant your entire crop in 1920.

I will be in the office Saturday Dec. 7 and try and put all those wanting good seed in touch with growers that guarantee their seed to be first class.

The farmers named below have been appointed township Agricultural Advisers for your county:
No. 1 township, Rev. T. H. Spence.
No. 2 township, G. H. Cline.
No. 3 township, H. B. Emerson.
No. 4 township, W. N. Cline.
No. 5 township, M. J. Shinn.
No. 6 township, J. A. Suther.
No. 7 township, Jno. H. Moose.
No. 8 township, J. L. D. Barringer.
No. 9 township, Jno. L. Petrea.
No. 10 township, C. W. Bost.
No. 11 township—W. F. Litaker.

It is desire that these farmers secure the foreign address of each farmer-boy in his township who is now in the army, not in the camp, but in foreign service. We want the names of the boys who were at work on the farms when they entered the service, and will work on the farm if they are released from the army. It is not certain that all the soldiers for whom we ask release will be discharged from the army, but we expect to make an effort to get the release of as many as possible in order that we may have sufficient farm labor to carry on the farming of the country. We have a great undertaking if we produce food enough for our own people, and still have enough to feed the people of Europe and prevent the spread of Bolshevism over the world, which is even now a greater menace to the world than autocracy. This information is wanted by the 20th of December, and I call upon all the people of the county to lend a hand in ascertaining the following information: The name and rank of the soldier, his complete foreign address the name of the camp where he was trained, whether he worked on the farm before going to the army, and whether he will work on the farm if he is released. The parents or guardian, wife or other relative should at once inform the township Adviser of these facts. It is not expected that the township Advisers get out over the township and find out about these men but their relatives must furnish them the information. Please attend to this immediately. The soldiers may not have worked on home farm. The man who worked as a farm laborer may be just as useful as a boy who was working on his father's farm. What is wanted is the names of the farmer boys now in foreign service. All the boys in the camps will soon be at home. Some of the boys in foreign service will soon be at home, but we need, and must have more farm labor, and we are going to ask for the release of farmer boys. This information must be in my hands not later than December 20, 1918.

Yours truly,
R. D. GOODMAN,
County Agent.

Committee:

OUR CLUBBING RATES.

The Times offers clubbing rates with the following papers:
The Times and the Progressive Farmer, one year, \$2.25.
The Times and the New York Thrice a Week World, one year, \$2.25.
The Times and the Atlanta Thrice a Week Constitution, one year \$2.25.
These rates hold good only until December 31, 1918. After that date the price will be 50 cents higher on each clubbing rate.

Ex-Kaiser's Third Son Joins Present Government.

London, Dec. 6.—Prince Adalbert, third son of the former German emperor, has joined the present government, according to a Berlin dispatch to the Express. He is now at Potsdam, it is said.

You'll Never Know How Good This Coffee Is Until You Try It.



WORDS cannot adequately describe the fine flavor of Luzianne Coffee. You've got to taste it yourself. Won't you try Luzianne next time?

Luzianne is packed in sanitary, airtight, full-measure tins—impurities can't get in and the flavor can't leak out. It has been made very easy for you to get acquainted. You take no chances. If Luzianne doesn't taste better than any other coffee you ever tried, your grocer will refund your money. So, buy that first can today.

LUZIANNE coffee

"When It Pours, It Reigns"

SERIOUS DISORDERS IN BERLIN.

The Trouble Has Been Caused by the German Bolsheviki.

London, Dec. 6.—Serious disorders have arisen in Berlin, and considerable firing has occurred in the principal streets, according to reports reaching the Dutch German frontier, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam. The trouble is said to have been caused by the German Bolsheviki.

Storm Warnings Issued.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Southwest storm warnings were ordered up late today from Norfolk to Boston, the weather bureau reported tonight.

One-third of the county treasurers in Kansas are women.

"The one best thing to set you right—When you start to cough at night."

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

COUGHING during the day is bad enough. The racking and straining weakens and debilitates the system. When you add the loss of sleep, the nervous drain, the irritation and annoyance of wakeful nights, a cold quickly "wears out" the sufferer, and he or she is in no condition to ward off attacks of more serious sickness.

Prompt steps should be taken to check coughing at night—not only for the sake of the afflicted one, but for the comfort and health of the other members of the family.

How to Check Coughs and Colds

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound brings relief from day or night coughs, whether the result of cold or la grippe, bronchial affection, spasmodic croup or whooping cough.

It is a boon to young and old—prompt, efficient, safe, Contains no opiates.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the throat of phlegm and mucus, stops the tickling in the throat, eases the hoarseness, opens the passages for easier breathing, and coats the raw, inflamed surfaces with a healing, soothing medicine. One or two doses in the early evening usually frees the sufferer from attacks of coughing and enables him to enjoy a refreshing night's sleep. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar Compound comes in three sizes.

Sold Everywhere.



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A Rayo Reflection

When your boy comes back let the bright radiance of your smile and the cheery presence of the Rayo Lamp reflect your welcome.

Its generous soft glow—without flicker or glare—gives light wherever needed. Best for all fine work—can't strain the eyes.

Rayo Lamps are simply designed—portable—no trouble to light, clean or re-wick—economical to buy and to use.

Aladdin Security Oil gives best results. Ask to see the Rayo at your dealer's.

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