

**Questions and Answers
About The Social
Security Act**

Question: I am going to accept a position with a United States firm in their branch office in Central America. Will I need a social security account number while working for this firm in their branch office in a foreign country?

Answer: No. If the work you do is done entirely outside the United States you would not be covered by old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act.

Q: I heard two men arguing the other day about the number of employees a firm must have before it is subject to the old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act. One of the men said he had been offered two jobs and he thought he should take the job that would enable him to have a social security account. He seemed to think that a company having less than eight employees is not covered by the Social Security Act at all. The other man said that the law applies to any industrial plant or business firm even though it has only one employee. Which one was right?

A: There has been considerable misunderstanding in regard to the number of employees. A business having less than eight employees is exempt from taxation under most State unemployment compensation laws. But under the taxing provisions of Title VIII of the Social Security Act, which relate to old-age insurance, it makes no difference whether a covered employer has one, ten, or a hundred employees, he is required to pay tax on the wages of every worker in his establishment under the age of 65.

Q: My husband worked for two years after the Social Security Act became effective, and one percent of salary was deducted every week from his wages for old-age insurance. However, he was unemployed for two months before he died. I am wondering whether or not it will be possible to collect his old-age insurance benefits now, since he was unemployed before he died?

A: You should go to the nearest Field Office of the Social Security Board and file claim for the old-age insurance lump-sum benefit due under your husband's social security account. The fact that he was unemployed for two months before his death does not affect the lump-sum payment due, except that if he had worked two more months, the amount of the payment would be a little larger. When filing claim for benefit due under your husband's social security account, you should give his social security account number and the name of the firm, or firms, for whom he worked during the time he was covered by old-age insurance provisions of the Social Security Act.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of George M. Clark, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of the said George M. Clark to present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for payment, on or before May 18, 1940, otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are notified to make immediate payment to the undersigned. This May 17, 1939.

G. D. WATKINS, Admr. of George M. Clark, dec'd. Lawsonville, N. C. L. H. van Noppen, Atty, Danbury, N. C.

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NORTH CAROLINA: FORSYTH COUNTY: NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

Pursuant to authority contained in the deed of trust recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Forsyth county in book 159 of deeds of trust at page 296 and in the office of the Register of Deeds of Stokes county in

book 93 of deeds of trust at page 184, which was executed to the undersigned trustee by Val Hairston and wife, Fannie Hairston, on March 5th, 1923, the said Val Hairston and Fannie Hairston having defaulted in the payment of the said note secured by the said deed of trust, and the holder of the note having requested the undersigned trustee to advertise for sale and sell the land described in the said instrument at foreclosure in accordance with the terms thereof, I hereby give notice that, on SATURDAY, JULY 15TH, 1939, at 12 o'clock noon at the door of the courthouse of Forsyth county in Winston-Salem, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the parcels or tracts of land described in the said deed of trust as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning at a stone on the west side of the Southern Railway and runs west on the line of Elvina Ring 7 chains and 7 links to a stone and pointers: thence S. 21 degrees W. along her line 14 chains and 25 links to a stone on Patrick Hairston's line; thence east along his line 20 chains and 10 links to a stone on the west side of the Railroad; thence along the line of the Railroad north 25 degrees

west 16 chains and 50 links to the beginning, containing 21 1-2 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning at a stake, Shemel Hairston's corner in J. S. King's line, running north on said Hairston's line 26 chains to a stake in Fannie Hairston's line; thence east on her line 7 chains to right-of-way of the Southern Railway Company; thence with said railway company 2 chains to a stake; thence south, a new line, 23.73 chains to J. S. King's line; thence west on his line to the place of beginning, containing 22 acres, more or less. This being lot No. 3 in the division of Patrick Hairston lands.

This the 15 day of June, 1939. L. C. M'KAUGHAN, Trustee. John J. Ingle, Attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY.

Stokes County vs. J. R. Hill and wife, M. A. Hill. By authority of an order made and entered on the 5th day of Sept., 1932, in the above entitled cause by J. Watt Tuttle, Clerk of Superior Court of Stokes county and by authority of a further order made and entered in the

above entitled cause on the 10th day of June 1939, the undersigned commissioner will expose for sale, for cash, to the highest bidder, at 11 o'clock A. M., on JULY 8TH, 1939,

the following described real estate:

FIRST TRACT: "Beginning at a chestnut; thence south 50 1-2 poles to a black gum; thence W. 75 poles to a Spanish oak; thence north 50 1-2 poles to a sour wood in Lackey's old line; thence east 79 poles to the beginning, containing 25 acres, more or less, adjoining the lands of J. R. Hill and formerly the lands of John and Jim Leake, and it being the same tract of land that was conveyed by deed from Alex Vernon, Admr., of Floriana Fair, deceased, to John R. Hill, which deed bears date of 23rd day of Sept., 1905, and recorded in Book No. 50, at page 575, reference to which is hereto made for further description."

SECOND TRACT: "Beginning at a chestnut oak on the north bank of a branch and runs east with J. R. Hill's line 39 chains to a black gum; thence south 14 1-2 chains to a post oak; thence west 6 1-2 chains to a bunch of alders in a branch; thence up the meanders of said branch 37 1-2 chains

to the beginning, containing 31 1-2 acres, more or less."

THIRD TRACT: "Beginning at a small Spanish oak in formerly Mabe's or D. R. Smith's line; thence 50 1-2 poles to a sourwood corner in (formerly) Lackey's line; thence west 79 poles to a Red oak, formerly Lackey's corner; thence south 50 1-2 poles to a chestnut oak on the east side of a branch; thence east 79 poles to the beginning, containing 25 acres, more or less."

FOURTH TRACT: "Beginning at a point on the south bank of a road east of John Hill's house, east 65 poles to a post oak in a hollow; thence north 30 degrees west 22 poles to a bend in the road; thence south 77 1-2 degrees west 20 poles to a bend; thence south 76 degrees west 12 poles to a bend south 55 degrees west 21 1-2 poles to the beginning, containing 4 1-2 acres, more or less."

Tracts Nos. One, Two, Three and Five will be sold as a whole together, and Tract No. Four will be sold as a whole. The above lands to be sold subject to an increase bid and confirmation of the court.

This the 8th day of June, 1939. DALLAS C. KIRBY, Substitute Commissioner.