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Lest We Forget

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech or of the press.

—U. S. Constitution

Politics in 1942

The outlook for normal political activity in 1942 is not bright. Although about half the superior court judges all of the solicitors and some of the Supreme Court justices will have to face the electorate to get new terms. And all of them are expected to seek new terms.

Practically all offices in Vance county will be open this year, and unless the situation is different from what it usually is few of the incumbents will sweep in without opposition. But even here interest will be at white heat or only moderately so in proportion to the extent the war absorbs public attention. Rumbling over several incidents or conditions at different times in 1941 appeared at the moment to be shaping up competition here and there and may yet flare anew in the next three or four months to share attention with democracy's struggle to survive in the world.

It is rather early yet to determine definitely what may be expected in any section of the political field. But by the time the robins sing again and the winter winds cease to howl events will begin to shape up as the atmosphere clears, and it will be easier then to make choices as between political aspirants for all offices.

Every citizen knows without being reminded of it that it is greatly to his or her interest that capable men be chosen for places of public trust. And before any announcements have been made this can be mentioned without resulting accusations of criticism aimed at any particular individual.

Ought To Be Uniform

As has before been observed, it is difficult to comprehend an effective price control law which affects some essentials of daily life and exempts others from its provisions. In order to give the maximum in benefits to all the people, such controls as are established ought to be as nearly uniform as possible.

If Congress enacts regulations which confer upon one man the power to fix ceilings for all necessities except farm products and gives separate control for them to the secretary of agriculture or to any other person than the man in charge of the main job, no see is required to discern the trouble that may ensue.

No sensible person would deny agriculture any possible advantage that can come to it consistent with the common good. But if wages, clothing, hardware, building supplies, business and the like are to be restricted and farm products are to be entirely unrestricted, or nominally high-made an instrument in the distribution of responsible leaders ought to know that this job can be done and will be done.

Industrialists of the United States have responded with resounding pledges of their loyal cooperation and in the greatest confidence that they can move through Labor also ready to do its full share. And the men and women in America whatever they set their hands to. This is the time immediately ahead and the test that will prove victory for democracy when accomplished—perhaps even before the end may come before the last program is even half finished.

Whether labor, industry or the rest of us, each and every one has a vital stake in the struggle now locked in the hands of the fates. Those who have not appreciated the President will join hands with his most fanatical supporters to carry through the characteristic American fashion. Issues at stake in this war definitely transcend personalities. It is no longer a matter of whether one likes the President or any other official; today's pressing problem is to save democracy for this generation and those to come in the United States and the world.

Domestic matters can wait, and must wait, while we make it possible that there shall continue to be a home front to quarrel over between ourselves. As a people we find diversion in and get thrills from our local, State and national politics. But the greatest thrill of all will be for all Americans when they have annihilated aggressors from the face of the earth and when they can, now and forever, read their title clear as freemen with others of every race and nation. That goal will come quickly or will be deferred in just the ratio by which we gird for this mighty effort, which challenges all our energies and resources.

It may be a common cold to the rest of the folks, but the fellow who's got one is certain that it is extra special and that there never was one like it before.

What Do You Know About North Carolina?

By FRED H. MAY

1. What was the amount of national debt for every North Carolinian in 1940?
2. How many of North Carolina's first congressional delegation following the end of the War in 1865 were carpetbaggers?
3. Why did North Carolina suffer losses in accounting with the Federal government following the Revolutionary War?
4. How many years did James Iredell, North Carolinian, serve on the United States Supreme Court?
5. Who was the famous North Carolinian, of Tennessee, who became a major general in the Union Army?
6. What was North Carolina's financial losses during the war between 1861 and 1865?

ANSWERS.

1. $310.91.
2. Five.
3. The state's two senators and seven congressmen were allowed. Of these nine others four were killed by carpetbaggers. Three were Senator Joseph C. Abbott of Wilmington, Senator Jonathan Worth of New Hanover, Congressmen John Dewey of Randolph, Congressman Robert Paine of Edenton and Congressman David Heaton of New Bern. Governor Holden was established. The secretary of state, auditor and treasurer were appointed by the governor. Holden was impeached by the legislature and removed from office in 1870. Died at Alexandria in 1891.
4. Two. He died February 9, 1799, at Edenton.
5. Andrew Johnson, Greeneville, Tenn. He was military governor of Tennessee in 1862 when he resigned the governorship to become vice president. He succeeded to the presidency in 1865 when he resigned the Presidency in 1870. Died at Alexandria in 1891.
6. The direct property loss was $12,249,031. Total $200,755,934.

ANSWERS TO TEN QUESTIONS

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1. Australia, Great Britain, China and Dutch East Indies.
2. Iceland.
3. Tunis.
4. Submarine.
5. Wheeler.
6. Arctic Ocean.
7. Pasadena.
8. Power.
9. Table centerpiece.
10. Washington and Lee.

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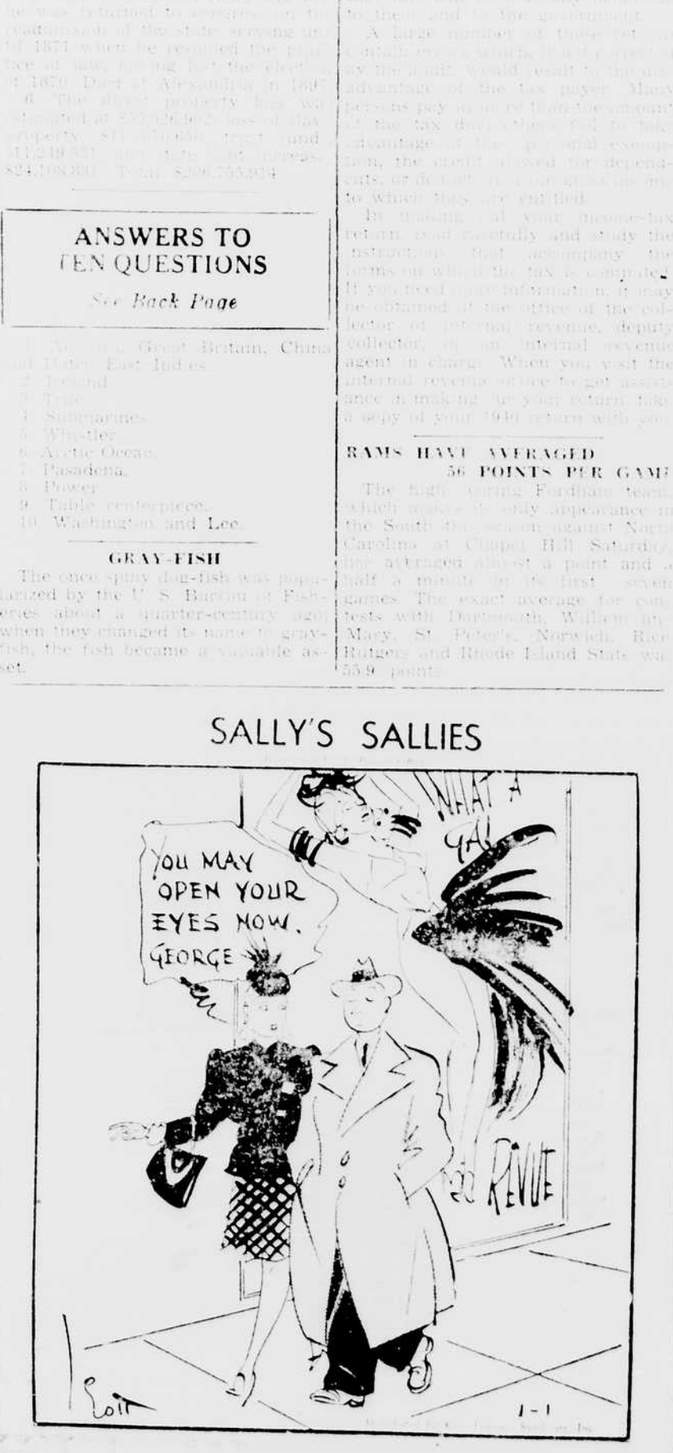

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This the 11th of December 1941.

MRS. ADA TYSON SWAIN.
D. P. McDuffee,
Attorney.
11-18-26-1-6-15

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE RE-SALE.

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in that deed of trust executed by Hunter G. Burroughs and L. W. Burroughs, her husband, Jewell G. Wallace and J. W. Wallace, her husband, as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Vance County in Book 184 page 280, and on request of the holder of the notes secured thereby, default having been made in the payment of said notes, I shall sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the Court House Door of Vance County at 12 o'clock, Noon, Thursday, January 22, 1942, the following described land:

Being ten acres of land more or less, on the West side of the Southern Railroad right-of-way of Dabney, N. C., long known as the old Butler home place, but occupied by E. S. Glover as his home for many years prior to his death, being bounded by the lands of C. D. Wyche, L. W. Burroughs, Mrs. F. D. Smith, and right of way of Southern Railroad, and on which tract of land is located the residence in which E. S. Glover lived up to the time of his death.

This is a second re-sale of the above described property. An advanced bid having been placed on the highest bid received at the former sale; bidding will begin at $4,041.62.

A deposit of not in excess of 10% of the successful bid must be made immediately after the sale. If the required deposit is not made as specified the above land will be offered for sale again at said Court House door at 2 p. m. the same day (January 22).

This January 5, 1942.

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
Department of State
PRELIMINAY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION.

To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

WHEREAS, It appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Cooper Company, a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at Wyche Street, in the City of Henderson, County of Vance, State of North Carolina (M. Y. Cooper being the agent therein and in charge thereof upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution.

NOW THEREFORE, I, THAD EURE, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did on the 7th day of January 1942, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 7th day of January, A. D., 1942.

THAD EURE,
Secretary of State.

(SEAL)
8-15-22-29

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