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THANK GOD FOR PEACE SAYS PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE

Gravely Tells Rejoicing Londoners That This is Most Wonderful Victory for Liberty in the History of the World—King George too Urges People to Thankfulness.

London, Nov. 11.—Cheers and shouts of "Lloyd George! Lloyd George!" thundering in Downing Street at noon today by a great crowd brought the Premier and Chancellor of the Exchequer Bonar Law to a second floor window of the former's residence.

For five minutes the crowd cheered and waved flags frantically and then they sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." The Premier stood passively and unsmiling, but his face was serene. When order and silence had been restored he said:

"You are entitled to rejoice. The people of this country and of their Allies and the people of our overseas dominions and of India have won a glorious victory. It was the sons and daughters of the people who have won it. It is the most wonderful victory for liberty in the history of the world. Let us thank God for it."

The Premier bowed and disappeared. Chancellor Bonar Law, after kissing his hand to the crowd as he pulled down the window, moved away.

Hardly had the Premier finished talking when a long file of shouting soldiers—British, Canadian, Australians, Americans and a few from the other Allied countries speared their way through the throng and managed to reach the front of the Premier's house, where they gave him a great ovation.

KING THANKS GOD

The assemblage that gathered in front of Buckingham Palace was nearly as great as that which greeted the Prime Minister at his home. Speaking from the palace balcony King George said:

"With you I rejoice. Thank God for the victories which the Allied armies have won and which have brought hostilities to an end. Peace is within sight."

The Lord Mayor, speaking from the front of the Mansion House, said: "Let us not forget that there is still work for every loyal and patriotic citizen in the reconstruction and many other problems which must arise."

At the Admiralty Sir Eric Geddes called for three cheers for Vice Admiral Beatty (Commander of the Grand Fleet) and these were given with great fervor.

A special service of prayer was held at St. Paul's in the afternoon, the Lord Mayor and Sheriffs attending.

LONDON AGLOW AT NIGHT

Bands and the pipers of the Scots Guards paraded through Whitehall, playing martial and patriotic airs. They were accompanied by singing crowds. Seldom before have the streets of London been paraded by such a hilarious swarm of people as today.

London tonight was better lighted than at any time since the first air raid by the Germans. Coast towns, at the request of the Admiralty, will remain in darkness for a short time. An order was issued today that screens might be removed from street and house lights, but owing to the coal shortage the number of lights must not be increased. Restrictions regarding the use of fireworks have been removed.

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HOW DEMOBILIZATION OF ARMY WILL BE BROUGHT ABOUT

Big Task of Preserving Balance of Power Labor—Every Phase of Demobilization Being Studied by War Department.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Nov. 12.—Demobilization of men in the military and naval service of the United States after their return from France will be carried out largely on a basis of the ability of trades and occupations to absorb them, under a plan worked by the Labor, War and Navy Departments and the War Industries Board. It was said today that the plan will be submitted to President Wilson in a few days.

The War Industries Board has sent questionnaires to employers in all industries, asking the needs of each for men and the answers will show when, where and how rapidly jobs will be ready for discharged soldiers and sailors and what trades are most in need of them. Supplementing this information will be that received from draft boards and community labor boards.

The war labor policies board and the United States employment service will be combined to handle the Labor Department's end. General Crowder was suggested by some officials as the man best qualified to deal with the task of preserving the balance of power of the labor supply without delaying demobilization operations.

Officials pointed out today that with the ending of hostilities there will be a great resumption of private construction and manufacturing held up and restricted because of war work, and that thousands of skilled laborers soon will be needed in all parts of the country for this work.

Secretary Baker said today that every phase of demobilization of the army is being carefully studied by War Department agencies, but as yet no plans have been finally formulated.

The question of the number of American troops to be retained in France or elsewhere in Europe is being studied on that side, Mr. Baker said, while the General Staff is preparing recommendations as to the number to be kept under arms in this country. The problem in Europe remains one of joint operations with the Allied nations in after-the-war guarding and other work to be done by the military forces and no conclusions of this point can yet be made.

Mr. Baker said several factors will govern the order in which men will be released from the army. It is obvious, he said, that as a matter of justice, men who had been longest in the service should be released first, but the industrial situation and the special need for men of a certain calling probably will modify the principle of making length of service a guide to order of muster out.

American Best Fed Army in the World
(The Statesville Landmark.)

"The American army is the best fed army in the world. British, Italians, French and Canadians have a training ration and a trench, or campaign, ration, the latter, of course, being higher in energy value than the former, according to an article in the Central magazine. American troops use the same ration throughout the service. Whether the soldier is in a cantonment or in a trench, his food is equally abundant, the only difference being that the list of substitute foods in France is not so extensive as in the training camp here. In both cases the United States ration possesses more energy value than any of the foreign trench or campaign or combat rations.

"The Italian ration allowance is three thousand and three hundred calories daily. This is now, as far as we know, higher than the German army ration. Next in the upward scale is the French ration of three thousand and six hundred calories; then the British of four thousand and three hundred calories; and on top of all our American soldier's daily allowance of from four thousand and six hundred to five thousand calories.

"But these figures, after all, mean little; for neither the British nor the American soldiers come anywhere near consuming their allowances. In fact, including the waste, high as it is, the American soldier can get away with only three thousand and nine hundred calories daily in the messes that have been analyzed, while his net consumption amounts to only three thousand six hundred and thirty-five calories per day.

Pershing to Farmers.
(Charlotte Observer.)

Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture, now in France with a committee of American agricultural representatives, has received from the commanding general of the American forces in France the following word of appreciation to the farmers of the United States:

American Expeditionary Forces, Office of Commander in Chief, France, October 16, 1918.

Hon. Carl Vrooman,

Assistant Secretary of Agriculture. Dear Mr. Vrooman: Will you please convey to farmers of America our profound appreciation of their patriotic services to the country and to the allied armies in the field. They have furnished their full quota of fighting men; they have bought largely of Liberty bonds, and they have increased their production of food crops both last year and this by over 1,000 million bushels above normal production. Food is of vital military necessity for us and for our allies, and from the day of our entry into the war America's armies of food producers have rendered invaluable service to the allied cause by supporting the soldiers at the front through their devoted and splendidly successful work in the fields and furrows at home.—Yours sincerely, John J. Pershing.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

The mercantile firm of Nash & Harris has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be continued at the same stand, next door to the Bank of Union, in the name of H. G. Nash, and the patronage of the public is solicited.

All persons indebted to the firm of Nash & Harris are notified to make payment to H. G. Nash. All persons holding claims against said firm will present them to H. G. Nash, who has bought the interest of L. L. Harris in this firm, and succeeds the business. This October 21, 1918.

H. G. NASH.
L. L. HARRIS.

NOTICE.

By virtue of an order made by the Clerk of the Superior court of Union county, in the Special Proceeding entitled "M. M. Winchester, admr., vs. J. Lee Polk et al," the undersigned will, on

Monday, 25th day of November, 1918, at 12 o'clock M., at the courthouse door in Monroe, N. C., sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, a one-third undivided interest in the following described tract of land, viz:

On waters of Three Mile Creek Branch, adjoining lands of W. H. Krauss, W. G. Winchester estate lands and others, bounded as follows: Beginning at a rock on the West side of the Potter road, D. J. Winchester's and W. H. Krauss' corner, near 3 mile branch, and runs thence with said Winchester's line 22 E. 8.37 chs. to a rock, said Winchester's and G. C. Long's corner; then with said Long's line S. 87 E. 12.50 chs. to a stake by 2 R. O., said Long's and W. G. Winchester's corner; thence with a line of the W. G. Winchester estate lands N. 81 E. 11.50 chs. to a dead R. O. by 2 Hys. and 2 P. O. in said estate line; thence S. 82 E. 20 chs. to a P. O. by 3 R. O., the old John Walker corner; thence N. 1-2 E. 27.50 chs. to a dead P. O. by 2 Hys. and 2 pines, a corner of the Penegar estate and W. O. Thompson; thence with W. O. Thompson's line N. 78 W. 23 chs. to a rock, Thompson's corner; thence with his line N. 21 W. 5 chs. to a rock, for nearly a pine, Thompson's corner; thence N. 80 W. 7.50 chs. with his line to a rock on the West side of the Potter road, Thompson's corner in W. H. Krauss' line; thence down the South side of said road with said Krauss line 38 chs. to the beginning, containing 134 acres, more or less, conveyed by A. W. Heath to J. W. Eason. See Book 15, page 57, and in Book 17, page 740; and being the tract of land conveyed by J. A. and J. M. Niven to Telitha V. Polk by deed registered in Book 23, page 626 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Union county, N. C.

This 21st day of October, 1918.

A. M. STACK, Commissioner. Stack & Parker, Attorneys.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

Having qualified before R. W. Lemmond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Union County, as administrators of the estate of Eli Whitley, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present them duly verified, on or before the 20th day of October, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt settlement. This October 20, 1918.

BELDON WHITLEY and OSCAR WHITLEY, Admsrs. of the estate of Ely Whitley, deceased. W. B. Love, Attorney.

TRUSTEE'S SALE REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust dated Oct. 10, 1916, by J. C. Vickery and wife, Adeline Vickery, to me as Trustee, and at the request of the holders of the bonds secured thereby, I will on

Saturday, the 23rd day of November, A. D., 1918, at twelve o'clock at the courthouse door in the city of Monroe, Union county, North Carolina, offer for sale at public auction for cash the highest bidder, that tract of land lying and being in Vance township, Union county, North Carolina, and bounded on the North by the Smart mine; on the East by the Black mine; on the South by the lands of J. F. Condor and on the West by the lands of Henry Vickery, and known as the Mead land, and was deeded by the Meads to J. C. Vickery and contains twenty-five acres more or less, and being the place whereon Adeline Vickery now resides, and this sale is made subject to the mortgage recorded in Book A. Q. page 452 to Mr. Lemmond.

The amount of the Lemmond mortgage will be figured up so that the purchaser will get a clear title to the property.

Reference is made to Book A. W. of Deeds, page 83 of the office of the Register of Deeds for Union county for a more particular description.

This the 18th day of October, 1918.

A. M. STACK, Trustee. Stack & Parker and J. C. Sikes, Attys.

NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of Thomas J. Gordon, deceased, late of Union county, this is to give notice to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before the 10th day of September, 1919, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt settlement, or cost will be added.

This the 9th day of Sept. 1918.

MITTIE K. GORDON, Administratrix. Stack & Parker, Attys.

NOTICE OF RE-SALE OF LAND.

Under and by virtue of an order of re-sale made in the special proceeding entitled D. B. Snyder, administrator of J. W. Rawlings, vs. Minnie J. Rawlings, et al., and by virtue of a raised bid on the third tract of land described in the position in the above entitled special proceeding, I will, on

Saturday, November 16, 1918, at the courthouse door in Monroe, N. C., offer for cash to the highest bidder that tract of land lying and being in Goose Creek township on the waters of Crooked Creek, adjoining the land of John Calvin Helms, and others, and containing 45 acres, and being the same tract of land conveyed to J. W. Rawlings by J. Milton Price and wife, reference being made to book 41, page 638 of the office of Register of Deeds for Union county, for a more particular description of said land. Bidding to begin at \$1100. This the 1st day of Nov., 1918.

D. B. SNYDER, Commissioner. Redwine & Sikes, Attys.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified before R. W. Lemmond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Union county as executors to the will of O. C. Hamilton, deceased, late of Union county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 18th day of October, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate settlement.

O. A. HAMILTON and W. B. LOVE, Executors.

NOTICE OF RE-SALE OF FARM.

Under and by virtue of an order made by R. W. Lemmond, Clerk of the Court of Union County, in a special proceeding entitled E. O. Bivens et al vs. Clyde Bivens et al, the undersigned commissioners will on

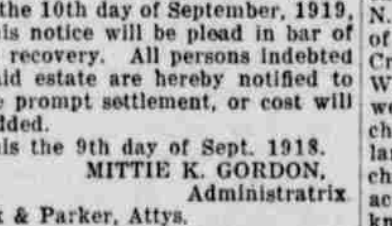
Saturday, November 16th, 1918, at 12 o'clock M., at the court house door in Monroe, N. C., offer for sale the following described tract of land, lying and being in Monroe township, Union County, N. C., adjoining the lands of Henry McCollum, J. T. Bivens and others and described as follows:

Beginning at a point by a pine stump in the old Cuthbertson line and runs thence S. 35 W. 17 chs. to a stone by a pine, R. O. and W. O., Cuthbertson's corner, now Henry McCollum's corner; thence S. 36 W. 4 chs. to a stone by a pond where the Turkey oak stood as called in the old deed; thence S. 15 W. 13.20 chs. to a stone by a R. O.; thence S. 74 W. 6.71 chs. to a stone, McCollum's corner; thence N. 14 1-2 W. 5.43 chs. to a white oak, corner of Liberty Chapel Church tract on the Olive Branch road; thence N. 26 W. 8.96 chs. to a stone in a hollow by a B. G. and W. O.; thence N. 64 E. 1.86 chs. to a stone by two B. G.'s; thence N. 64 4.14 chs. to a stone by a large maple near a spring, J. T. Bivens' corner; thence N. 15 1-2 W. 18.44 chs. to a stone on a branch; thence N. 19 W. 1.23 chs. to a locust on mouth of a branch; thence up Steward Fork Creek 20 chs. to a P. O.; thence 1-2 W. 3.40 chs. to a stake by two iron woods; thence N. 18 1-2 E. 22.54 chs. to a P. K., corner of Asgill Helms' land; thence S. about 69 E. 55.88 chs. to the beginning containing 109 acres. The above described land is known as the Abby Bivens estate land and was surveyed by R. W. Elliott, September 2nd, 1918, a plot of same may be seen in Clerk's office.

This land is being sold for partition among the heirs at law of E. E. Bivens, deceased. Terms of sale, cash. Bidding to begin at \$3000. This 25th day of October, 1918.

J. T. BIVENS and E. O. BIVENS, Commrs. W. O. Lemmond, Atty.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified before R. W. Lemmond, Clerk of the Superior Court of Union County, as administratrix of the estate of John E. Wentz, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against said estate to present the same duly verified on or before the 20th day of October, 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt payment. This October 20, 1918.

MRS. IDA WENTZ, Admx. of the estate of John E. Wentz, deed. W. B. Love, Attorney.

NOTICE

Having this day qualified before the Clerk of Superior Court of Union county as administrator of G. W. Collings, deceased, this is to notify all persons holding claims against my intestate to present them to me, duly authenticated, on or before the 10th day of September, 1919, or his notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate settlement and save costs.

This 9th day of September, 1918.

E. L. COLLINS, Admr. Stack and Parker, Attys.

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