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If you are troubled with chronic or muscular rheumatism give Chamberlain's Liniment a trial. The relief from pain which it affords is alone worth many times its cost. Obtainable everywhere.

To Our Customers

For reasons, which really, there is no need to go into, but which we will tell you the main one, we are compelled to ask every one ordering coal to arrange to leave cash at the house as we must positively insist upon the driver bringing back settlement for the bill in each case, when order is filled.

We all know that when some deliveries are paid for and some are not that it leaves a loop hole for the driver to spend the money and tell us that you did not pay. When it is cash every time he cannot do this without having the amount of the bill charged to him.

The main reason though that I started to tell you is the fact that the coal shippers are as independent as can be and only ship coal nowadays on a bank's certified check of C. O. D. bill lading attached to draft, which the buyer has to take up and pay for before he can even pay the freight on the coal.

If you do not wish to buy from us on cash basis, we are sorry, but is something we cannot help and we trust that no one will ask us to extend credit as we can only say no to such requests.

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Chestnut Oak Bark Wanted!

We are now issuing contracts for bark to be delivered at our sheds during the season of 1918. We will pay 5 cents per 100 pounds more to those parties contracting their peel to us than to parties not holding contracts. We reserve the right to stop issuing contracts whenever we feel that we have sufficient bark contracted to meet our requirements.

No contracts will be sent out by mail. Obtain contracts from Mr. A. Johnson, in charge of Mount Airy station.

This February 28th, 1918.

C. C. Smoot & Sons Co.

NOTICE
By virtue of the power contained in a certain deed of trust given by Charlie Potts to me as trustee, default having been made in the payments of the notes thereon secured I will offer for sale on the premises on
Saturday May 25 1918
at one o'clock the following described land:
Beginning on a stake in Dr. Jos. Hollingsworth line and runs west to a forked poplar; thence north to post oak in Worth Line; thence with said line West to a stake; South to a chestnut, Susan Shropshire corner, South on same line to a stake and her corner South to Bettie Stuarts line; thence East to James Evens corner; thence of said Evens line East to F. M. Cornwell corner; thence North to said Cornell line to the beginning containing 150 acres more or less. For further reference see deed to G. H. Wright and Sallie T. Wright from R. L. E. Wright and wife Mary J. Wright dated Feb. 15th 1896. Book 44 pages 340. Also deed from C. H. Haynes, sheriff of date June 17 1814 book 65 page 379. Also see deed Sallie T. Wright et al to Charlie T. Potts. Sale made to satisfy said notes.
G. E. Hutchens, Trustee.
E. C. Bivens, Attorney.

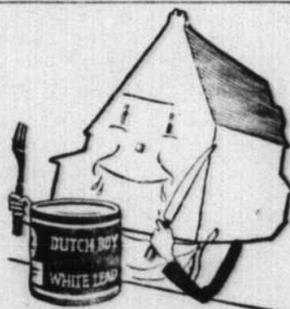
NOTICE
By virtue of the power contained in a certain deed of trust executed by C. J. Ring to the undersigned as trustee and duly recorded in the office of the Register of deeds and under and by virtue of certain chattel mortgages executed to C. F. Jackson and W. E. Sutin by C. J. Ring, default having been made in the payments of the notes thereby secured, I will offer for sale, for cash to the highest bidder on the premises on the
30th day of May 1918
at one o'clock P. M. the following property:
One soda fountain, four show cases, ice cream machinery, tables, chairs, stock of goods, refrigerator range and cooking utensils and all articles now being used in said building in the operation of restaurant.
Sale made to satisfy the indebtedness due thereon. The undersigned will be responsible for the rent of the building and debts contracted from this date until sale.
This the 29th day of April 1918.
E. C. BIVENS,
Trustee, and Att'y for Mortgagees.

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Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Mount Airy people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Could you, ask for stronger proof of merit?

Mrs. R. J. Banks, 142 Moore Ave., Mount Airy, says: "I have taken Doan's Kidney Pills on several occasions when suffering from kidney disorders and it has required only a few doses to overcome the trouble. I couldn't recommend anything better than Doan's Kidney Pills for irregular action of the kidneys."

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Whether your paint needs be small or great, you can be sure of finding what you want on our shelves, and whatever we sell you will merit your confidence.



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THE WAR, THE FARM AND THE FARMER.

Why the Farmer has been Slow to Get in the War, as told by Herbert Quick. Farmers can be Counted on.

Why the farmer has been slow to get into the War has been explained by Herbert Quick, member of the Federal Farm Loan Board, in a leaflet entitled "The war, The Farm and the Farmer." He says the main reason has been that no armed foe has invaded the United States. The night skies have not been reddened by the burning byres and farmsteads of America, that no raiding parties have harried us of our cattle or horses. Nor saber rattlers have insulted our women. In fact, it has seemed to many of us that we were not at war, the thing was so far off and it came to us in so unfamiliar a guise.

Again he says, "The farmer everywhere loves peace. The American farmer especially loves peace. Since the dawn of history the farmer has been the man who suffered most from war. All that he possesses lies out of doors in plain sight, and is spoil of war—his house, his grain, his live stock. He knows that he pays the price of war in "steer gear and stack" and that the flames that light the skies in the rear of every invading army are consuming the things that yesterday represented his life work, and the life labors of past generations of farmers.

But, he says: "The farmer everywhere is a warrior when war is the only thing which will make and keep him free—either a warrior or a serf. He cannot rally to the colors as quickly as can the dwellers in the cities, because it takes longer to send to the farms than to the cities the fiery cross of the call to arms. It takes longer to call the farmers from the fields than the city dwellers from the shops; for many do not hear the first blast of the trumpet, and others do not at first understand its meaning they have not had the time to talk the matter over with their acquaintances on the street corners, in the stores, on the cars, in the clubs, and at other gatherings, and instead of reading half a dozen extras a day, the farmer may read weekly papers instead of dailies, and must have more time in a sudden emergency to make up his mind.

Mr. Quick has great faith in the farmers' ability to win the war. He says, "The farmers of this country could carry the war to a victorious conclusion, even if all the Nations should quit. The rest will not quit; but we could win it without them if we had to do it. The farmers of the United States could whip Germany with guns, with the products of their farms, with their money. Every farmer in the United States must remember that the United States has a first mortgage on every cent that he has. The spare cent in his pocket should be devoted to the war. This is the crucial year of the war. Our soldiers are at the front, hundreds of thousands of them in the trenches and millions more ready to go. The whole burden of carrying on our part in the war and of aiding our sister Nations in arms rest on the United States Treasury. If the Treasury fails, Germany wins."

Son of Former Czar Proclaimed Emperor.

Copenhagen, April 27.—The Stockholm Aften Bladet says that definite reports have been received from Abo, Finland that Grand Duke Alexis Nikolaevitch, son of the former emperor of Russia, has been proclaimed emperor with Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch as regent.

When Emperor Nicholas abdicated the Russian throne at midnight March 15, 1917, he also renounced succession to the crown of his son, Grand Duke Alexis, in favor of Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovitch. The next afternoon Grand Duke Michael himself abdicated, thus bringing the Romanoff dynasty to an end.

Where the proclamation referred to in the foregoing report was issued is not apparent from the Copenhagen dispatch.

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Notice to Timber Men

We have orders for 20,000 No. 1. cross ties from White Oak, Post, and Chestnut oak, standard specifications of 7"X8"X8 feet and 6 inches long, when sawed and 7"X7" hewed, same length as sawed.

We also have order for 5,000 No. 2 cross ties, to be any size under the above sizes, down to 6"X7" and length to be the same as for No. ones, also to be from above kinds of oak timber.

Almost all timber haulers already know the specification and we mention this for those who will be getting out timber this year who have not made ties before.

Also all this timber must be sound, all knots smoothed off with the tie and all bark peeled off when either sawed or hewed.

A great many haulers lose their grade by measuring with their axe handles and we would ask that you cut a pole exactly eight and one half feet long and make all ties according to this length, and notch it for 7 inches to get face and thickness.

At this time we also wish to thank the hundreds of people who sold their timber to us last year and beg to assure them of the same fair and courteous treatment for the coming season.

The price, effective February 1st is 60 cents each for No. 1 ties and 50 cents for second class.

For Red Oak, Spanish Oak, and all other kinds of oak (except the above mentioned kinds,) also Hickory and Ash we will pay 50 cents for No. 1's, and 40 cents for No. 2's, same specifications as above.

Your Friends,

Shelton & Miller

At the same old stand near the depot.