

High Salaried Women Hold Important Government Posts Washington, Aug. 17.—Women are becoming a larger factor than ever in the running of the government.

When Miss Louise Stanley assumes the office as chief of the newly established bureau of home economics of the department of agriculture, September 1, there will be more than half a dozen high salaried women assisting in the activities of the nation.

Women now in executive position in Washington are scattered through many government departments and bureaus. Some of the higher paid are Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, assistant attorney general, \$7,500; Mrs. Helen H. Gardner, civil service commissioner, \$5,000; Miss Mary Anderson, director of the women's bureau department of labor, \$5,000; Mrs. Bessie Parker Brueggeman, chairman of the employes compensation commission, \$4,000; Miss Margaret M. Hanna chief of the correspondent division of the state department, Miss Lucile Atcherson, the first woman member of the diplomatic corps, and Miss Margaret R. Wilson, chief of the trading with the enemy division of the federal trade commission.

NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of D. F. Wolff, Dec'd., I hereby notify all persons having claims against his estate to present them to the undersigned at his office in Dobson on or before July 18th 1923, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate will please pay me at once. This July 14th, 1923.

A. D. FOLGER, Adm. of D. F. Wolff.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee on the 25th day of August, 1919, by Laura J. Midkiff and R. C. Midkiff recorded in Book 69, page 153 of the record of mortgages of Surry County, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the First National Bank of Mount Airy, on

September 3, 1923, at one o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, to-wit:

A lot known as the Laura J. Midkiff homeplace, adjoining the lands of Jim Midkiff, Dock Midkiff, and Ed. Snody, and Charles Fulton, containing some 17 acres of land, more or less, except 6 acres heretofore sold and conveyed. For particular description see deed of trust above referred to.

This sale is made to satisfy a claim due the First National Bank of Mount Airy.

This 28th day of July, 1923. W. F. CARTER, Trustee.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Surry County. In the Superior Court.

Rachel Bratcher vs. Ellis Bratcher. Notice of Summons.

To Ellis Bratcher: Take Notice, That an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Surry County, the summons in which action is made returnable on the 27th day of August, 1923, at the Court house in Dobson before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court, at which time the defendant is required to appear and answer the complaint on file in this office which action is for divorce, absolute, and let the defendant take notice that if he fail to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded. 8-17c This July 23rd, 1923.

F. T. LEWELLIN, Clerk of Superior Court

Notice Trustee's Sale of Land

By virtue of authority vested in me the undersigned, in a deed of trust executed to Edw. M. Linville on the 30th day of October 1919, for \$300.00 and recorded in the Register of Deeds Office of Surry County, N. C., in book 71 page 183, default having been made in the payment of the note therein secured, and at the request of the holder thereof, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction, in front of the Bank of Mount Airy, Mount Airy, N. C., on

Saturday Sept. 1st 1923 at one o'clock P. M.

The following described real estate:

Beginning at the East side of South street in the town of Mount Airy, N. C. at M. Sarnet's corner and runs with Sarnet's line East 90 feet to Shelton's line N. 1 deg. East 6 feet to Shelton's corner; thence with Shelton's line to Blizard's corner; thence with Blizard's line N. deg. E. 32 feet more or less to Mitman's corner; thence with Mitman's line West 166 feet more or less to edge of South street; thence with South street S. 2 1-3 deg. W. 52 feet to the beginning The same being lot No. 12 of the Land as sold by the Linville-Ball-Hutchins Land Co. on the above date. Sale made to satisfy a balance of \$73.00 principal, interest and cost of sale to add. This 31st day of July 1923.

C. M. BALL, Trustee.

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J. D. MINICK

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me on the 10th day of Nov. 1922 by W. L. Basse, J. Lether Wood, A. O. Bray, I. O. Wallace, A. V. West, and Frank T. Lewellin, Trustees of Mountain Park School to secure indebtedness of \$28,043.27, which deed of trust is registered in Book 81, page 82, records of trust Surry County, and on application of the Surry County trust named in said deed of trust, and on account of default having been made in the payment of said debt, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder at the court house door in Dobson on the 8th day of September 1923, at 1 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, estate and equity of redemption of the said trustees in and to the following tracts or parcels of land lying and being in Surry County, North Carolina, Bryan Township, adjoining the lands of D. C. Redwine, Will Shore and others and bounded as follows:

Beginning in the corner of Main and Nixon Streets in front of Mountain Park Baptist Church and runs with Nixon Street North 74.25 degs. East 17.8 chs. to a stake, then with the road North 80.5 degs. East 2.95 chs. to a stake, then with the road South 85 degs. East 11.6 chs. to a stake D. C. Redwine's corner then with the road South 59 degs. East 20.06 chs. to a stake in the old line of the Chat-ham tract, then with the said line South 19 degs. East 6.6 chs. to an old Chestnut corner, then South 45 degs. West 2.10 chs. to ridge road, then with said road North 46 degs. West 4 chs. to a stake, then with the road 81 degs. West 4.50 chs. to a stake, then with the road South 80 degs. West 3.50 chs. to a stake, then South with the road 79 degs. West 3.50 chs. to a stake, then South 45 degs. West 2.83 chs. to a stake, then South with the road 62 degs. West 3 chs. to a stake, then with the road South 69.5 degs. West 5 chs. to a stake, then with the road North 64 degs. West 4 chs. to a stake, then North 15.75 degs. West 6.10 chs. to a stake, then South 75.25 degs. West 15.61 chs. to a stake on Snow Street, then North 15.75 degs. East 2.3 chs. to a stake, then South 75.25 degs. West 2.3 chs. to Main Street, then with Main Street North 15.75 degs. West 10.60 chains to the beginning, containing 70 acres more or less, on which tract of land is located the Mountain Park School buildings. For deed to said Board of Trustees see record of Deeds No. 70, page 297.

From the proceeds of the sale the undersigned will pay off and discharge.

First; the deeds of trust executed prior to the execution of the deed of trust under which this sale is made, and the balance will be paid upon the indebtedness aforesaid, the total of which, with the said deeds of trust, amounts to \$28,043.27 and the excess above this amount, if any, will be paid to the Trustees or their assignees after payment of expenses of the sale.

Given under my hand, this Aug. 8, 1923.

J. W. Lovill, Trustee.

J. H. Folger, Attorney.

The sale of this property under the deed of trust will not prevent the opening of the School at Mountain Park, as Trustees of the school expect to make arrangement with whoever purchases this property that the trustees may open and conduct the school, notwithstanding this sale.

New President and His Wife

Washington, Aug. 15.—They say Mrs. Calvin Coolidge stays up until morning reading snappy fiction, but the President retires each night at 10.

Mrs. Coolidge is a movie fan. But flickering films make her husband's head ache.

She loves to dance. He can't.

She is fond of sports. He hates them.

She is a brilliant conversationalist, quick at repartee and full of fun. He is as silent as the Sphinx.

As a study in opposites, they take first prize. Which raises an interesting question. Since the President detests social affairs and his wife loves them, what does the clash portend for Washington society.

Will it be a gay administration or a quiet one? Will there be balls, fetes and benefits, with the White House gates flung wide, and the President dutifully donning his dress suit each night? Will there be a revival of the days of the gay Cleveland and the riotous Roosevelts? Or will it be all dull and prosy, with Coolidge trotting off to bed in good New England fashion as the clock strikes 10? Friends of the first lady predict she will inaugurate a gala regime. Not right away, of course, for Washington will mourn the death of its late President until late December, and there will be few social affairs.

"But after that," they say, "Mrs. Coolidge will keep things moving. She twists the President around her lithe finger. If she wants balls, she'll have them, for he's so crazy about her he wouldn't refuse her anything."

Coolidge, by the way, fell in love at first sight with the lady who "twists him around her finger." It was in the days when he "roomed and boarded," as New Englanders say, with the steward of Clark school in Northampton, Mass. The first lady was Grace Goodhue then, a teacher at Clark. And Clark was a school for the deaf. Coolidge was a struggling young lawyer poor as a church mouse.

One night the steward's wife invited the pretty teacher to supper, and there was the young lawyer. Soon as he saw her he loved her. But he bided his time. It was several months later that he arrived one day at the Goodhue home. Grace was at school, and Mr. Goodhue asked Calvin to be seated. He did, and then there was an awkward pause.

"Did you come on business, Mr. Coolidge?" queried Mr. Goodhue, seeking to break the silence.

"Why, yes," said Calvin, "if you call it that. I've come to ask Grace to marry me."

And a few weeks later she did. They went to Montreal on a honeymoon and were gone a whole week. When they came back they rented a furnished apartment in Northampton, moving shortly afterward to half the double house that is still their home. And Mrs. Coolidge did all her own work and never, never dreamed that one day she'd be social dictator of all the country.

Lowering Heavy Tanks With Melting Ice

Literary Digest.—Steel tanks used as brine-containers in ice-plants of the Union Ice Company of California are lowered to their permanent positions with the aid of blocks of ice which carry the weight of the tank while blocking is being removed and then, as the ice melts, allow the tank to settle to its foundation. Says a contributor to The Engineering News-Record (New York):

"The buildings in which these tanks are installed are not designed with a frame from which the tank could be suspended and the melting-ice method has been found cheaper and more satisfactory than erecting temporary means of supporting the tank while lowering it to position. The tank is riveted up on blocking three or four feet above this foundation in order that workmen may have access to the under side of the tank during the process of riveting, calking and painting. When the tank is finished the blocks of ice are placed and the tank is lowered on jacks until the ice carries the weight, after which all jacks and blocking are removed and the melting ice allows the tank to settle to final position. Two rows of ice-blocks were placed under it on 12-foot centers, and to hasten the melting process small wood-fires were built inside the tank, one over each supporting cake of ice. In the case illustrated, 800-pound ice-cakes were set on end. More frequently the cakes are set on edge. The tank can be quickly 'jacked down' to this height, which is sufficient clearance for the removal of all blocking. When the ice-cakes are on edge there is less danger of slipping or uneven settlement. With the aid of small fires in the tank the ice is ordinarily melted away in twelve hours.

Sydnor & Sparger Insurance Agents

MOUNT AIRY, N. C.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power conferred upon me by a Deed of Trust executed by L. E. Mosley and wife, Ella Mosley, on the 22nd day of November, 1922 and recorded in Book No. 85 page 92 of the Record of Deeds of Trust of Surry County, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash in front of the First National Bank, in Mount Airy, N. C. on

Saturday the 15th day of Sept. 1923, 1:00 o'clock P. M., the following property to wit:

1st: A tract of land adjoining the lands of J. Fulk, D. C. Kidd; lying and being in Eldora Township, and beginning at a Black Gum and runs South 15 deg. East 3 chains and 75 links to a stake in the Mount Airy and Siloam road; thence North 50 deg. West with said road 5 chains and 50 links to a stake in said road; thence East 3 chains to the beginning, containing 1 1-2 acres, more or less.

2nd. On the same day at the building occupied by the said L. E. Mosley as a store in Eldora Township at 10:00 A. M., I will sell to the highest bidder for cash all the merchandise contained in the said store building.

3rd. All farming tools and live stock belonging to the said L. E. Mosley.

Said sale made to satisfy a debt of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars due the First National Bank of Mount Airy.

The sale of the stock of goods is made by virtue of a Deed of Trust executed by the said parties on the 26th day of January, 1923, and recorded in Book No. 85 page 266. 9-8c This the 14th day of August, 1923.

W. F. CARTER, Trustee.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Surry County, Mount Airy Township.

S. A. Hennis, trading as S. A. Hennis & Company vs. W. H. Harden.

To W. H. Harden take notice:

That an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Recorder's Court of Mount Airy Township for the recovery of Two Hundred and Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars, due by the defendant to the plaintiff on contract, and the defendant is notified to appear before H. H. Lewellyn, Judge of the Recorder's Court of said township, on the 8th day of September, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., and answer or demur to the complaint and let the defendant take notice that if he fail to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded. The defendant is further notified that a warrant of attachment has been issued in this cause and is returnable on the 8th day of September, 1923, before His Honor, H. H. Lewellyn, Judge of the Recorder's Court of Mount Airy Township, at the town hall in Mount Airy, and that said warrant of attachment has been levied upon certain indebtedness of Lovell-Dix Company to the defendant.

Given under my hand, this Aug. 8th, 1923.

R. V. Deyerle, Clerk of Recorder's Court.

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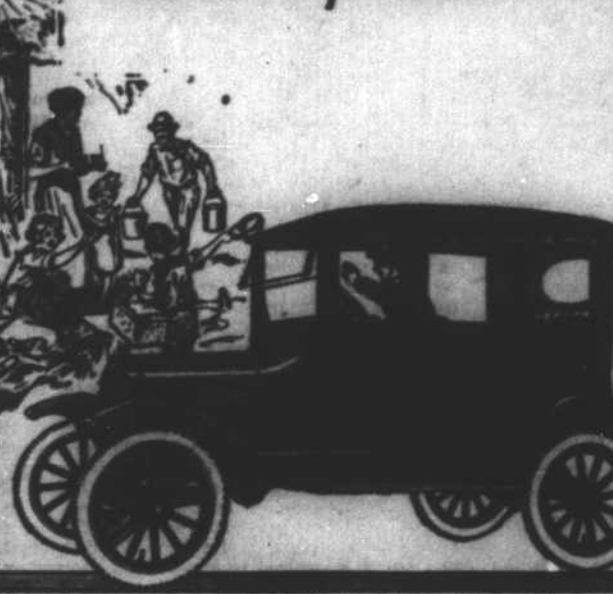
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Table with 3 columns: Model, Price, and Features. Rows include Light-Six, Special-Six, and Big-Six models in various configurations.

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