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# BENNETT'S

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**Notice Trustee's Sale of Land**  
By virtue of authority vested in me the undersigned trustee in a certain deed of trust executed the 7th day of Feb. 1922, by J. M. Slate and wife Daisy Slate to Edw. M. Linville, trustee for J. E. McBride to secure an indebtedness of \$833.90 and recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Surry County, N. C., in book 75 page 183, default having been made in the payment of the note therein secured and at the request of the holder, 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, January 17th, 1925 at one o'clock P. M., the following described real estate:

Tract No. 1. Beginning on a white oak corner of Lot No. 1 thence N. 5 chains and 33 links to a stake corner of lot No. 3; thence West 21 1-2 to a stake and pointers; thence S. 5 chs. and 33 links to lot No. 1; thence with the line of lot No. 1 21 1-2 chains to the beginning. Supposed to be 11 1-3 acres, be it the same more or less.

Tract No. 2. Beginning on a stake Abner Goings corner of lot No. 2 runs N. 53 3-4 to a stake; thence E. 21 1-2 chains to a stake, thence S. 5.23 to a stake; thence West with the line of Lot No. 2, 21 1-2 chains to the beginning. Containing 11.45 acres more or less. This being lot No. 3 of the Hardin Goings tract of land that the same being the lot that fell to Charles H. Goings.

Tract No. 3.—Sited on Clarks Creek and being a portion of the tracts formerly owned by Harden Go-

ings. See deed from W. L. Minter to William H. Going of date recorded in Surry County, N. C., Book 11, page 154, and the share allotted to W. M. Goings deceased, described as follows: Beginning at a white oak Southeast corner of old tract, runs West twenty-one chains and one-half (21 1-2) to a chestnut, north seven and one half (7 1-2) chains to a stake and pointers, thence East 21 1-2 chs. to a large white oak; South 7 1-2 chs. to the beginning, and containing 16 10-12 acres, be the same more or less. For full description see the partition report. This lot or the owner is entitled to one road crossing the other shares to his lot.

Sale made to satisfy a balance of \$733.90 principal, interest and cost of sale to add. This the 16th day of Dec. 1924.

Edw. M. Linville, Trustee.

**NOTICE**

Having qualified as administrator C. T. A. of W. A. Dunbar, deceased, of Surry County, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same, duly authenticated, to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of December, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This 12th day of Dec. 1924.

Geo. K. Snow, Adm. C. T. A.

**LARD CANS** for sale—25 lb. size. 25 cents each. Call at the News office.

**MRS. E. C. JAMES OF ELKIN DIED SUNDAY**

**Beloved Young Woman Succumbs To Complications Following Attack of Appendicitis.**

Elkin, Dec. 13.—The death of Mrs. E. C. James this morning at 9 o'clock in the local hospital has cast a pall of sadness over the entire town. A little more than two weeks ago Mrs. James underwent an operation for appendicitis, following which she had improved rapidly, until Thursday night when complications arose, causing a rapid decline in her condition, which earlier had been so favorable for her recovery.

In the passing of this one of Elkin's most tenderly beloved young women, the town and community sustains a distant loss. During her residence here, following her marriage four years ago, her life has been a constant benediction to those who knew her intimately, and her influence will be felt for years to come. Cultured, talented, refined, consecrated she possessed every element which goes to make up one of the most perfect examples of true womanhood. Her modesty, her loyalty and devotion to her home as well as to her church, Sunday school and missionary organizations with which she was affiliated were outstanding traits of her character. She was a devoted wife, an ideal mother and a homemaker in the truest sense of the word. Mrs. James' death this morning was typical of her life, her spirit just drifting out quietly, peacefully, without a murmur, or a struggle. She was a graduate of Meredith college, and possessed unusual talent in art. She was about 27 years of age, and is survived by her husband, two little sons, Jimmie and John Wilson, also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnston, of Weldon, and two brothers, William and John Johnston. The funeral service will be conducted tomorrow at 1 o'clock from the First Baptist church, following which the remains will be conveyed to her native home at Weldon for interment.

**Suffers Injury From Auto**

Sandy Owens, of this city, is out of the hospital where he spent three days following injuries he received Saturday night by being run over by an automobile from Thomasville. Sandy was on South Main street near Welch's store Saturday night, and while coming up town the high wind blew his hat across the street. In his haste to get it he unthoughtedly found himself in the path of a passing car. He was knocked down and considerably bruised up, but suffered no broken bones. The driver of the car immediately carried him to Martin Memorial hospital where he remained until his injuries improved. It is said that the owner of the car made a satisfactory settlement with Mr. Owens.

The habit of touching wood when we have boasted of our good luck is a throwback to the ancient tree worshippers. The primitive belief was that spirits resided in trees and wood was touched to call the attention of the tree spirit to the fact that his influence was recognized, and that he might not feel slighted and change good fortunes into bad.

**RED MAGIC**—Herald, the Master Magician is the Editor of the new separate four-page supplement printed in red, named "Red Magic," and given free with the New York Sunday World. This supplement contains baffling tricks and interesting tests; something to interest every member of the family. Start working on these puzzles next Sunday. To be sure of a copy, tell your newsdealer next Sunday you want THE WORLD.

**FOR SALE**—At Mountain Park, good 6 room new dwelling and 10 acres of fine land. Terms reasonable. Fulton Insurance Agency, Mount Airy, N. C. 12-20c

**GET YOUR ORDERS** for Christmas delivery of candy. Cream fudges, 50c per lb. Assorted bon bons and chocolates 80c per lb. Phone 353. Mrs. E. C. Seawald, City. tfc.

**THE best line of Hosiery** in town, "Phoenix" and "Allen A", all the wanted shades, and at lower prices than you've been paying. Burke's Dependable Store.

**LOST or stolen a hound dog** Nov. 8th Black back, tan head and ears white speckled breast and legs, white streak in face, white tip on end of tail, answers to the name of Jack. Finder please notify B. H. Childress, Moore's Orchard, Mt. Airy, N. C. 12-27p

**IF you are looking for dependable goods**, you can buy here, and at reasonable prices. Burke's Dependable Store.

**NICE TURNIP GREENS** for sale. Phone T. S. Ashburn's truck farm. No. 395. tfc

**CORD WOOD** for sale—See W. W. Burke, City. tfc

**FOR RENT**—One six-room house and several acres land, suitable for farming or trucking. On Fancy Gap road, right in town. See Dr. W. S. Taylor. tfc.

**HOUSES FOR RENT**—One Eight room house, on Spring street and four room house, on North Main St. See W. W. Burke. tfc

**WANTED**—Good coal heater. Phone 130. 12-12p

**CLOSE OUT** Price, 3 days, 17, 18 and 19th, we have fur overcoats at \$10.00, worth more. Simmons Clothing Co. The Better Clothes. Watch our ad next week.

**FOR SALE**—One new Ford Coupe and one 1920 model Buick apply W. L. Sydnor. 12-26c

**DO YOU want Nursery stock**, your trees pruned and treated, shrubs planted, replaced or rearranged, will be in town a few days only. Phone 366 or see C. F. Thompson, Tree Surgeon. tfc

**FOR SALE**—1923 Ford Roadster in fine shape. Will sell cheap for cash or good paper. Joe Fowler. 12-12p

**PRACTICAL gifts**, for Father, Mother, Sister, Brother or Friend. Dependable quality at reasonable prices. Burke's Dependable Store.

**FOR SALE**—A seven room house with large lot on Franklin street. Price \$6,500. Write Mrs. U. L. Robinson, Sanford, N. C., or see W. W. Christian at Bank of Mount Airy. tfc

**A STORE** full of useful, practical gifts; just the kind you'll want to send friends or family, priced very reasonable. Burke's Dependable Store

**FOR RENT**—7-Room House on Pine street, water, lights and garden. Phone 107. tfc

**THE BIGGEST STOCK** of Christmas handkerchiefs in town, fine quality, at reasonable prices. Burke's Dependable Store.

**YOU'LL find here just what you want**, Dependable Goods, at Reasonable prices. Burke's Dependable Store.

**BIG REDUCTION** on good farms for December only. Good roads, fine location, modern improvements, easy terms. Isom Dimmette, Lunsburg, Va.

**APARTMENTS FOR RENT**—Either 7 rooms for one family or 5 and 4 rooms for two families. Hardwood floors, private bath and 2 private entrances. Mr. Woodruff, 130 Church St. Phone 547. tfc

**THIS STORE** is showing a full stock of reasonable merchandise, suitable for Christmas giving, priced reasonably. Burke's Dependable Store

**FOR SALE**—A lot of good shacks also one good dining room table R. F. Sumner, 152 W. Poplar St., Mt. Airy N. C. 12-19p

You can get an early copy of The News at Crow's Book Store every week. Pinned on sale there immediately after coming from the press.

**ARE YOU TIRED, ACHY— ALL RUN DOWN?**

**This Mount Airy Resident Tells You How to Get Well**

Tired all the time?  
Lame, stiff and achy?  
Tortured with nagging backache?  
Knife-like twinges when you stoop or lift?  
Miserable with headaches, dizzy spells and bladder irregularities?  
All are signs of kidney sickness!  
Use Doan's Pills—a stimulant di-

retic to the kidneys. Here's Mount Airy testimony. T. L. Jacobs, butcher, S. Main St., gave the following statement July 13, 1918: "I caught cold which settled in my back and made it weak. My kidneys acted too freely and I had nervous headaches and felt tired all the time. I used Doan's Pills and was relieved." On April 22, 1923, Mr. Jacobs said: "Doan's have never failed to relieve me when I used them." 60c, at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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