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MARION, NORTH CAROLINA.**

NOTICE!

NORTH CAROLINA, In Superior Court, McDowell County. Before the Clerk.

Dan Kanipe, Admr. of N. H. Jimerson, deceased

vs
Ben Jimerson, Robert Jimerson, Eva Hollins and husband, Sam Hollins, Ellen Jimerson, Hessie Jimerson.

To Ben Jimerson:

You will take notice that a Special Proceeding entitled as above, now pending in the Superior Court of McDowell County, the plaintiff has filed a motion and petition to be permitted to sell that part of the lands of N. H. Jimerson, deceased, in McDowell County, which were allotted as homestead to his minor children on the 8th day of January, 1910.

You will further take notice that you are required to appear before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of McDowell County, at his office in the court house in Marion, on the 14th day of April, 1916, and answer or demur to the motion and petition of plaintiff, or the relief prayed for will be demanded. This 10th day of March, 1916.

THOS. MORRIS,
Clerk of the Superior Court.
Pless & Winborne, att'ys for petitioner.

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Notice—Sale of Land.

By virtue of a mortgage deed executed to the undersigned by Frank Flack and wife, Nancy Flack, on the 2nd day of May, 1913, to secure the payment of the sum of money therein named, default having been made in the payment of the same, the undersigned will sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court house door in McDowell county, on Saturday, April 15th, 1916, the following described land:

1st Tract—Adjoining the lands of E. W. Stroud, W. A. Brown and others, and conveyed to the said Frank Flack by deed from E. W. Stroud, dated 2nd day of April, 1898, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for McDowell county, in book 33, page 467, containing 14½ acres.

2nd Tract—Containing 4½ acres conveyed to the said Frank Flack by deed from G. L. Poteet and wife, dated Nov. 24th, 1902, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for McDowell County, in book 33, page 463, which said deeds are referred to for a more perfect description of said land.

This 11th day of March, 1916.

C. E. WARNER, Mortgagee.

More and better live stock is a mighty good 1916 slogan for McDowell farmers.

Story of Three Pigs.

College Station, Tex., Mar. 7.—To the boy who is interested in the farm there is no more interesting or profitable farm work than raising pigs. Were I a younger boy and back in dear old North Carolina I sure would join the pig club. At least that is what I used to think I would do. I think so yet but for one thing. Last year the boys let the girls beat them. Miss Rachel Spears of Forsyth county won the State championship prize in the pig clubs for 1915. Boys, get an old hen and set her, and see whether you can raise some chickens. But my! wouldn't that young lassie make some laddie a desirable wife. He wouldn't have a thing to do but get the bread. She would get the meat.

I started out to tell the boys a story of three pigs; but since the girls are the real pig raisers in North Carolina, I have changed my mind and shall tell it to the girls.

Girls, the profits you make out of your pigs depend upon the way you feed them. Last year the Experiment Station out here in Texas fed three pigs in the three customary ways of feeding pigs. They were named "Tom," "Dick" and "Harry." They were litter mates and were much alike in conformation and thriftiness. When they had been weaned a week and were 62 days old, they were weighed and put on feed. "Tom" weighed 24.5 pounds, "Dick" 27 pounds, and "Harry" 30.5 pounds. Note "Harry" weighed the most. Six months,

or 180 days later, when they were 8 months old, they were again weighed. They were now ready for the market. At this final weighing "Tom" weighed 330 pounds, a gain of 305.5 pounds; "Dick" weighed 277 pounds, a gain of 250 pounds; "Harry" weighed 125 pounds, a gain of only 94.5 pounds. Why such a poor showing with "Harry"? He weighed most at first.

It all depended upon the way they were fed. "Tom" was allowed to run in a pasture where he could eat all the grass and clover he wanted. He was also fed all the milo chops and the skimmed milk in the proportion of one pound of milo chops to 2½ pounds of skimmed milk that he would eat up clean. "Dick" was put in a dry lot and also fed all the milo chops and the skimmed milk in the same proportion that he would eat up clean. "Harry" was put in a dry lot and fed all the milo chops and the water he would eat. Water, however, is not a very fattening feed. The skimmed milk gave "Dick" the lead over "Harry," and the clover in the pasture and the skimmed milk gave "Tom" the lead over both the other two.

Out here where it does not rain enough to grow corn like it grows in North Carolina, most of the farmers instead of corn raise milo maize and kaffir corn. The first time one sees these crops they can not tell them from ordinary cane. They are the same kind of feed as corn and ten pounds of this feed equals nine pounds of corn.

At the final weighing they were marketed. After deducting their market value when put on feed and paying for their feed and care during the fattening period, there was a net gain of \$11.62 on "Tom"; \$6.39 on "Dick"; and a loss of 22 cents on poor old "Harry." "Harry" was not a sickly puny hog by any means. He was a round, slick, hard healthy hog. He just didn't grow big like his brothers. Like girls and boys he could not do well on bread and water alone. At the end it was found that "Tom" had consumed \$10.89 worth of feed; "Dick" \$11.62 worth, and "Harry" only \$4.89 worth. He grew tired of eating only one thing.

Girls, the story of these three pigs gives you the key to the situation. For your pigs have a permanent pasture, a mixture of grass and clover. Make temporary pastures by sowing rape, soy beans, cow peas. If you have some sandy land plant ground peas. Nothing excels them for hog feed. Finish on corn. For the last 25 or 30 days of the fattening period, make the ration two-thirds corn and one third cotton seed meal by weight.

G. M. GARREN.

Mushroom Farm for Buncombe.

Asheville Times.
John E. Nichols, formerly of Person county, now of Asheville, is planning to establish a mushroom industry near Asheville that will be among other things a decidedly good advertisement for the city.

According to the investigations of the United States department of agriculture, western North Carolina is one of the few places in the country where this edible fungus attains perfection. Eureka, California, Asheville territory and Blowing Rock are said to be especially adapted in climate and altitude for the production of this delicacy, highly esteemed for table use. It is said that 500 or 600 varieties can be grown here.

Mr. S. H. Hobbs of Sampson county, who is prominently identified with the State Farmers' Union, is a candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture to succeed Major Graham.

ANOTHER MARION CASE

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Just another report of a case in Marion. Another typical case. Kidney ailments relieved in Marion with Doan's Kidney Pills.

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FINAL TAX NOTICE!

All unpaid taxes are now delinquent, and all property is now subject to levy and sale for the payment of the same. Those who owe taxes will please settle at once, and save cost of levy and sale.

The county and the schools are needing the money and must have it. If your poll taxes are not paid on or before the 1st day of May, 1916, you cannot vote. Please give this notice due attention, for I must collect your taxes at once.

This March 1st, 1916.

Yours Respectfully,

**J. A. LAUGHRIDGE,
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