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MARION, N. C., MARCH 23, 1916.

Pay your poll tax before the 1st of May so that you can vote in the presidential election.

Four More Democratic Candidates.

The list of candidates seeking office in this county on the Democratic ticket has been lengthened by the addition of the names of Miles P. Flack for Representative, J. R. Ledbetter for Sheriff, A. W. Grayson for Treasurer, and R. L. C. Gibson for Register of Deeds. Mr. Flack is closely connected with the public life of the county, he is well informed on county affairs and would make an excellent representative. He is at present a member of the board of county commissioners. Mr. Ledbetter was a merchant here for several years and is well known over the county. He is a splendid gentleman, exceedingly popular, and is admirably fit for the position to which he aspires. Mr. Gibson is completing his third term as Register of Deeds and has performed the duties of this office with credit to himself and to the satisfaction of the people. He is exceedingly popular and accommodating and his supporters are predicting his re-election next fall by a good majority.

Says the News and Observer: "When there is any attempt to challenge Democratic efficiency in North Carolina the Republicans are butting their heads up against a stone wall. And there is another big stone wall when they attempt to make capital by an attack on the educational system of the State."

Lime is one article that no thoughtful person can afford to economize on. It destroys more microbes and germs than anything else on earth, but some people seem unable to understand and appreciate its value. Try a barrel around your premises, and note the result.

Ex-Judge H. G. Ewart, of Hendersonville, has written the French Broad Hustler, of Hendersonville, a letter in which he denies that Marion Butler captured the Republican State convention but admits that Butler's activity in the Republican campaign this year will have the effect of increasing the Democratic majority.

Your home paper comes to you as an old friend and neighbor, telling you all the home news while the large city paper enters your home as a stranger.

With the advent of warm weather, flies begin to multiply. The swatting campaign should begin early, both in town and in the country.

No Request Made for Hammer Impeachment.

Washington, March 18.—Representative James Jefferson Britt, the Republican member of Congress from North Carolina, told the Daily News' correspondent tonight that he had not received a request from either the Randolph citizens or former Senator Butler, requesting him to bring impeachment proceedings in the House against District Attorney W. C. Hammer, of Asheboro, who was charged with misconduct in office. The department of justice exonerated Mr. Hammer.

The paper shortage has become so acute that the Department of Commerce of the government has appealed to housewives to save old papers and rags. One million circulars have been sent out to be posted in post offices and elsewhere throughout the country urging that papers and rags be saved. The commerce department promises to put those who save papers and rags into touch with manufacturers.

Notice!

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina, at Greensboro. No. 988.

United States,
vs.

L. M. Turner, W. A. Nanney, George M. Bird, et al.

To Alex Yarborough; Virgil Butt, Alex. Tate, Jr.; Unknown heirs of Julius Yarborough; Jim Silver and Mary Silver, his wife; James Turner and wife, given name unknown; George Turner and wife, given name unknown; T. W. Brown; Hugh Brown; S. A. Brown, and S. W. Brown, his wife; Henry Phillips Jr., and wife, given name unknown; Unknown beneficiaries and heirs at law of James Bowron, deceased; William Moss Bowron, James Bowron and Joseph Bowron, Executors of the Estate of James Bowron, deceased; J. Wise Norton and Frances Norton, his wife; Unknown heirs of H. M. Brown; Henrietta Kistler, widow of Wilson Kistler, Sedgewick Kistler and Bertha K. Kistler, his wife; B. W. Fredericks and Gertrude Fredericks, his wife; H. Frederick Leash and Grace J. Leash, his wife, partners trading under the firm name of Burke Tanning Company; Alex. W. Wilson and wife, given name unknown; Alice Battle and Hubert Battle, her husband; Adolphus Wilson and wife, given name unknown; Cora Massey and husband, given name unknown; Charles Brown; Elizabeth Brown; Donald Mashburn and wife, given name unknown; Romulus Butt and wife, given name unknown; Unknown heirs of Stacy Kelly; Unknown heirs of Thomas Yarborough; Unknown heirs of J. Wise Norton and Frances Norton; Unknown heirs of William Moss Bowron; Unknown heirs of James Bowron; Unknown heirs of Joseph Bowron;

And all persons whomsoever owning or claiming to own any estate, lien or interest of any kind or character in and to the lands described in the petition in this proceeding.

You will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina, for the condemnation of certain tracts of real estate situate in the township of Marion, McDowell County, North Carolina, the first tract being the L. M. Turner tract, lying on the waters of Clear Creek, being a part of Grants 3180, 656 and 2127, adjoining the lands of Burke Tanning Company, George M. Bird and others, and containing 51 acres, more or less; the second tract being the W. A. Nanney tract, lying between the lands of J. A. Ayers and the Burke Tanning Company, and the top of the divide between Buck Creek and Clear Creek, being part of Grants 656 and

2127, and containing 23.52 acres, more or less; and the third tracts being the George M. Bird tracts 1 and 2, lying on the waters of Clear Creek, being parts of Grants 656, 3180, 6083, 6088 and 2127, adjoining the lands of Will Thomas, J. A. Rader, David Pritchard, Ervin Grindstaff and others, and containing 151.36 acres, more or less; the same having been selected by the Secretary of Agriculture, with the approval of the National Forest Reservation Commission, and found necessary for the purpose of carrying out an Act of Congress of the United States approved March 1, 1911, being Chapter 136, page 961, Vol. 36, Stat. at Large, as amended by the Act of August 10, 1912 (37 Stat. 369, 300, ch. 284).

And the said non-resident defendants above named, and all persons whomsoever owning or claiming to own any estate, lien or interest of any kind or character in and to the premises described in the petition in said proceeding, defendants named as aforesaid, will further take notice that they are required to appear in the District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina, at Greensboro, on the 1st day of May, 1916, and answer or demur to the petition or complaint filed in said proceeding, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.

This notice issued by order of Court, directing that publication be made once a week for six successive weeks in The Marion Progress.

This 18th day of March, 1916.

J. M. MILLIKAN,

Clerk, District Court of the United States for the Western District of North Carolina.

By H. M. Causey, Deputy Clerk.

Choice Styles in Ladies' Suits, Dresses and Coats.

Advance shapes in these have been coming by express daily for the last few days and many have been sold promptly upon arrival. The values are good, we assure you. The materials were bought by the garment manufacturers at prices away below the prices of today. Many of our waists are already here with more coming almost daily.

There's a real advantage in choosing your Spring Suit or Coat early in the season. First, you have the pleasure of wearing a new style garment while it is really new. There is surely some pleasure and not a little distinction in being among the first to wear the new modes. Then, too, you have so much longer to enjoy being dressed in the season's smart new fashions—a whole season instead of just a part of one. Our displays of coats and suits are the most interesting in the shop. Tailored suits; tailored in the prevailing modes, a wonderfully broad collection of several different models, priced at \$11.50 to \$24.50. Tailored coats, introducing the smart Sport styles, priced at \$4.75 to \$10.00.

For women who seek the straight road to "quality values" this store offers the shortest route and the easiest one to travel—there are no obstructions on it—no unsuspected obstacles bar the way—it has obtained such smoothness as never before was known. We want to acquaint as many women as possible—as quickly as we can—with the advantages of conserving time, money, patience by taking the road of utter smoothness this Spring, which leads to Gaston & Tate's—the Mecca of Fashionable Women.

DRESS GOODS OF MANY KINDS—In wool, in silk, in linen, in fine mercerized. The prices on these have been mounting lately in a way disgusting. As yet our prices are not far from former prices but all of us must readjust our ideas—Sure there's nothing else to do.

NEW CORSETS; NEW LACES and EMBROIDERIES; NEW RIBBONS;
NEW NECKWEAR; NEW GLOVES

By the Calendar Spring has been with us for a fortnight. By the thermometer a different story obtains but we all know a few days will find us speaking of "last winter." We dealers have found desirable merchandise scarce in first hands and consumers will soon have the same trouble. It is a crazy market, if ever there was one.

Attention, Farmers!

We will handle Fertilizers for spring planting. We have Northern grown seed Irish potatoes. We have lime-Sulphur for early spraying. We have Georgia Fulghum seed oats for early sowing. We have cotton seed meal, hay, oats, corn, molasses feed, etc.

Gaston & Tate, Inc.

"The Square Deal Store."

What About That Spring Suit?

You can be suited by calling at Miller's Clothing Store. We have just received a spring shipment of Men's Blue Serge and Palm Beach suits, Sport Shirts, Low Cut Shoes, etc.

In fact we can fill your wants in anything in Men's, Young Men's and Boys' Wearing Apparel, as our line is complete.

Children's Kaynee one-piece wash-togs.

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MARION, N. C.

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Now that the busy season is coming on get a good Watch and be on time all the time.

We guarantee all Watches and Clocks we sell.

JEWELRY, WATCHES, SILVERWARE,
AND FINE CHINA.

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J. FRED SPRAGUE
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