

"Farmers Just Commencing to Get Started in Western North Carolina"

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The farmers of Western North Carolina are just commencing to get started. Our highways, and our agricultural teachings are putting fresh energy into the farmers in the mountains. The only way that we can win success in agriculture is by having definite goals at which to aim.

We must decide just what crops our section can best grow. Then, we must learn how to produce these crops efficiently and cheaply. We must next create marketing machinery to win our way on the markets, and enable us to get the best possible prices. The four main lines of endeavor for this section seem to me to be as follows:

1st. **POULTRY.** We have a country that is ideally adapted to poultry raising. Summers are cool and winters are mild, and the range is excellent. At present our poultry production in Western North Carolina is barely enough for our own consumption. There are seasons of the year when we ship out a few carloads of poultry and eggs, and there are seasons when we bring in from other states thousands of pounds of poultry and eggs. Our twenty-five counties, it seems to me, can reasonably have a poultry export of seventy-five million dollars per annum. This can only be done if our farmers keep their courage up when prices slump, as they have this spring, and go into the poultry business to win. We should develop the best strain of fowls. A flock of 200 hens on each farm seems to be the most profitable size unit.

Our main problem along this line will be the raising of feeds for poultry. This should be worked out so that each farmer will raise on his farm practically everything that his poultry needs during the year.

2nd. **TIMBER PRODUCTS.** Probably fifty percent of our farm holdings in Western North Carolina consist of woodland. This is a field in which very little work has been done but for permanent agricultural prosperity we must make the most out of

our timber. This must be done by learning the best marketing methods and perhaps developing wood working plants that will put our timber into the sizes and shapes which will bring the highest commercial prices.

3rd. **FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.** Here again we have a section ideally adapted to many fruits and vegetables. The flavor of our mountain fruits and vegetables is famous, and here again our chief problem is to work out marketing machinery which will enable us to get the best possible prices for these products. Packing plants, canneries and express shipments are the methods by which we must sell our fruits and vegetables.

4th. **LIVE STOCK.** Today the dairy industry has great promise in Western North Carolina. It is daily increasing in volume, and our county agents are doing a particularly good work in improving the production of the dairy cattle by means of introducing pure bred sires.

We have large boundaries of land in Western North Carolina that can be used as range for beef cattle and sheep and there is room for a permanent grazing industry here. Of late years the quality of our beef bulls brought into Western North Carolina and the number of sheep has kept dwindling. It now looks as if the beef cattle market and the sheep market were in for a period of good prices, and there is renewed interest in these two branches of live stock.

One of the most hopeful signs on the horizon is the work of the county agents in introducing pure bred sires, and ambition for agricultural work in Western North Carolina.

NORTH CAROLINA HUNTING LAW

Passed by General Assembly make it unlawful:

To hunt without a license.
To take or kill game birds or animals out of season.

To take in one day more than bag limit.

To kill a female deer during the next five years.

To buy or sell any game except rabbits and squirrels.

To take game by trap or poison, to hunt by auto or boat, to bait for upland game.

Open season when these game birds and animals may lawfully be taken:
Squirrel, September 15 to January 15th.

Rabbit, November 1 to March 1.

Deer, October 1 to January 15.

Bear, October 1 to January 15.

Raccoon, October 1 to January 31.

Opossum, October 1 to January 31.

Quail, December 1 to March 1.

Wild Turkey, December 1 to March 1st.

Dove, September 16 to December 31.

See the law for seasons on other game.

Licenses

County resident \$1.25
State resident 5.25
Non-resident State 15.25

Make application for license to County Game Warden, Deputy Game Warden or Clerk Superior Court.

It is unlawful to hunt on lands of another without permission.

Prevent forest fires and thus protect game.

Violation of game law is a misdemeanor in the jurisdiction of the Superior Court.

Hunters must wear their hunting button and have license with them at all times when hunting.

DEPARTMENT CONSERVATION and DEVELOPMENT, Raleigh, N. C. August 15 1927.

F. E. PARKER,
Co. Game and Forest Warden,
Dillsboro, N. C.

Winter corn, is the way some good farmers describe the fall mixture of oats, vetch and barley. Those who have tried the mixture pronounce it a heavy yielder.

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OBITUARY OF JOHN M. WATSON

Whereas, on August the 4th, 1927, it pleased the Almighty God to call to his eternal resting place Brother John M. Watson, therefore be it resolved by the Board of Deacons of the Cullowhee Baptist Church in conference assembled:

First, That we bow in humble recognition and obedience to His divine will in this, as in everything, believing that "all things work together for good to them that look like the Lord."

Second, That in the death of Brother Watson his devoted family has lost a loving and tender father. To them in their loss we extend our tenderest sympathies and commend them to Christ as the surest source of real comfort in their bereavement.

Third, That in the passing of this faithful servant of the Lord, our Church has suffered a distinct loss, and the Board of Deacons, of which he was a most loyal member, being for a long time its presiding officer, has been bereft of the wise counsels of a man noted for ripe wisdom and keen judgment.

Fourth, That we recognize the valuable services of Brother Watson to his county and community. For many years Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, he was ever faithful to his duty as a citizen, serving in this thankless position with small compensation but always with honesty and efficiency. A man of unusual poise, possessing the courage of his convictions, he was ever the champion of the poor and unfortunate class.

Fifth, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased, a copy be spread upon the minutes of the Cullowhee Baptist church, a copy sent to both county papers and to the Biblical Recorder for publication.

Respectfully submitted,

H. T. Hunter,
E. H. Stillwell,
M. C. Brown,
Elbert Watson
J. N. Wilson,
S. W. Henson,
John E. Hooper,

Board of Deacons of Cullowhee Baptist Church.

SIXTEEN FAMOUS DRIVERS TO RACE AT CHARLOTTE

Sixteen world famous racing drivers will enter the race at the Charlotte Speedway on September 19, the date for the renewal of the classic, Fred C. Wagner, of Los Angeles, Calif., who will manage the details of the race, said.

Among those who have signified their intention of competing, he announced, are Pete De Paolo, Pete Kress, Harry Hartz, Bob McDonough, Benny Devore and others of national fame, including Earl Cooper and Tommy Milton.

Tom Tarheel says he will plant that extra five acres to alfalfa this fall. It's the best feed he can get for his hogs, chickens and cows.

TRUSTEES SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed in Trust executed by D. A. BUMGARDNER and wife, GRACIE BUMGARDNER to Geo. W. Sutton, trustee dated the 15th day of April, 1927, and duly registered in the office of the Register of Deeds in book 101 at page 141 et seq for Jackson County North Carolina, default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said Deed in Trust and the holder of said note secured thereby having made demand upon the undersigned trustee that he execute the said trust and sell said property for the payment of the note THEREFORE on Monday the 3rd day of Oct., 1927, at 12 o'clock noon at the Court house door in the town of Sylva, Jackson County North Carolina, the undersigned trustee will expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Jackson, Cashiers Township and state of North Carolina and more particularly described as follows:

BEGINNING on a stake on the north bank of the road, the corner of Shupe and Geo. M. Cole and runs south 62 east about 129 feet to a white oak Mrs. D. E. Coffee corner to an old road leading from the M. E. Church to McGuire or Shupe house and corners on a stake then north west direction with said old road the Shupe line and corners on a stake thence south with said Shupe line to beginning as registered in book 101, page 141 et seq. reference to which is hereby made. This the 31st day of August, 1927.

GEO. W. SUTTON, Trustee.

Smuts cut the yield of small grain in North Carolina this year. Copper carbonate will control wheat smut and the formaldehyde solution will control oat smut.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES SALE OF LANDS

North Carolina,
Jackson County

By virtue and authority vested in the undersigned W. R. Sherrill, trustee, by a certain deed in trust by Elbert Bryson on the 28th day of May, 1927, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Jackson County in Book 101 at page 164, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and the same being past due and unpaid and demand having been made by the owner and holder of the note secured by said deed in trust.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, W. R. Sherrill, Trustee, will on the 30th day of September, 1927 at 12:00 Noon, at the Court House door in the town of Sylva, offer for sale at public auction for cash to satisfy said debt, interest and cost of sale the following described tract of land:

Situate, lying and being in Mountain Township, Jackson County, North Carolina on the waters of Bear Creek, and Dogin Creek which are tributaries of Cullowhee Creek:

BEGINNING on a white oak the eighth corner from the beginning corner 15646 issued to T. E. Carroll and W. R. Bryson, in cove and thence N 35d W, 60 poles to a stake in Tom Coggins' line, said stake being about half way from the Creek to the top of Bear Pen Ridge; thence with Tom Coggins' line West 120 poles to a stake in Vance Bryson's line; thence with Vance Bryson's line S 150 to a stake and pointers; thence West 134 poles to a hickory in a flat gap; thence S. 40d E, 56 poles to a stake in Stiwinter's line; thence with his line to a stake in the line of Grant 140; thence with that line a Northeast course to a stake in the line where the line of Grant No. 15646 crosses said line; thence N. 7d W. to the beginning, containing 75 acres more or less.

This the 28th day of August, 1927
W. R. SHERRILL, Trustee

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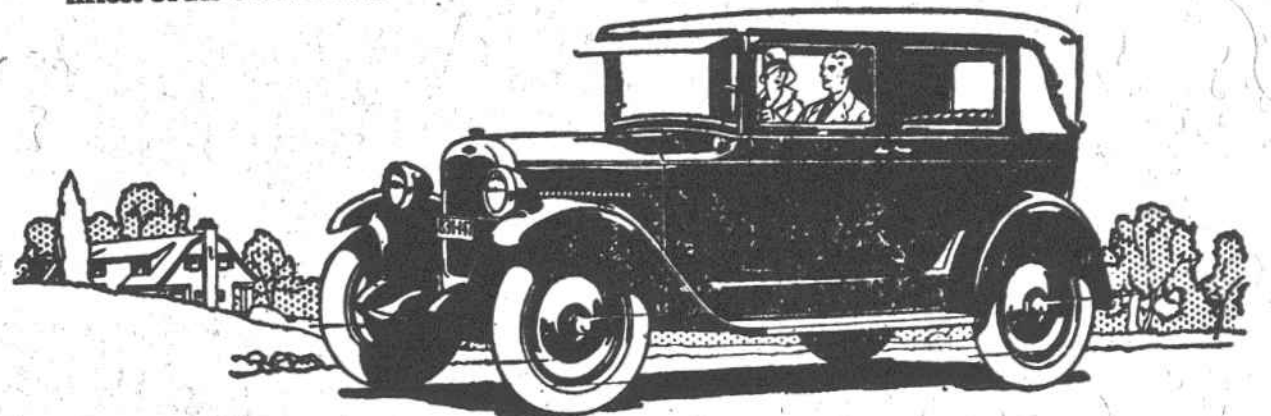
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