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Delicate Instrument

There will shortly leave America an expedition that will travel half round the earth and will take daily measurements of the heat of the sun in the interest of long-range weather forecasting. It will occupy four years in this task. The instrument that will be used is a radiometer invented by the late Dr. E. F. Nichols.

This radiometer is so sensitive that the ray of a candle situated 7,000 feet away and focused upon it is sufficient to turn its vanes through several hundred scale divisions. Even the face of an observer, when placed in the position previously occupied by the candle, will produce a deflection of 25 scale divisions.

It has been suggested by a humorist that with this instrument one might almost note the approach of a friend, while still some miles distant, merely by the glow of his countenance. It might even detect the sun in an English summer.—London Tit-Bits.

Notice of Commissioner's Sale of Lands

By virtue of a judgment of the Superior court of Yadkin county North Carolina, entered at May term, 1925, in a civil action there pending in which D. L. Holcomb and others were plaintiffs and D. G. Wagoner and others were defendants, we will sell for cash at public auction at the court house door in Yadkinville, North Carolina, on the 10th day of August, 1925, the following real estate, to-wit: In Buck Shoal township, Yadkin county, and described as follows:

First tract: Beginning at a rock in the old Douthit line, now John D. Holcomb's corner, runs with said line to the creek; then northward up the creek to J. H. Hall's line; thence west with his line to a rock, his corner; thence north with said Hall's line to a rock, L. B. Richardson's corner; thence west with said Richardson's line to a rock, J. L. Vanhoy's corner; thence south with said Vanhoy's line to a rock in said Vanhoy's line; thence east with said Vanhoy's line to two black gums, Vanhoy's corner; thence south with said Vanhoy's line to Caroline Stokes' corner; thence east to the beginning, containing 45 acres, more or less.

Second tract: Adjoining the lands of F. D. Holcomb, George Cook and others and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a maple on the south fork of Deep Creek, runs down same north 85 degrees east 6 chains to a stake in old line, thence north 47 1/2 chains to a spanish oak in old Collins line; thence west 4.38 chains to a chestnut; thence south 22 1/2 chs to a pine; then north 55 degrees west 3.25 chains to a pine; then south 18 degrees west 1 chain to north end of mill dam; thence westward with the highwater mark when the dam is up 24.25 chains to a pine stump; thence north 14.75 chains to a persimmon; then east 5.50 chains to a stone; thence north 3 chains to a post oak at end of old dam; then west with old lane 18.50 chains to the creek; thence down said creek as it now runs 24.75 chs to a maple in old Douthit line; then south 14.25 chs to Elijah Shore's corner; thence east with his line 19 chains to a rock; then south 18.50 chains to the beginning, containing 75 acres, more or less excepting 29 acres deeded to George Cook. Also excepting that part of said land deeded to B. N. Nicks and wife, Bessie Nicks. For full description see deed from T. F. Holcomb and wife, A. J. Holcomb, to B. N. Nicks and wife, Bessie Nicks, recorded in book 5, page 100, record of deeds for Yadkin county.

This July 8, 1925.

S. Carter Williams
and D. M. Reece,
Commissioners

Cross Again in Colosseum

Restoration of the cross to the center of the Roman Colosseum has caused much satisfaction to Catholics. More than fifty years ago, in the burst of anti-clerical excitement which followed the entry of the Italian government into Rome, this cross was removed. Recently Minister of Public Instruction Fedele ordered that it be replaced. He publicly regretted that it had ever been removed. For centuries the church has regarded the Colosseum as holy ground because of the many hundreds of Christian martyrs who perished there for their faith. The pope has been zealous in preventing its collapse and in restoring portions of it to their original condition. Now the Colosseum is a favorite resort of Romans on moonlight nights, when the ancient theater of blood echoes with gracious songs and choruses.

Commissioner's Notice of Sale of Land

By virtue of an order of the Superior court of Yadkin county made on the 3rd day of August 1925, in a special proceeding therein pending wherein Sarah Taylor et al are petitioners and Tom Hutchens et al are defendants, the undersigned commissioner will sell to the highest bidder at public auction at the court house door in Yadkinville, North Carolina, on Monday, September 7th, 1925, at 1 o'clock p. m., the following described real estate: Adjoining the lands of John Zachary, D. G. Zachary, R. L. Howell and described as follows:

Tract One. Beginning at a white oak, corner of lot No. 4, runs north with the line of same crossing the creek twice 36 chs and 25 links to the southeast corner of house lot; thence west with the line of house lot 10 chs to a stone; thence north with the line of house lot 10 chains to a hickory in Howell line; thence west with Howell line 13 chains and 75 links to the old Rockford road; then southward along said road 29 chains to the creek; then down said creek as it meanders to the beginning, containing 56 1/2 acres, more or less.

Tract Two. Beginning at a stone in the line of tract No. 1, runs east on the dividing line 10 chains to a stone, in line of lot No. 3; then north 23 chains to a stake in S. R. Howell's line; then west on the same 10 chains to house lot; then south 23 chains to the beginning, containing 23 acres more or less, it being one half of lot No. 4 in former division.

Tract three: A one sixth interest in a tract or parcel of land containing ten acres more or less, and bounded on the north by the lands of R. L. Howell; on the east by the lands of T. A. Zachary, on the south by the lands of T. A. Zachary, it being the old homeplace of Daniel Zachary.

Terms of sale is one half cash on confirmation of sale, remainder on credit of six months with bond and approved security, or cash as purchaser prefers.

This the 3rd day of Aug, 1925.
Wade Reavis, Commissioner

Administrator's Notice

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of N. C. Wishon, deceased, late of Yadkin county, North Carolina, all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned within twelve months from date of this notice or same will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to settle at once.

This June 12, 1925.

E. M. Wishon, Adm'r
of N. C. Wishon, dec'd

Blacksmith Preacher

Much interest is being taken in the tent meeting here in Yadkinville. Over 100 have been saved during the meeting and from 1000 to 3000 people there every night. I want every body to bring a nail and come Saturday night, a nail of some kind. The meeting will close Sunday night with five doors. So don't miss a service, come to all.

Willeford.

Re-Sale of Valuable Farming And Timber Lands

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Yadkin County made on the 24th day of July, 1925, in an action therein pending wherein Lon C. Fleming et al are petitioners, and M. B. Mills et al are defendants, the undersigned commissioner will sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the court house door in Yadkinville, N. C., on

Monday, August 10th, 1925.

sale to begin at about 1 o'clock P. M., the following described lands:

TRACT ONE: Lying on the waters of North Hunting Creek in the County of Yadkin, and in state of North Carolina, bounded as follows: Beginning at a chestnut on a branch below the school house spring, corner of the Lindsey tract; thence with the Lindsey old line S 30 degrees E 52 poles to a pine, Fleming corner; with said line S 38 degrees E on Flemings line 98 poles to a post oak, Flemings corner; then E 80 poles to a post oak; thence N 75 degrees W 186 poles to a post oak in the old beginning corner of the tract; thence westwardly to the beginning, containing 100 acres more or less.

TRACT TWO: Adjoining the lands of William S. Gough, James Dickerson and others, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a hickory on the bank of Hunting creek, runs N 5 degrees E 53 poles to a maple; then N 25 degrees E 21 poles to a ——— in Cowles and Gough's line; then S 60 degrees E 64 poles to a pine; then E 56 poles to a poplar then E 1 degree S 114 poles to a white oak; thence E 14 degrees N 79 poles to a post oak; thence S 39 poles to a branch (the corner white oak on the south side of branch); then S about 50 degrees west 200 poles down the meanders of said branch to Hunting creek; then N about 80 degrees W up the meanders of said creek 158 poles to the beginning, containing and including 150 acres more or less.

TRACT THREE: Lying on the waters of north Hunting creek in the county of Yadkin, and in state of N. C., and bounded as follows: Beginning at a hickory on the red bank, Flemings corner; thence N 5 degrees West to Thomas Lindsey's or Cowles corner; thence with his line westward to the creek thence southwardly down the creek with its meanders to the beginning, containing by estimation 45 acres more or less.

The above tracts of land constitute the real estate of the late S. F. Fleming, deceased, and is sold for partition. Tracts will be offered as a whole.

There is, perhaps, more valuable timber of oak, pine, and forest pine on these lands than on any similar lands in this section of the state.

Terms of sale cash on confirmation of sale.

This July 24, 1925.

Wade Reavis,
Commissioner

102nd Year of John Robinson's Circus.

John Robinson's Circus, the earth's oldest "whit top" is coming to Winston-Salem for afternoon and night performances on Friday, August 14, and circus lovers of this vicinity are looking forward with great interest to the appearance in this community of this famous old circus.

For the 1925 tour, the 102nd in the history of the organization, John Robinson has arranged a program that is bubbling over with features and extraordinary numbers. From the far East, Europe, South America and from practically every country and clime, performers and animals have been imported, and now as always John Robinson will give the best circus performance that money and brains can assemble.

Such noted trainers of the steel arena as Capt Ricardo, Nellie Roth, Theo Schroeder, Lorraine Wallace, Wink Weaver, Margaret Thompson, Bob Thornton, Dewey Butler, and others will send their charges through remarkable routines. One of the extraordinary features will be the appearance of "Kittie" the only wrestling tiger in the universe, which will combat in a regulation bout with Miss Wallace.

The regular circus features and acts will also have prominent positions on the lengthy program. From China will come the Sing-Sing Jung Dsai troupe from Mexico, the famous Morales Family, from Austria, the Rudy Rudynoff Family of Equestrians; from the Argentine, Seorita Feidad, the denure and petite wire artist, and all other countries will have representation in the dressing tents of John Robinson.

Clown alley will have a contingent of fifty famous fun-makers, boys who know the art of extracting chuckles and grins from young and old. It will be a complete and perfect performance in every way and John Robinson will offer a real Roman holiday in every respect.

Everything Running

One of the funniest things that ever came up in Judge Summerfield's court was a suit for the annulment of a marriage, instituted by an irate father. It seems that the young couple, though their intentions had been suspected and they had been closely watched, had managed to elude the vigilance of their elders in a manner worthy of record.

"Yes, sir," cried the father, in giving his testimony. "The young scoundrel bored a hole in the water pipe, and while I was holdin' my finger over it an' waitin' for the plumber, darned if he didn't grab my gal and light out for the preacher."—Los Angeles Times.

Gentle Hint

Booth Tarkington was talking about a prolific novelist.

"He turns out trilogies and psycho-analysis romances and new thought tales by the score," Mr. Tarkington said, "but the more he turns out the less he sells."

"I think I'll go to the South seas or somewhere," he said in a discouraged voice the other day to a critic. "Yes, I think I'll go off and rest up for a year."

"I suppose," said the critic politely—"I suppose your public is beginning to suffer from writer's cramp, eh?"

Poor Child

A woman in Birmingham, of great social aspirations, but not lavish of her money in attaining her ends, was accustomed to buy flowers for her functions from an old dame with a stand on the corner.

On one occasion the social aspirant said: "I want a large quantity of flowers from you next week, for my daughter's comin' out."

"All right," replied the old woman. "Ye' is gwine to git de very best I has for the pore chile. What was she sent up fo'?"—Harper's Magazine.

Resolutions of Respect.

Where as it has pleased our Divine Master in his all wise providence to remove from us our brother I. F. Humphreys, therefore be it resolved.

First, that in our bereavement we bow in humble submission to the will of our Divine Master who doeth all things well, therefore be it resolved.

Second, that in his death our lodge has lost a faithful and efficient member and we deeply deplore and keenly feel our great loss, therefore be it resolved.

Third, that we extend to the bereaved family our heart felt condolence loving sympathy and fraternal love, therefore be it resolved.

Fourth, that we pray that the sustaining grace of our Divine Master may shield, protect and support them until they too shall pass over the river to be once more reunited with their loved ones, therefore be it resolved.

Fifth, that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of our lodge and a copy be sent to the bereaved family, also a copy be sent to the Yadkin Ripple for publication.

W. G. Leak, M. D.

J. W. Matthews

Committee on Resolutions.

English Fear Dirty Fruit

Dirty and even diseased Aslattes, working in filthy sheds in squalid lanes, are handling today the fruit we shall be eating next month, says the London Daily Mail in an editorial on "The Right to Clean Food." Continuing the paper says:

"That is the disagreeable fact revealed by Dr. Leslie Haden Guest, M. P., who has just investigated the conditions under which fruit and other food are prepared in the Near East. Doctor Guest found that in Smyrna figs, sultanas, and currants are packed on dirty floors, trodden by bare feet coming unwashed from the streets and gutters, and tainted by all the indescribable filth of the East. In theory the consumer is protected by certain safeguards. In practice, the rules are completely disregarded and the medical examination is the merest formality."

Five Years

Mrs. T. G. Winter, president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, said in Minneapolis the other day:

"Women are now more careful, even more reluctant, about marrying, because they can now go out in the world and earn splendid salaries. Marriage is, in a financial way, a great sacrifice to some women."

"Two women met the other day in a department store. One, a spinster, wore a sealskin coat. The other, a matron, wore a threadbare blue serge."

"Why, Mabel?" said the spinster. "How glad I am to see you. And they tell me you're married. How long have you been married, dear?"

"Let me see," said Mabel. "I bought this blue serge five years ago."

Altogether Too Late

A misanthropic young man was raving about the emptiness of life.

"The sooner the world ends the better," he said. "We all ought to be annihilated."

"My dear fellow," his friend replied, "the world's packed with interesting things. They've just discovered that human life began on this earth about a million years ago—and you talk of wiping us all out."

"A million years ago?"

"The papers are full of it."

"Oh, well," said the morbid man, miserably, "it's too late to do anything about it, then."

Prove Safety in Flight

Persons who still are fearful of traveling in airplanes might well examine recently issued statistics of the army air service, says Popular Science Monthly. Between the fall of 1922 and the spring of this year army flyers have covered almost 700,000 miles over the model airways system without a single death. About 700 passengers have been carried and 60,000 pounds of express matter. There have been fifteen crashes in this period, but only one man has been injured.

British Birds in Japan

Prince Takatsukasa has arranged to take a large shipment of British birds back to Japan. He will endeavor to raise large numbers of them in his native land.

Mrs. D. G. Wagoner Died Last Thursday

Mrs. Priscilla Wagoner, wife of Mr. D. G. Wagoner, of Benbow, died Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock, following an extended illness with cancer. The funeral and interment was at Swaim's Baptist church Saturday morning at 11 o'clock, and services were conducted by Rev. V. M. Swaim of Winston-Salem, assisted by Rev. J. W. Binkley and Rev. E. W. Turner. Pall bearers were C. W. Shouse, B. L. Jeffords, C. J. Holcomb, Arthur Bowles, Marshall Hemric and Ralph Carter.

Mrs. Wagoner was 55 years old. She was the daughter of the late Frank Holcomb, and sister of Jno. D. Holcomb of Yadkinville. In her early life Mrs. Wagoner was a school teacher and helped shape the life of many leading men and women of the county by her advice and good common sense teaching. She always took an active part in all religious matters and, with her husband, had been a member of Swaim's church for many years.

Mrs. Wagoner is survived by her husband, Mr. D. G. Wagoner, who is well known in this section and prominent in the political and business affairs of the county, and one son, Homer Wagoner. Besides her brother Jno. D. Holcomb, she has one sister, Mrs. Younger of Kansas, and a number of half sisters and brothers.

The deceased bore her sufferings with great fortitude and her friends marveled at her ability to withstand the suffering caused by the ravages of cancer. She has many fast friends and all her neighbors speak in the highest terms of their departed sister, whose life is spotless and filled with good will toward all. A bright christian woman has gone to reap the reward beyond the river where there is no suffering.

Notice of Sale

Persuant to, and by virtue of and agreement entered into by Mrs. Amelia Belle and John McDaniels and wife R. B. McDaniels on the 8th day of July, 1925, we will sell for cash at public auction at the court house door in Yadkinville, North Carolina on the 29th day of August, 1925, the following real estate to-wit:

In Buck Shoals township, Yadkin county, adjoining the lands of John Walker, Henry Wood and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone in Walke's line, runs west on his line 8.60 chains to a stone his corner, then south on his line 3.20 chains to a stone formerly a pine, his corner, then west on his line 1.75 chs to a stone, then south on his line 8.20 chs to a hickory, then west on his line 14.44 chs to a black oak, W. A. Welborns corner, then south on Welborns line 14.70 chs to a stone, then north about 82 degrees east 18 chs to two white oaks, in Casey's line; then north 2.50 chs to a stone near a branch then east 6.40 chs to a stone, then north 3 chs to a stone, then north 85 degrees east 2.50 chs to a stone, then north 4 degrees east 19 chs to the beginning, containing 51 acres more or less.

Deed in fee will be executed to the purchaser covering entire estate in the said lands.

This the 25th day of July, 1925

John A. McDaniels
R. B. McDaniels