

# The Everyday Counselor

Rev. Herbert Spaugh, D. D.



Courtesy being one of the most admirable human traits, I have often wondered why more emphasis has not been placed upon it by our schools. According to THE MARION STAR (S. C.), the state of South Carolina is launching a vigorous program of courtesy training in their high schools.

"At first surveys will be made in business firms amongst employees and customers to determine what courtesy problems are most common and what can be done to correct them. Films and posters will be used to call to the attention of the public and clerks the fact that courtesy is contagious and does pay dividends."

That training will be initiated in the form of a "Courtesy Promotion Week." After this, classes will be conducted in both high schools and business firms to train youths and adults to be more courteous, thereby rendering more effective service in the field of distribution. This is a part of the program of work in Distributive Education being conducted in South Carolina.

This is an interesting angle to the problem of Distributive Edu-

cation, which is becoming a part of our school systems throughout the country. It brings the schools closer to business and industry which will employ our high school graduates.

We Americans are an impetuous and somewhat intemperate people. We drive things through to a conclusion, and often at the expense of the feelings of others.

There is a school of modern psychology, of which Dale Carnegie is an outstanding exponent, which teaches that appreciation and encouragement accomplish far better results in getting the most out of people, than force and pressure. They tell us repeatedly that courtesy, consideration and appreciation pay big dividends. Those of us who have tried this program know that it works.

It is fine that courtesy programs are being launched in our schools. Every encouragement should be given to them. But if they're to be truly effective, such a program must originate in the home. Much good teaching in the school can be totally counteracted by bad example and practice at home. That puts the problem squarely in the lap of us parents. That's where it ought to be.

Too many marriages are going on the rocks today due primarily to the lack of courtesy and appreciation between husband and wife. A marriage which started out beautifully and serenely, all too quickly becomes a domestic battleground. If there are children, they are inevitably drawn into the disorder and confusion. If parents aren't courteous to one another, they probably aren't courteous to the children. Naturally the children then follow their example.

The most closely knit unit in the land should be the home. Parents and children should certainly stand together remembering the old saying, "Blood is thicker than water." A home bound together by love, courtesy and appreciation will stand up under any set of circumstances.

Yes, courtesy commences at home, and no better rule for it has been devised than the Golden Rule.

Salt should be made accessible to all cattle at all times. It is best to use coarsely pulverized salt.

## Mrs. Pike, N. C. President Of H. D. Clubs Is In Europe

Mrs. Walter Pike, now in Europe, representing the Home Demonstration Clubs of this section, writes another interesting letter to her fellow club members, as follows:

Dear Club Members:

Since it is impossible to write each of you personally, I am sending greetings to you through the press. This time it is from Holland, the headquarters of our Conference.

We arrived at Southampton, England, September 2nd and spent the first night at Bourne-mouth, England's famous seaside resort. From there we traveled through the beautiful English country-side to London, where we spent two full days sightseeing and being entertained. There were two teas, one of which was attended by our Ambassador Douglas' wife.

On Friday night we left for Holland after a very wild scramble through the customs.

Saturday morning found us on the coast of Holland and all I ever dreamed about it has come true. Of course, there is still much evidence of the devastation of war and we shall see more, but the way these people have gone forward with their reconstruction is amazing.

Tomorrow night we go to the Hague to be entertained by our own Ambassador Baruch.

The food here is good but I have a feeling that it is like putting on the best for company.

Postage and cards are very high so if any of my messages are very brief you will understand.

Details of all the trip will have to come later. Best wishes to each.

Sincerely,  
Alma Pike.

### RECENTLY MARRIED



Mrs. James C. Testerman, who was before her marriage, Clara Shumate.

### MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Miss Clara Shumate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manley Shumate, was married to James C. Testerman, son of Giles Testerman and the late Mrs. Testerman, at the home on September 6, Rev. W. P. Boyle officiated.

The groom served 15 months in the U. S. Army, 6 months of which were spent in the Philippines.

Upon their return from a wedding trip to Virginia, they will be at home, here.

### TWO MEN TRIED IN MAYOR'S COURT, MON.

Two men were tried before Mayor T. E. Parker in Mayor's court, here, Monday. Sam May, of Jefferson, charged with public drunkenness, was fined \$10 and costs. James R. Miller, of West Jefferson, was fined \$10 and costs for driving without an operator's license, and \$10 and costs for driving with improper equipment.

Bruce Donnelly, of Southerland; Mr. and Mrs. Paul W. Donnelly, of Mocksville; Mrs. Ruth Roland, of Southerland; John F. Donnelly, of Statesville; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown and daughters, Lynn and Joy Temple, of Fleetwood; Mrs. Willard G. Cole and son, William John, of Whiteville.

Other guests included Mrs. Mayme Donnelly and son, Roger, of Southerland.

Mr. Donnelly, who celebrated his 79th birthday on September 4, is known throughout this section as "Uncle Gus" and is remembered as a former representative of a Knoxville, Tenn., wholesale hardware firm.

The current outlook for North Carolina's commercial peanut crop is exceptionally good.

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION NORTH CAROLINA ASHE COUNTY

Having qualified as Administrator of T. E. Ballou, deceased, late of Ashe County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 2nd day of September, 1948, or this Notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment to the undersigned.

This September 2, 1947.  
JOHN M. BALLOU, Administrator of T. E. Ballou, deceased.

9-4-6tp

### NOTICE OF SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION IN THE SUPERIOR COURT BEFORE THE CLERK NORTH CAROLINA ASHE COUNTY LESTER MULLIS VS.

CARL MULLIS, MARL MULLIS PENNINGTON, DORA MULLIS ROSE AND HUSBAND, SAM ROSE, MARIE MULLIS GRIGG AND HUSBAND, WAYNE GRIGG, STELLA MULLIS HALSEY AND HUSBAND, DOCK HALSEY, MARY ELIZABETH MULLIS AND WILMA JEAN MULLIS, WAVE MULLIS ROTEN AND HUSBAND, FRANK ROTEN, STARRITT MULLIS, LORRAINE MULLIS ADAMS AND HUSBAND RAY ADAMS, STUART MULLIS, MYRTLE MULLIS, JACK MULLIS, KATHLEEN MULLIS KINSEY AND HUSBAND, BILL KINSEY, JOHNNY MULLIS, QUINCY MULLIS, EFFIE JACKSON, CALLIE TUCKER AND HUSBAND, DAVE TUCKER, BLANCH WINGLER, PEARL BLACKBURN AND HUSBAND, BLACKBURN, AULSIE MULLIS AND HUSBAND, ED MULLIS, AND MINNIE MULLIS, WIDOW OF CICERO MULLIS, DECEASED, AND L. P. COLVARD, GUARDIAN AD LITEM FOR MARY MULLIS PENNINGTON, MARY ELIZABETH MULLIS, WILMA JEAN MULLIS, STUART MULLIS, AND JOHNNY MULLIS, MINORS.

The defendants, Mary Mullis Pennington, Marie Mullis Grigg and husband, Wayne Grigg, Stella Mullis Halsey and husband, Dock Halsey, Myrtle Mullis, Jack Mullis, Kathleen Kinsey and husband, Bill Kinsey, Johnny Mullis, Effie Jackson, Callie Tucker and husband, Dave Tucker, Blanch Wingler, Pearl Blackburn and husband, \_\_\_\_\_ Blackburn, Aulsie Mullis \_\_\_\_\_ and husband, \_\_\_\_\_ and Ed Mullis, will take notice and they and each of them are hereby notified that an action as entitled above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Ashe County, North Carolina, for the purpose of settling all the real estate in Ashe County, North Carolina, owned by Crawford C. Mullis at the time of his death, for partition, in which real estate the above named defendants own or claim an interest; and

The said defendants will further take notice that they and each of them are hereby required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Ashe County, North Carolina, in Jefferson, North Carolina, within ten days after the 24 day of October, 1947, and answer or demur to the petition filed in said cause, or the petitioner will apply to the Court for the relief demanded.

At the close of the day's work, washing the shoulders of work-stock with a cold water strong salt solution will help keep them in healthy condition.

### NOTICE OF SUMMONS IN THE SUPERIOR COURT NORTH CAROLINA ASHE COUNTY

HATTIE KEARLEY SHATLEY, INDIVIDUALLY AND AS ADMINISTRATRIX OF ALLIE KEARLEY, DEC'D.

VS.

OLEN KEARLEY, MYRTLE KEARLEY SHATLEY AND MONT SHATLEY, HUSBAND, AND EDWARD KEARLEY AND J. D. STANSBERRY, GUARDIAN AD LITEM.

The defendant, Olen Kearley will take notice that an action as above entitled, the same being for sale of the Allie Kearley land to create assets and for partition of the remainder of said land, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Ashe County and duly verified petition filed and summons issued which is returnable in the office of the undersigned on the 27th day of October, 1947, when and where said defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to said petition or the relief therein requested will be granted.

This September 25, 1947.  
C. S. NEAL, Clerk of Superior Court.

10-2-4tc

### SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

FRED WATSON  
TISHA WATSON  
VS.  
ARVILLE GREEN AND WIFE, CHESSIE GREEN, AMBROSE BROWN AND WIFE, OLLIE BROWN.

Under and by virtue of judgment in the above entitled cause, we the undersigned Commissioners will on Saturday, November 1st, 1947, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., at the Courthouse door in Jefferson, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, formerly the property of Will A. Watson, deceased, to-wit:

BEGINNING on a white oak, Blackburn's corner, running South 33' East 28 poles to a black oak, E. C. Hartzog corner, then South 10' East to a stake in W. L. Church's line; then in and with J. S. Yate's line to a chestnut and chestnut oak, P. McNeill's corner; then North 28' West 115 poles to Nathan Bare's line; then North 25' West 30 poles to a stake in Blackburn's line on the bank, the wagon road running to the ford of New River; then in and with said line to the BEGINNING, containing 76 acres, more or less.

This the 26th day of September, 1947.  
T. C. BOWIE, JR.  
J. H. WHICKER, JR.  
Commissioners.

10-2-4tc

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Plus Comedy and Serial The Vigilante, Chapt. 10

Wednesday and Thursday  
John Wayne Russell  
ANGEL and the BADMAN  
A stranger to her heart, but she knew she loved him more than anything else in the world! This stranger is mine, he came to my arms and nothing can take him from me — not the law — His enemies — or his own fear of my love.

### Donnelly Family Holds Reunion

A reunion of the Donnelly family was held last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Donnelly in the Southerland community of North Fork township.

Returning from such widely scattered points as Whiteville, on the eastern seaboard and Yakima, Washington, of the Pacific, were all of Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly's nine children except T. E. Donnelly of Jefferson.

The Southerland couple was honored at buffet dinner attended by the following children, grandsons and granddaughters: Mrs. C. E. Hubbard of Yakima, Wash.; Dr. and Mrs. Grant Donnelly and children, Gus and Carolyn, of Asheville; Mr. and Mrs.

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