

QUESTION BOX

BY REV. J. FURMAN HERBERT

Candid Answers On All Moral or Biblical Questions. Mail Your Questions To THE COURIER Or Direct To Mr. Herbert.

QUESTION: In the Question Box last week you spoke of the ten per cent tithe. Not many Christians follow this plan, do they? Do you feel that it is the solemn command of God?

More Christians follow the tithe than we perhaps think. Often I discover someone following the tithe who I had no idea was following it. I must say frankly however that I do not interpret the scripture to command the modern Christian to bring in the ten per cent tithe. I do not preach the tithe as a command of God to my people, which if it is not followed will be a breaking of God's holy law. I do most earnestly commend the ten per cent tithe as the most practicable Christian principle of giving. Our people should all be tithers. It is budgeting for God. It is to put our giving to the Kingdom of God on a business basis the same as we put our homes on a business basis. The difficulties of Roxboro churches in a financial way would disappear in six weeks if the membership took up the tithe as their consistent practice. And the spiritual life of the people would immediately be quickened. I know people whose spiritual life amounts to nothing because they give God and His work practically nothing. There are people of means who give to the church in such a stingy way who wonder why their spiritual life is not rich and abundant. Ordinarily I know very little about the financial sheet of the church. Only the outstanding cases are brought to my attention. But I am remembering now the case of one giver of means. If the other people of the church gave in such a poor proportion to their incomes as does this woman, the church would have to close its doors before summer comes. It would be a good idea for us all to ask ourselves the question: In view of the needs of the church am I doing a Christian's part? A frank answer to that question would lead many people to the ten per cent tithe. It is the best plan for giving to God.

QUESTION: I cannot see your position on the matter of what you call gambling. Is it not rather extreme for you to say that the giving of prizes for lucky tickets, etc., is gambling? Do you not realize that this is constant practice among our good people?

ANSWER: I am inclined to think that enough has been said on this subject in the Question Box. This additional paragraph on the subject may not be amiss however. The writer of this question must be sure that he is willing to see my point, very common practice among us is my point is that something that is wrong, and because it is such common practice it is difficult for those who practice it to see the wrong of it. Such a practice in relation to tickets is basically wrong because it is placing on a basis of chance an award that should come for work or merit alone, and the best of these is work. I could quote scripture to cover a whole newspaper page on this subject. The thing we need to get into our children to make them honest and upright is the idea that they should work for what they get and not spin a wheel for it, or punch a board for it, or buy a lucky ticket for it. Let my correspondents explain the difference between these things and the gambling table. He will not find any difference. They are one and the same.

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RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

We, the members of the five churches of the Mt. Tizrah Circuit, of Person County, North Carolina wish to express our deep feeling of loss in the passing of our beloved pastor, Rev. B. E. Stanfield, who died March 29, 1935. We cannot pay fitting tribute in words to his life of patient, courageous service; but his works speak for him wherever he has been. The finest thing we can do is to continue where he left off his work of doing good; for it can unquestionably be said of him that "he went about doing good." He was a practical Christian and this is the kind of memorial he would like. Therefore, be it resolved:

First, that we acknowledge the loss of a faithful, sincere pastor and friend, and we grieve with his family and loved ones who miss him sorely.

Second, that we rejoice in the blessings that his fine Christian life has brought to us.

Third, that a copy of these resolutions be placed on our church records, a copy sent to the family, to the local papers, and to the North Carolina Christian Advocate.

Committee:
Elizabeth R. Tillett
Mrs. P. A. Noell,
J. F. Timberlake,
Charlie Miller,
Mrs. Nat Harris.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LAND TO SATISFY TAXES

Monday, May 6 At Courthouse Door

For non-payment of taxes, and to satisfy same I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the Courthouse door in Roxboro, on the first Mon. in May, it being May 6, 1935, beginning at 12 o'clock M., the land of the following tax payers of Person County, unless in the meantime said taxes, which are a lien on said land, shall be paid, together, with all cost:

ALLENSVILLE TOWNSHIP REAL ESTATE

| Name | Acres | Total |
|-----------------------------------|-------|-------|
| L. B. Adcock | 10 | 16.15 |
| L. D. Allen | 54 | 21.49 |
| J. J. Ashley | 30 | 5.09 |
| Buchanan & Perkins | 38 | 6.39 |
| T.L. & R.B. Clayton | 124 | 18.19 |
| B. L. Duke | 60 | 7.48 |
| B. W. Gardner | 25 | 3.99 |
| Greensboro Jr. St. Ld. Bk | 35 | 15.49 |
| Sam Morton | 95 | 14.65 |
| N.C. Jr. St. Ld. Bk. | 171 | 30.88 |
| J. F. O'Brian | 198 | 37.48 |
| J. E. Perkins | 178 | 15.49 |
| G. T. Pool | 252 | 37.76 |
| Mrs. Susan Pool (bal) | 148 | 5.32 |
| L. T. Riley | 36 | 16.54 |
| Thomas & Long (1-2 pd. by Thomas) | 228 | 10.23 |
| Due by Long | | |
| H. E. Clark | 325 | 18.19 |
| Hugh Woods | 159 | 33.69 |
| R. A. Yancey Est. | 260 | 29.32 |

ROXBORO REAL ESTATE

| Name | Acres | Total |
|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|
| White | | |
| J. E. Broo's | 7a | 27.03 |
| Carver Real Est. Co. | 29 | 6.75 |
| W. A. Carver | 2 | 24.33 |
| Harvey Cozart | 1 | 270.55 |
| Cates & Harris | 4 | 3.63 |
| Central Invest. Corp | 3 | 79.66 |
| W. M. Clayton | 78a | 16.21 |
| T. M. Clayton | 150 | 40.97 |
| Mrs. John S. Clayton | 67 | 22.77 |
| A. L. Clayton | 83 | 29.32 |
| Minnie Cozart | 1 | 12.38 |
| J. B. Davis | 1 | 1.13 |
| Kate Dollywhite | 1 | 8.52 |
| G. G. Duncan | 1a | 6.13 |
| O. A. Fox | 10a | 9.25 |
| Mrs. J. H. Frank & J. H. Mashburn | 6a | 11.95 |
| B. W. Gardner | 4 | 2.49 |
| S. M. Glenn | 228a | 22.84 |
| Mrs. Ada B. Goodman | 121a | 45.96 |
| R. A. Hester | 8 | 3.32 |
| Miss Nettie Hicks | 2 | 18.51 |
| Mrs. E. G. Horton | 1 | 11.95 |
| E. G. Horton | 2 | 5.97 |
| J. W. Johnson | 1 | 15.49 |
| George Johnson Est. | 1 | 12.73 |
| J. E. Johnson | 1 | 12.73 |
| Victor Kaplan | 3 | 107.39 |
| Mrs. Ida Kaplan | 2 | 102.33 |
| Kirby and Long | 78a | 27.45 |
| B. R. Long | 1 | 43.15 |
| Mrs. H. D. Long | 4 | 42.21 |
| Harvey Matthews | 1 | 7.79 |
| Walter Mitchell | 3 | 62.39 |
| W.K. Moore & Whitfield | 22 | 6.81 |
| G. E. Moore | 3 | 14.55 |
| N.C. Jr. St. Ld. Bk. | 302 | 93.69 |
| N.C. Jr. St. Ld. Bk. | 268 | 41.80 |
| W. J. O'Brian | 41a | 17.57 |
| T. O. Pass & Reams | 10 | 29.5 |

CUNNINGHAM REAL ESTATE

| Name | Acres | Total |
|------------------------|-------|--------|
| White | | |
| C. C. Armstrong | 119 | 38.53 |
| A. L. Bass | 169 | 35.19 |
| Mrs. R. B. Bass | 375 | 79.55 |
| Mrs. W. G. Bradsher | 200 | 43.15 |
| W. G. Bradsher | 460 | 49.39 |
| George L. Cunningham | 340 | 148.75 |
| W. G. Pulliam | 203 | 22.82 |
| A. B. Scott | 48 | 8.52 |
| Mrs. Roberta Scott Est | 160 | 29.63 |
| Jacob Thompson | 142 | 38.12 |
| W. J. Trolinger | 121 | 18.92 |
| T. C. Wagstaff | 182 | 20.69 |
| Miss Bell Covington | 138 | 15.90 |

FLAT RIVER REAL ESTATE

| Name | Acres | Total |
|------------------------|-------|-------|
| White | | |
| Joe N. Allen Est. | 100 | 19.35 |
| Mrs. W. L. Allen | 178 | 45.95 |
| Mrs. W. H. Ashley | 57 | 8.11 |
| J. G. Bowles Est. Bal. | 113 | 11.01 |
| Chas. W. Chambers | 33 | 7.80 |
| A. L. Cash | 382 | 46.71 |
| Mrs. Rosa E. Cash | 43 | 12.68 |
| J. F. Cash | 120 | 29.67 |
| E. E. Carver | 30 | 7.11 |
| Mrs. E. Cothran Est. | 52 | 7.89 |
| Lee Cothran (Helena) | 1 | 4.56 |
| Mrs. J. D. Cothran | 350 | 33.48 |
| J. C. Clayton | 85 | 13.68 |
| W. H. Long | 64 | 11.65 |
| Moore & Crisp | 93 | 9.10 |
| Due by Crisp | | |
| H. W. Wilson | 132 | 34.42 |

HOLLOWAY REAL ESTATE

| Name | Acres | Total |
|------------------------|-------|-------|
| White | | |
| G. A. Bailey | 211 | 11.95 |
| J. W. Call | 75 | 7.79 |
| George W. Dixon | 105 | 26.60 |
| P. W. Farmer | 20 | 9.87 |
| First Nat. Bk. Trustee | 672 | 84.75 |
| Moe Goodman | 42 | 5.02 |
| T. B. Hill | 241 | 22.35 |
| Mrs. W. I. Humphries | 135 | 12.65 |
| Robert G. Lassiter | 175 | 10.65 |
| Lee Link | 93 | 10.22 |
| Mrs. Nannie Ramsey | 112 | 11.95 |
| B. S. Royster | 135 | 11.95 |
| Penny Waddy | 110 | 15.42 |
| T. H. Yancey | 220 | 20.76 |

MT. TIZRAH REAL ESTATE

| Name | Acres | Total |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|
| White | | |
| Rubens & John Bowling | 46 | 5.65 |
| Mrs. H. G. Bowling | 88 | 6.85 |
| Arthur Bowling | 45 | 9.94 |
| F. O. Carver | 100 | 9.87 |
| Amos Currin Est. | 96 | 16.08 |
| B. F. East | 90 | 11.08 |
| C. W. Fuller | 218 | 29.25 |
| Joe Garrett | 148 | 18.82 |
| Goodman & White | 183 | 10.49 |
| Mrs. Elizabeth Huff | 112 | 16.23 |
| Edgar L. Little | 100 | 8.83 |
| L. M. Loftin | 100 | 7.21 |

| Name | Acres | Total |
|-------------------|-------|-------|
| W. A. Malone Est. | 287 | 32.69 |
| J. C. Parker | 180 | 15.42 |
| J. C. Pass | 145 | 16.84 |
| Mrs. J. R. Reade | 230 | 23.78 |
| Willard Simpson | 42 | 10.41 |
| Mrs. Flora Suitt | 29 | 3.42 |

ROXBORO REAL ESTATE

| Name | Acres | Total |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|
| White | | |
| James Bailey | 1 | 5.97 |
| Chester Barnett | 2 | 5.40 |
| Abe Barnett | 1 | 6.75 |
| S. J. Barnett | 1 | 8.62 |
| Carrolla Barnett | 1 | 7.79 |
| Stephen Barnett | 1 | 4.46 |
| Jackerson Beasley | 1 | 6.85 |
| Magnolia Blackwell | 15a | 16.79 |
| Ruben Blackwell | 17a | 14.03 |
| Ben Blackwell | 1 | 4.67 |
| Lottie Blackwell | 1 | 11.95 |
| Mose & Lottie Blackwell | 12a | 9.04 |
| Ashley Bland | 1 | 4.36 |
| Wiley Bradsher | 3a | 10.08 |
| Ella Bradsher | 2a | 3.01 |
| J. W. Brandon Est. | 4 | 38.29 |
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| Name | Acres | Total |
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| Colored | | |
| Baney Bass | 24 | 3.63 |
| Louis Bass | 11 | 1.66 |
| Abbie Bass | 30 | 5.08 |
| Irvin Bass | 142 | 12.78 |
| Claudie Glenn | 66 | 9.25 |
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| White | | |
| Cleve Bowes | 10 | 2.10 |
| B. W. Gardner | 120 | 41.11 |
| Jim Long | 3 | 2.80 |
| R. J. Walker | 85 | 8.70 |
| Susan V. Woody Est. | 162 | 21.51 |

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| White | | |
| Cleve Bowes | 10 | 2.10 |
| B. W. Gardner | 120 | 41. |