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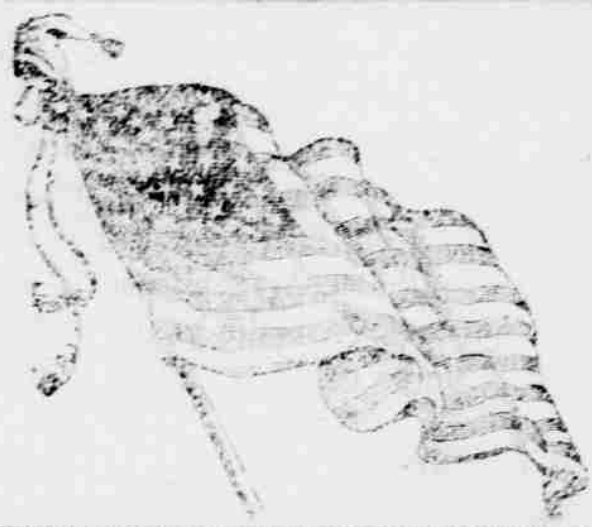
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THE CLAIMS OF LITTLE NATIONS

It is time for the American Indian to be heard at the peace table.

This gentleman has been a little neglected. The demands of the various races that claim the right to develop as independent nationalities have nearly all found expression. But how about the Indian?

It may be urged that he has fused with the American nation. True, but after subjugation. He accepted national extinction to escape physical extinction. His was the bitter choice of alternatives that follows conquest.

Well, then. It is so long since his subjection that it is impractical to dig up his claims. They were buried with his hatchet. He is a part of us, and to hand him back his independence—and the American continent, which is his by squatter's right, would be too violent a resolution into original elements.

Is it so long since he was vanquished? If this lapse of time kills his claim, then Ireland's is not only dead but petrified. The red man had his independence long after Ireland merged with Great Britain.

But Indians are savages. Are they? Our boasted civilization is not worth a bean if it left him where it found him. But it did not. Among the ranks of lawyers, physicians and other men of culture the red man holds his own with the pale-face. There are parts of Ireland where the inhabitants fight against education with the same persistency that the Indian shows in embracing it.

This is no tirade against Ireland—the birthplace of poets, orators, jurists—of generals who time and again have led British armies to victory. It is merely a plea for cool heads and clarified theorizing.

To dissolve nations into their original components is not the irresponsible joy-ride that some visionaries imagine. If the bundle of fagots is broken too completely there will be nothing left but saw dust. It is harder to mend than to break.

In parts of England the Danish element predominates over the Saxon, the Norman and the Celt.

In parts of America the African predominates. Try this program of disruption if you want to, but its problems are the more complex they become.

WATER WORKS MAN GIVES OUT FACTS

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"I have been trying for years to get something that would relieve me of my troubles and have found it at last in Tanlac," said Alfred Jolly, of 3291 Quinman street, Denver, Colo., and an employee of the water works department of that city.

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This the 28th day of March, 1919.
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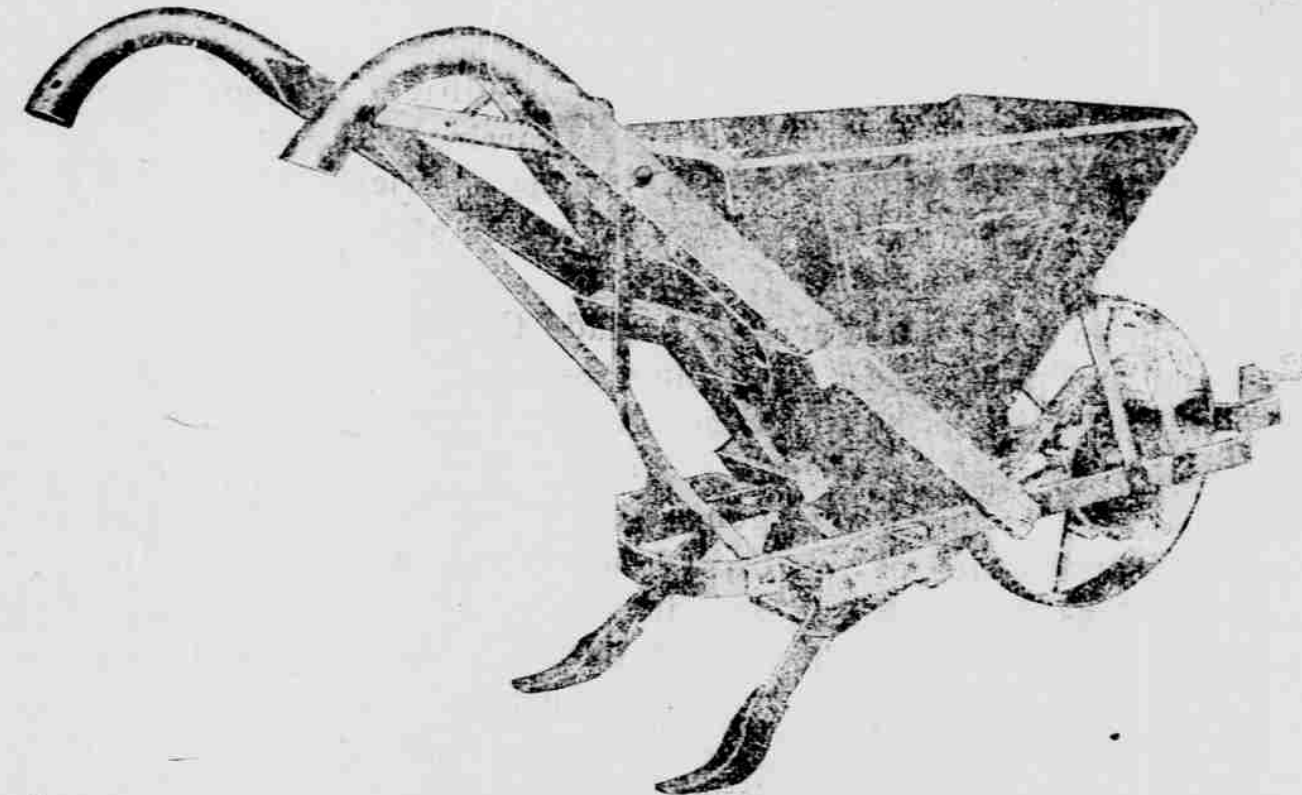
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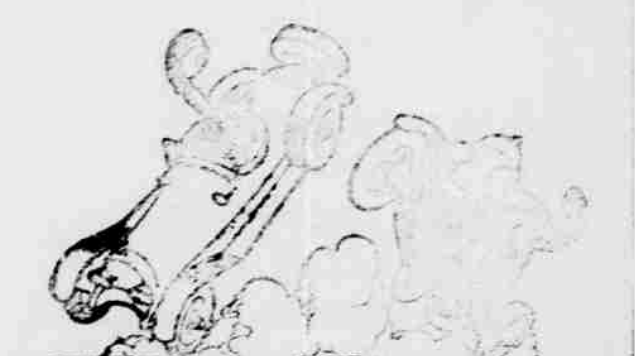
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NOTICE OF LAND SALE!

By virtue of power vested in me by a certain deed of trust, executed to me by Jerome K. Leggett which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Halifax County, North Carolina, in Book 278, at Page 171, I will on the 1st day of May, 1919, sell for Cash, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, in the town of Scotland Neck at 12 o'clock A. M., the following described Real Estate: Lot, No. 3 containing sixty five and 70/100 acres, in Palmyra township, Halifax County, and being a part of the Fred Savage farm, said land conveyed to said Leggett by G. W. DeBrule and wife on the 11th day of Dec., 1918. This the 20 day of March 1919.
A. PAUL KITCHIN, Trustee

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