

THE BOOK

... the first line of which reads, "The Holy Bible,"
and which contains Four Great Treasures ...

by BRUCE BARTON

MARY, THE MOTHER OF JESUS

WE who call ourselves Protestants have been almost rude in our attitude toward the mother of Jesus. What beauty of face and figure there must have been in her whose own blood nourished and whose body shaped the little hands and feet, the heart and brain of Jesus of Nazareth. What elevation in the mind that could conceive and chant the Magnificat.



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For he hath regarded the low estate of his handmaid: for, behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed.

For he that is mighty hath done to me great things; and holy is his name.

And his mercy is on them that fear him from generation to generation.

Finish the reading of that great hymn of praise as Luke records it in his first chapter. Look in your reference Bible at the little index letters sprinkled through the text and the corresponding letters in the margin. Note that the beginning of the Magnificat is reminiscent of Hannah's rejoicing over the prospect of the birth of Samuel,

and that almost every phrase suggests a possible source in historic records.

This young woman, sixteen or seventeen perhaps, had read the literature of her nation and had made it her own. Her mind and spirit were richly stored. Reverence, gratitude, high spirituality, and great sympathy with the common lot of humanity are in the Magnificat. Socialists and other champions of human rights have claimed to find in it the possible source of Jesus' sympathy with the poor.

Motherhood is the most expensive of all earth's luxuries, and being the mother of the Messiah was a costly privilege.

Think what it meant to Mary to have to go into Egypt and remain there while Joseph, resourceful and strong though he was, struggled to support the family. How her heart must have yearned for her home and girlhood friends.

Think of the bewildering problems and perplexities of having a Son grow up with ambitions and expressions which she and Joseph could only dimly apprehend. She knew in the utmost degree the wonder and the worry, the high hope and the deep concern of all the mothers of geniuses.

And they (Mary and Joseph) understood not the saying which he (Jesus) spake unto them.

... but his mother kept all these sayings in her heart.

(Next Week: Mary Stands Firm)
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Fourth Tract. Beginning at a stake on the East side of the Georgia road, Alex Moore's Northwest corner, and runs thence S 87 1/2° E with Moore's line 18 poles to a stake, Moore's corner; thence North 30 feet to a stake, Allfather's Southeast corner and T. W. Porter's Southwest corner; thence N 87 1/2° W with Allfather's line 18 poles to a stake on the East bank of the Georgia road, South 18 West 30 feet to the beginning. Being the same land conveyed to E. W. Allfather by T. W. Porter and wife, Leona Porter, by deed dated May 3, 1924, which said deed is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County, North Carolina, in Deed Book K-4, page 146, to which reference is hereby made for further purposes of description.

Fifth Tract: Beginning at a stake at the intersection of Cross Street and Main Street in the Town of Franklin, runs with the East side of Cross Street 50 feet in a Southerly direction to a stake; then Easterly and a parallel course with Main Street 100 feet to a stake; then a Northerly direction and a parallel course with Cross Street to a stake on the South side of Main Street to the beginning, and being the same tract of land deeded by J. A. Palmer and wife to J. A. Porter.

Sixth Tract: Beginning on the right-of-way of the Tallulah Falls Railway, which is 50 feet from the center of the track of the Main line and the Southeast corner of said George H. Bidwell's lot described in a deed from said Sam L. Rogers and Mamie Rogers dated this day (Jan. 2, 1909) and runs with the line of said right-of-way S 25 deg. E 50 feet to a stake; thence S 64 1/2° W 80 feet to a stake; then N 50 feet to a stake; thence N 64 1/2° E so as to run with the said lot of the said George Bidwell 70 feet to the beginning.

Seventh Tract: In and near the Town of Franklin. Beginning at a stake on the Iotla Road, or street corner of the Poindexter lands, now owned by J. E. Hurst and the W. A. McConnell and H. G. Trotter tan yard tract, and runs with Mrs. M. A. Love's line N 5 E 60 poles to a stake with 2 white oak witnesses, in J. T. Moore's line; then with said Moore's line S 85 21 poles and 5 links to a stake on the West bank of the Iotla Road; then with said road S 32 E 22 poles; then S 8 W 7 poles and 16 links; then S 39 W 7 poles and 13 links; then S 54 W 35 poles and 8 links to the beginning. Containing 5 acres, more or less.

The title of the said Alex Moore in the lands hereinbefore described has been divested from the said Alex Moore since the date of the rendition of the judgment as entitled as above, and, therefore, no homestead has been allotted to the said Alex Moore under the aforesaid.

This 29th day of May, 1935.
A. B. SLAGLE,
Sheriff of Macon County.
J6-4tc-BofF-J27

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

North Carolina,
Macon County.

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by James H. Vinson, to the undersigned trustee, which said deed of trust is dated January 1, 1934, and recorded in Book 32, at page 571, of the Macon County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and in the conditions therein secured, the undersigned trustee, will on Monday, July 1, 1935, at or about twelve o'clock Noon, at the courthouse door at Franklin, North Carolina, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land containing one hundred and seventy (170) acres, to be the same more or less, situate, lying and being on the Tessenta Road, about two and one-half (2 1/2) miles almost East from the town of Otto, in Smith Bridge Township, Macon County, State of North Carolina, having such shapes, metes, courses and distances as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof made by W. N. Sloan, Surveyor, in March 1926, and attached to the abstract now on file with the Atlantic Joint Stock Land Bank of Raleigh, the same being bounded on the North by the lands of the United States Gov-

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ernment and M. B. Norton; on the East by the lands of M. B. Norton and W. H. Patterson; on the South by the lands of S. C. Conley; and on the West by the lands of S. C. Conley, and being the identical tract of land conveyed by deed from the Central Loan and Trust Company, a corporation, to J. T. Vinson, by deed dated 22nd day of October 1924, which said deed is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County, State of North Carolina, in book of deeds J-4, at page 369; to which reference is made for a more complete description of the same.

Terms of sale cash and trustee will require deposit of 10% of the amount of the bid as his evidence of good faith.

This the 31st day of May, 1935.
JOSEPH L. COCKERHAM,
Trustee.

Robert Weinstein, Attorney,
Raleigh, N. C.
J6-4tc-J27

NOTICE OF SALE

State of North Carolina,
County of Macon.
George Carpenter, Plaintiff,
vs.

J. F. Fuggett and wife, Pearl Fuggett, and all other persons, firms and corporations claiming any interest in the subject-matter of this action, defendants.

Pursuant to a judgment entered in the above entitled civil action on the 20th day of May, 1935, in the Superior Court of said County by the Clerk, I will, on the 1st day of July, 1935, at 12 o'clock noon at the County Courthouse door in said County, sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor the following described lands, situated in said County and State, in Franklin Township, Macon County, and described as follows:

First Tract: All the land described in a deed from Zeb Carpenter to J. F. Fuggett, dated December 19, 1928, and recorded in the Office of Register of Deeds for Macon County, North Carolina, in Book of Deeds O-4, page 582.

Second Tract: All the land described in a deed from Mrs. Lelia Gibson to J. F. Fuggett and Pearl Fuggett, dated January 19, 1929, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Macon County, North Carolina, in Book of Deeds Q-4, page 17.

Third Tract: All the land described in a deed from R. C. Gabrels and wife, Laura H. Gabrels, to J. F. Fuggett and Pearl Fuggett, dated September 3, 1929, and recorded in the Office of Register of Deeds for Macon County, in Book of Deeds Q-3, page 187.

This the 23rd day of May, 1935.
R. S. JONES, Commissioner.
J6-4tc-J&J-J27

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina,
Macon County.
J. M. Keener
vs.

C. E. Crisp and J. B. Bryson

Under and by virtue of an execution issued to the undersigned by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County in the above entitled case, I will on the 1st day of July, 1935, at 12 o'clock M. at the Courthouse door of said County, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said execution, the following described real estate to-wit:

In Ellijay Township, Macon County, North Carolina, and bounded on the North by the lands of C. B. Bryson; on the South by the lands of J. T. Bryson; and on the East and the West by the lands of the same parties.

This the 31st day of May, 1935.
A. B. SLAGLE,
Sheriff of Macon County.
J6-4tc-JFR-J27

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

North Carolina,
Macon County.
The Bank of Franklin
vs.

John S. Trotter, et al

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned Sheriff by the Superior Court of Macon County, North Carolina, in the above entitled action, I will, on Monday, the 1st day of July, 1935, at 12 o'clock noon at the Court House door at Franklin, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder at public auction for cash, to satisfy said execution, all the right, title and interest of John S. Trotter in the following described real estate:

First Tract: Beginning at the

WHEN YOUR FEET BURN AND ACHE And You Can't Walk Another Step

ask your druggist for a can of Zeeta. The amazing discovery of a Swiss chemist. Rub Zeeta on your feet, sprinkle it in your shoes. If it doesn't make you feel like walking miles, after 3 minutes by your watch, bring the can back to your druggist, who will cheerfully give you your money back.

Zeeta, the antiseptic deodorant powder, is recommended by doctors, athletic trainers and good druggists everywhere for 3 minute relief from excessive, offensive perspiration, tired, aching, burning feet, water blisters, also for chafing and sunburn.

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Northeast corner of the Alex Moore lot in the Town of Franklin, North Carolina, on the South side of Main Street in the Town of Franklin, North Carolina, being bounded on the North by East Main Street; on the East by the L. A. Allen lot; on the South by Palmer Street and on the West by the lot formerly owned by Alex Moore, part of which is now owned by the United States Government. Except therefrom the second tract hereinafter described.

Second Tract: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the Alex Moore lot, now owned by the United States Government, runs Northeast with the South side of Main Street 43 feet; then Southward, parallel to the West boundary line of the Alex Moore lot (now owned by the Town of Franklin and the United States Government) to the North side of Palmer Street; then with the North side of Palmer Street to the Southeast corner of the Alex Moore lot hereinafter referred to; then Northward with the East boundary line of the Alex Moore lot to the Beginning.

Third Tract: In the Town of Franklin on the South side of Palmer Street, being bounded on the North by Palmer Street; on the East by the old Palmer lot; on the South by the lands of R. M. Coffey, and on the West by the Penland lot. Excepting such parts thereof as have heretofore been sold.

Fourth Tract: All the lands described in a deed from C. L. Ingram, Sheriff of Macon County, to John S. Trotter, said deed bearing date of 17 March, 1927, and registered in the office of Register of Deeds for Macon County, in Book P-4 of Deeds, page 164.

Fifth Tract: Lots 2 and 3 in block No. 2 of a sub-division in the Town of Franklin, known as Bonny Crest, as surveyed and mapped by D. Conger August, 1908, which map is recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Macon County in Book B-3 of Deeds, page 70.

Also all the lands described in a certain deed of trust executed by John S. Trotter and wife, Ada Burnette Trotter, to J. L. Barnard, Trustee, dated 5 July, 1927, and registered in the office of Register of Deeds for Macon County, in Book P-4 of Deeds, page 255, which are described in the five tracts hereinbefore described.

This the 30th day of May, 1935.
A. B. SLAGLE,
Sheriff of Macon County.
J6-4tc-BofF-J27

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of Lon England, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 17th day of May, 1936, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 17th day of May, 1935.

CLIFTON ENGLAND,
Administrator.
M23-6tp-J27

ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as administratrix of Henry A. Hall, deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 25th day of May, 1936, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 25th day of May, 1935.

BUNIA VESTIA HALL,
Administratrix.
M30-6t-J4

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NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina,
Macon County.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a deed of trust executed by Lou Ammons and Dennis Ammons to the undersigned trustee, which said deed of trust is dated the 16th day of July, 1927, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County, North Carolina, in Book No. 31, page 14, and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust and demand having been made upon the undersigned to sell the property described in said deed of trust, the undersigned trustee will, on Friday, the 7th day of June, 1935, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the courthouse door in the Town of Franklin, Macon County, State of North Carolina, sell, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said indebtedness, principal, interest, and cost, the following described tract or parcel of land:

In Ellijay Township. Beginning on a sourwood, Olney Moses, and B. M. Angel's line on top of ridge, runs south 71 east 11 poles to a B. Gum; then S 120 poles to Lauson Shook's corner in B. M. Angel's line; then E 5 poles to a locust stump, Lauson Shook's corner; then N 25 E 11 poles to a stake at road; then N 45 E 11 poles to a stake on lower bank of road; then N 26 1/2 E 5 poles to a stake; then N 31 E 3 poles to a chestnut; then N 45 E 14 poles to a C. oak; then N 58 E 8 poles to a stake on top of ridge; then N 23 E 10 1/4 poles to a B. gum; then N 38 W 7 poles to a chinquepin; then N 48 W 2 poles to a spanish oak; then North 73 W 5 poles to a locust; then N 43 W 5 poles to a spanish oak; then N 65 W 4 poles to a stake, Albert Rogers' corner and J. T. Berry's corner; thence N 40 W 28 poles to a stake in lock of fence in J. T. Berry's line and Olney Moses' corner; then S 30 W 8 poles to a white oak stump; then S 39 W 7 poles to a chestnut; then S 34 W 28 poles to the beginning, containing 18 1/2 acres, more or less.

This 6th day of May, 1935.
GEORGE PATTON, Trustee.
M16-4tc-JOH-J6

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER EXECUTION

North Carolina,
Macon County.

The Bank of Franklin,
vs.
J. W. Brendle, C. L. Ingram and