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J. M. Stiles Dies At Home At Prentiss

James Madison Stiles, 75, a native of Swain County, died last Thursday at 5 a. m. at his home in the Prentiss community.

A farmer, he had lived in this county since 1952. Prior to then he had made his home in Swain and in Jackson.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at the Prentiss Baptist Church by the Rev. James G. Shields, pastor, the Rev. George Shope, the Rev. Claude Leford, and the Rev. James Medlin. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Born March 28, 1879, Mr. Stiles was the son of John and Mrs. Julie Yarborough Stiles, of the Deep Creek section of Swain. He was a member of the Prentiss church, and on November 5, 1903, was married to Miss Mary Watkins, of Swain County, who survives.

Other survivors are a son, James A. Stiles, of Gastonia; eight daughters, Mrs. Paul Bellew, Mrs. Frank Montgomery, Mrs. Willis Davis, Mrs. Clarence Wilson, Mrs. Arthur Corrigan, Mrs. Jess Hayes, all of Gastonia; Mrs. Fred Payne, of Marble, and Mrs. Lawson R. Shook, of Franklin, Route 2; two half-brothers, J. P. Stiles and Haynes Stiles, both of Gastonia; a half-sister, Mrs. Fanny Huff, also of Gastonia; 36 grandchildren, and 19 great-grandchildren.

Serving as pallbearers were Freleu Shope, Claude Kimsley, Tom Woody, Jess Sanders, Odell Bradley, and Floyd Potts.

Potts Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Auger mining, in which drills dig out coal from thin seams at depths ranging to 2,000 feet, permit three-man teams to get out coal considered inaccessible in the past.

Demonstration Club Meetings For Week Are Announced

Meetings of home demonstration clubs in the county for the coming week have been announced by Mrs. Florence S. Sherrill, county home demonstration agent. They are as follows:

Today (Thursday): Sandtown club with Mrs. Robert Welch at 1:30 p. m.

Friday: Cullasaja club with Mrs. Ralph Smith and Mrs. J. P. Whitt at 2 p. m.

Tuesday: Carson's Chapel club at the home of Mrs. George Stalcup at 1:30 p. m.

Wednesday: Watauga club special interest meeting on basket making with Mrs. J. P. Shufford at 9:30 a. m.; Iola club with Mrs. E. G. Aldand at 1:30 p. m.; Patton club at the community house at 7:30 p. m.

Thursday: Holly Springs club with Mrs. Frank Cabe at 1:30 p. m.

Premeasurement Of Local Crops Now Available

Premeasurement of all allotment crops will be offered to farmers in Macon County in 1955, according to the local Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Farmers will be required to pay only the actual cost of the work. In previous years, farmers have used various methods to determine the area to plant to an allotment crop and this "haphazard" system of the past not only costs the farmer to have the measuring done, but frequently caused the farmer to overplant, it was pointed out.

On making application for premeasurement at the County Office, the farmer will be required to deposit sufficient funds to cover the cost of the premeasurement.

The premeasured acreage will be accepted as the "official" measured acreage for all ASC purposes unless it is later determined that (1) the crop has not been planted within the premeasured area; (2) less than the premeasured area has been planted, or (3) there was an obvious error in the premeasurement.

A two to three per cent increase in milk production and supply is expected in North Carolina this year. The demand for milk and dairy products in 1955, however, is expected to absorb all of the expected increase in production.

Legal Advertising

National Forest Timber For Sale

Sealed bids will be received by the Forest Supervisor, U. S. Forest Service, P. O. Box 731, Asheville, N. C., up to and not later than 2:00 p. m., March 7, 1955, and opened immediately thereafter for all the timber marked for cutting located on an area embracing about 352 acres on Lowermill Creek, a tributary of Little Tennessee River, Macon County, North Carolina National Forest, N. C., in the total number of 1151 hardwood, pine and hemlock trees. No bid less than \$1450.00 as a lump sum payment will be considered. In addition to the amount bid for stumpage, a total deposit of \$475.00 will be required for sale area betterment work. In addition to the above amounts any unmarked timber which is authorized for cutting in connection with road construction or other improvements, or which is otherwise cut and subject to payment, will be paid at the following rates for stumpage: \$20.00 per MBF for yellow poplar; \$14.00 per MBF for cucumber and Northern red oak; \$12.00 per MBF for white oak; \$10.00 per MBF for ash and basswood; \$4.00 per MBF for black oak and chestnut oak; \$3.00 per MBF for litch and red maple;

\$6.00 per MBF for pitch pine; \$2.00 per MBF for buckeye, black gum and scarlet oak; and \$3.00 per MBF for hemlock. \$500.00 must be deposited with each bid, to be applied on the purchase price, refunded or retained in part as liquidated damages, according to conditions of sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. Before bids are submitted, full information concerning the timber, the conditions of sale and the submission of bids should be obtained from the Forest Supervisor, U. S. Forest Service, Asheville, North Carolina, or the District Ranger, U. S. Forest Service, Franklin, North Carolina. F3-1tc

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the Estate of Charles E. Setser 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 26 day of January, 1955 or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This 26 day of January 1955.
W. L. SETSER, Sr.
Administrator
F3-6tp-M10

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the Estate of Sallie M. Dills, 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 25 day of January, 1955, or this notice will be filed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 25 day of January, 1955.

WESLEY DILLS
Administrator
F3-6tp-M10

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

NORTH CAROLINA,
MACON COUNTY.

In the Superior Court
MACON COUNTY

Vs.
ALLIE LAMBERT, R. A. LAMBERT, ROBERT LAMBERT and wife, IVIA LAMBERT, JESS COLEMAN and wife, ESTIA COLEMAN, BRITON GARRISON and wife, LEAH GARRISON, SHERMAN LAMBERT and wife, OLLIA LAMBERT, EDD GARRIS and wife, IDA GARRIS, FRANK BARSTO and wife, SALLIE BARSTO and wife, RICHARD TAYLOR and wife, HAZEL TAYLOR.

The Defendants, ALLIE LAMBERT, R. A. LAMBERT, ROBERT LAMBERT and wife, IVIA LAMBERT, JESS COLEMAN and wife, ESTIA COLEMAN, BRITON GARRISON and wife, LEAH GARRISON, SHERMAN LAMBERT and wife, OLLIA LAMBERT, EDD GARRIS and wife, IDA GARRIS, FRANK BARSTO and wife, SALLIE BARSTO and wife, RICHARD TAYLOR and wife, HAZEL TAYLOR will take notice that an action entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County, North Carolina, for the purpose of foreclosing a tax lien on property in Macon County, North Carolina, and in which the defendants have an interest, and are proper parties thereto.

It is further ordered by the court that the defendants, ALLIE LAMBERT, R. A. LAMBERT, ROBERT LAMBERT and wife, IVIA LAMBERT, JESS COLEMAN and wife, ESTIA COLEMAN, BRITON GARRISON and wife, LEAH GARRISON, SHERMAN LAMBERT and wife, OLLIA LAMBERT, EDD GARRIS and wife, IDA GARRIS, FRANK BARSTO and wife, SALLIE BARSTO and wife, RICHARD TAYLOR and wife, HAZEL TAYLOR, are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County, North Carolina, on the 21st day of February, 1955, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, or the relief demanded in said complaint will be granted.

This the 20th day of January, 1955.
KATE MCGEE,
Clerk Superior Court
J27-4tc-JJ-F17

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF STATE PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the E. S. PURDOM & COMPANY a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated at Route 1, in the Town of Franklin County of Macon, State of North Carolina (E. S. Purdom being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 55, General Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution;

Now Therefore, I Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 20th day of January 1955, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed

The Franklin Press and The Highlands Macoonian

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1955

my official seal at Raleigh, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1955.
THAD EURE
Secretary of State
J27-4tcJJ-F17

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF MACON,
MACON COUNTY, Plaintiff

vs.
MARY MAXWELL MUNDY & husband, JOE E. MUNDY, HELEN PAUL & husband, HUIETT PAUL, ANNE MILLER KEISLER & husband DAVID KEISLER, WILLIAM Y. MILLER, The Unknown Heirs at Law of T. M. Miller, deceased; CLARICE ALLEY & husband, JOHN ALLEY, ELOISE BROWN & husband, C. K. BROWN, JOSH A. SHOCKLEY, JOHN M. SHOCKLEY, FRANK E. SHOCKLEY, HERBERT YOUNG, LAWTON MASSINGALE, LETHA SHOCKLEY, ARLINE TOMELIN, JESSE TOMELIN, RUBY HALESBURG, WILLIAM SHOCKLEY, RENALDA HAYES, JOE SHOCKLEY, JR., BRUCE SHOCKLEY, Unknown Heirs at Law of J. C. Shockley, Unknown Heirs at Law of Joe L. Shockley, and any and all persons who claim to have an interest in the subject of this action. Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Macon County entered in the above entitled action on the 10th day of January, 1955, the undersigned Commissioner will on the 10th day of February, 1955, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Courthouse door in Macon County, North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate:

All the lands described in a deed from H. S. Morrow, et al to T. M. Miller and J. C. Shockley, said deed bearing date of 23 September, 1925, and registered in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County in Book L-4 of Deeds, page 222, being described as follows: LOT NO. 10; COMMENCING at a stake and pointers, the Southeast corner of lot No. 9 runs North 55 East 6 poles to a stake and pointers; then North 24 West 16 poles to a stake on the South side of Cullasaja Drive; then with same side of said drive as follows: South 77 West 4 poles; South 43 West 4 poles; East 15 links; then South 30 East 15 poles to the BEGINNING, being Lot No. 10 of the Highland Development.

LOT No. 20; COMMENCING at a stake and pointers, the Southeast corner of Lot No. 9 runs South 30 East 9 poles and 15 links to a stake on the North side of Cullasaja Drive, the Southeast corner of Lot No. 19; then North 58 East with same side of said drive 6 poles and 3 links to a stake, the Southwest corner of Spring Lot No. D; thence North 35 West, 10 poles to a stake, the Southeast corner of Lot No. 10; then South 55 West 6 poles to the BEGINNING, being Lot No. 20 of the Highland Development.

This, the 10th day of January, 1955.

R. S. JONES
Commissioner
J13-4tc-JJ-F3

MUNICIPAL BUILDING

FRANKLIN, NORTH CAROLINA
The following "INVITATION TO BID" supersedes the one issued on or about January 13, 1955, and changes the date for receipt of bids and provides for separate bidding on Plumbing, Heating, and Electrical work.

Invitation to Bid
Sealed bids will be received by the Town of Franklin, c/o Mr. Chas. O. Ramsey, Clerk & Treasurer, at the Town Office, for the construction of a Municipal Building to be located at the southeast corner of Main and Porter Streets, in Franklin, North Carolina, until 3:00 P. M., February 15, 1955, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read. Separate bids will be received on "General Construction", "Plumbing", "Heating", and "Electrical", as called for under Addendum No. 1. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any or all technicalities and informalities.

Bidding documents will be available, from the office of Stambaugh & Jett, Architects, Suite 306 Rhodes Building, Atlanta, Georgia, upon deposit of \$25.00 per set. One set will be available for each bidder, with extra sets obtainable upon payment of reproduction costs. The full amount of deposit less reproduction costs of extra sets, will be refunded upon return of plans and specifications in good condition within 10 days after receipt of bids.

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Clerk & Treasurer
J27-2tc-F3

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