

**SENIOR CLASS TO GIVE PLAY TONIGHT**

"Under the Blue Skies" is the name of the play to be given tonight by the Senior class at the high school auditorium. Eighteen members of the class are in the cast. Delia Ellington and Joe Honoycut play the leading roles. The old housekeeper, (Lunette Barber) and her grandson, Sleepy Heine (Jim Uzzle) furnish many a laugh throughout the play. A gossip neighbor (Virginia Williamson) and her son, Oscar (Theron Johnson) are also "kidd" characters. The scene is laid in a small New England town, and the play presents the moral: "right always wins."

Mrs. Alfred Wilson, who has directed several plays given here, has charge of this play, and the performance promises to measure up to former productions. Those in the cast besides the characters already mentioned are: C. L. Walker, Herman Lawrence, Dan Kirkman, Ralph Talton, Mary Gattis Holland, Ellen Patterson, Dorothy Lee, Nell Grantham, Louise Parish, Clara Fitzgerald, Eva Ennis and Ila Brady.

The program will open at eight o'clock.

**OLD BELT CO-OPS GIVEN ULTIMATUM**

Raleigh, Dec. 2.—Tobacco farmers from 43 counties of the old bright tobacco belt of North Carolina and Virginia who filled the Masonic Temple at Danville last Saturday adopted a contract which calls for 65 per cent of all the tobacco in that area and for the absolute delivery to their cooperative associations of all tobacco grown on the land of every signer from 1927 to 1931.

The 600 delegates who reached Danville from every county and corner of the old belt made it perfectly clear that they are determined to "carry on" for the sake of better prices by means of cooperative marketing providing that they can secure a majority of the land which is planted to tobacco throughout the old belt. They made it equally clear that they are ready to quit making a higher price for the majority of other tobacco farmers who have failed or refused to cooperate unless they too are willing to organize in the future to maintain a fair price for their tobacco.

Not one dissenting voice was heard when the farmers who represented the very cream of the tobacco growing industry of two states declared in a body for a contract which would bind every leaf of tobacco grown on the land

of every member of the new association. No loopholes, no half share crops, no fifty fifty cooperation was given a place in the new contract which was as near horse high, bull strong and hog tight as human thought could make it following three years of the most hideous exhibition of human weakness that has probably ever been disclosed in Virginia and North Carolina, by thousands of the men who pledged with their neighbors to support a movement for their mutual good and have secretly or openly violated their solemn contract.

The tobacco farmers themselves last week took the reins entirely into their own hands, electing C. R. Warren of Pittsylvania county as their chairman and remaining in session from 10:30 in the morning until 4:00 in the afternoon to formulate plans, settle upon a contract and name an organization committee for an association of old belt growers which will either control a majority of old belt tobacco or put cooperative marketing and price protection for tobacco completely out of business.

**Baptist Church**

Sunday school 9:30. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. The offering for the Orphanage is held over Sunday to give others opportunity to contribute. All are asked to hand in their envelopes at one of the services next Sunday.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

By virtue of an order made by Hon. J. Ira Lee, Clerk of the Superior Court of Johnston county on November 23, 1925, in the action entitled: "W. A. Massengill and J. A. Keen, Administrators of J. M. Massengill, dec'd., vs. Lucile Massengill, Widow, and Edwin Massengill," the undersigned will offer for sale on the premises in the town of Four Oaks at twelve o'clock Noon on Wednesday, December 23, 1925, the following described real estate:

First Tract: That tract known as his home place, on the West

side of Adams Street in the town of Four Oaks, adjoining the lands of W. A. Massengill, D. H. Sanders and others, containing about three-fourths (3-4) of an acre.

Second Tract: A vacant lot on Baker Street 140 feet by 150 feet. The Commissioner will sub-divide said lands into lots description of which will be shown at the sale. Terms of sale ten per cent on the day of sale, balance upon delivery of Deed.

This 23rd day of November, 1925.  
LEON G. STEVENS,  
Commissioner.

**MORTGAGEES SALE OF LAND**

By virtue of the powers contained in a mortgage deed, executed on the 6th day of December, 1922, by J. E. Parker and wife Stella Parker, to Bank of Four Oaks and Q. C. Parker, and duly recorded in the Registry of Johnston county on the 21st day of December 1922, in Book 120, page 78, and default having been made in the terms and conditions of said mortgage deed securing the payment of a certain note of even date, the undersigned will, on the 28th day of December 1925, sell at public auction, for cash, at the court house door in the town of Smithfield, at 12 o'clock M., the following lands, lying and being in Ingram's Township, Johnston county, and State of North Carolina and described and defined as follows, to-wit:

First Tract: Lot No. 4 allotted to J. E. Parker, beginning at a stake in J. E. Parker's line, corner of Lot No. 3 and runs with said line S. 88 E. 85.5 poles to a stake; thence S. 2 W. 19.3 poles; thence S. 88 E. 29.6 poles to a stake in Horse pen branch; thence up the run of said branch to a stake, G. W. Parker's corner; thence with said line N. 15.5 W. 3 poles to a stake, corner of Lot No. 5; thence N. 86 W. 51 poles to a stake in center of Parker's Road; thence with said road N. 27.5 E. 18 poles to a stake, corner of Lot No. 5; thence N. 62.5 W. 127 poles to a stake; thence N. 22 W. 22.8 poles to a bridge below the old mill across the canal in Beaver Dam Swamp; thence down said canal to a stake in J. E. Parker's line; thence N. 74 E. 4.6 poles to a stake J. E. Parker's corner; thence

with said line S. 7 E. 159.2 poles to the beginning, containing 67 acres, recorded in Book No. 6, page 120, plat on 118 in the office of Clerk of the Superior Court of Johnston County.

Second Tract: First Lot (deed made February 18, 1918, by Shade E. Lassiter to Joseph E. Parker) beginning at a stake S. E. Lassiter corner and runs S. E. 33 feet to a stake C. R. Adams line; thence N. E. 150 feet to another of C. R. Adams' line; thence N. W. 33 feet to S. E. Lassiter's line; thence S. 150 feet with said Lassiter's line to the beginning, being the same lot conveyed to S. E. Lassiter by the heirs of C. R. Adams, Registry of Johnston county, book 13 page 435.

Third Tract: Second lot: All of Lot No. 2 in block N. of the plan of the town of Four Oaks, N. C., and being the same conveyed to Laura Ford by the Eastern Carolina Land Improvement Company, and by her conveyed to Shade E. Lassiter being 60 by 150 feet.

Fourth Tract: Lot No. 3 being 18 feet on the south side of Lot No. 1 in block N. of the plan of the town of Four Oaks, N. C., and being a lot 18 feet by 150 feet. Lots No. 2 and 3 being combined into one lot 78 feet by 150 feet on which there stands a six room residence, being the same lot conveyed to Shade E. Lassiter by Laura Ford and A. D. Ford; One Tract of land inherited from his parents by

J. L. Cole and bounded as follows: Adjoining the lands of Mrs. C. Lee, G. W. Keen heirs; Mrs. H. E. Upchurch and the road leading to Smithfield, N. C., containing 7 1/2 acres, except two acres allowed by the appraisers to the said J. L. Cole, said exemption described as follows: beginning at corner of C. C. Lee's line on National Highway road and runs with said road about W. 105 feet; thence about S. parallel with the C. C. Lee line to the G. W. Keen estate line; thence about E. to the C. C. Lee line, to the beginning, and containing about two (2) acres, more or less. That each lot of land will be sold separately. This November 26, 1925.

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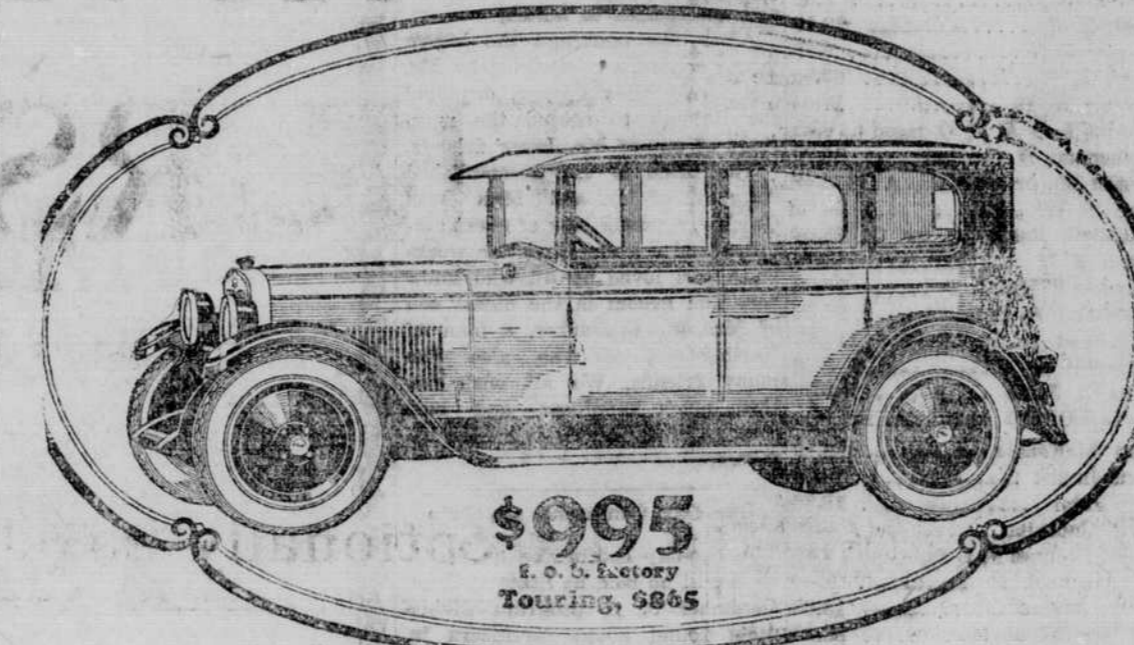
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**Grand Auction Sale!**

Thursday Dec. 10th 10:30 A.M.

We will sell in the following order for Preston Woodall

30 town lots in West Benson. These lots are well located and are among the most desirable that can be had for homes. Streets are now open through them and they are near in.

In addition to these lots we will sell the lot on Main and Railroad Street adjoining the stores that he is now doing business in.

We will also sell the following farms that will be sub-divided in large and small tracts to suit the average purchaser.

**Burnell Farm**

Burnell Farm is located on the National Highway, route 42 between Four Oaks and Benson. This is one of the best farms in this section, containing about 180 acres and will be sub-divided into about five or six tracts. This farm has one good six or seven room dwelling, good barns and out buildings, pack house and tobacco barns. It is conveniently located to schools and churches and is suitable for all crops grown in this section. A person wishing a good home well located will do well to purchase one of these tracts. This farm adjoins the lands of T. G. Allen, Joseph Johnson, R. F. Blackman and others, and is bounded on the West side of A. C. L. Railroad, all of the tracts will be cut so that they will front on the highway.

**Brooklyn View Farm**

This farm contains about 60 acres and will be sub-divided into three tracts. It is just outside the incorporated limits of the town of Benson, part of the tract extending within the town limits and is on the road leading from Benson to Elevation community. It adjoins the lands of Alonza Parrish, P. B. Johnson, Arlander Barbour and others. This is one of the best farms in the county for farming purposes and is close enough in to be cut into town lots at this time. If Benson grows for the next ten years as it has for the last ten this entire farm could be sub-divided and sold as town lots.

A small farm of about 35 acres adjoining the lands of L. S. Penny, Charlie Adams and Seth Woodall. This is an excellent farm for a small farmer, good land for either corn, cotton or tobacco with a fine little orchard and pasture.

Another small farm about two miles from Benson adjoining the lands of Joe Norris, Ben Tanner, Alonza Parrish and Mrs. Sarah Duncane.

In these sub-divisions a man can get any kind of farm that he wants in the best farming section of the State, located in good communities, all near town and are close enough in to enjoy all the advantages that a modern town can give.

Don't forget date Thurs. Dec. 10, 10:30 a.m.

**Band Concert : Free**

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Preston Woodall, Owner