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Deliberation Needed

The next work for the American people is the selection of a President. The "receptives" are now marching for inspection. It seems that a whole year is a long time to take to select a president; but when we think that there are more than a hundred million people all wanting to be president, it takes a long time to look them all over; and then again it is so hard to find a man fit for the job that no doubt it will take a year or more to find one.

The Greatest Disaster in American History

The Mississippi Flood has caused more loss in property than any other disaster that ever struck America. When we think of 700,000 people made homeless, it is enough to shock us. Of course, if we are too far off to see and do not take enough time to think seriously, it does not affect us so much. Yet when it comes near enough to fully arouse our appreciation, we are made to wonder that the foundations upon which we stand is so insecure.

The loss in property is estimated all the way from \$50,000,000 to one billion dollars, and embraces property of all classes and kinds. It has carried away the ancient landmarks. Stately oaks that once bore the marks of division between land owners have been washed from their foundations and carried many miles away. Many homes which had stood the floods for a century were swept away and carried to the Gulf to be lost forever.

It is doubtful, with such a picture before us, if we are doing our part in sympathy and substance to relieve the suffering and the sadness left in the path of destruction.

We are apparently too spasmodic—very sympathetic today and very forgetful tomorrow.

Demonstrates Value of Cooperation

The North Carolina Cotton Growers Association has demonstrated the value of cooperative marketing, according to figures taken from the short-tine pool of the 1926 crop, which has been settled in full.

The average price of cotton on the open market in September, 1926, was 16.9 cents a pound, which was just before we had any cotton to sell. In October the price dropped to 12.3 cents, more than 4.5 cents a pound less. In November the price had gone to 11.5 cents; in December, 11 cents. In January the price gained a half cent, and in February, it had reached 12.5. When we remember that the farmer sells 90 per cent of his cotton in October, November, December, and January, it does not make so much difference if it does sell high in June, July, August, and September, as the farmer never gets

the benefit of the high summer prices. He has to turn loose on the glutted markets which generally prevails in the four ginning months.

The Association paid a higher average to its members than was paid on the open market for the same period.

The association has also helped very much by holding cotton to be turned loose as needed for actual use, rather than to rush on a market which took the staple for speculative purposes only.

What the farmers need is a stabilized market, so the price is about as good when he sells as when the user buys. What the speculator wants is a low price when the producer sells and a high price when the

Freight Rates and Printing Rates

It may be possible that the printers are charging the State too much for the public printing. But isn't the governor a little out of his own path when he threatens to buy a State plant to do all of the printing.

It may be the proper thing to do, but the railroads are said to be charging too much for hauling freight.

It may be that the governor will buy the railroads and give the folks cheaper freight rates; and buy up the print shops and give the State its looks at the minimum cost.

Well, this would be a fine thing for

the people to get cheaper freights and cheaper printing.

—It means some change in the policy of our governor, since he has clearly been an advocate of private capital investment and against governmental monopoly. However, he may think that the rich railroads and the poor printers are under different schedules.

The State already has railroads and will not use them. It looks as if it was getting into the notion of owning printing plants. Will it use them?

consumer buys. A stabilized market can only be accomplished when the producer and consumer get nearer together.

North Carolina, Martin County

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of T. W. Revels, deceased, late of Martin County, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned at his office in the town of Williamston, North Carolina on or before the 9th day of June, 1928 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 9th day of June, 1927.
 ELBERT S. PEEL, Administrator
 je-10-6 of the estate of T. W. Revels.

NOTICE OF SALE OF \$25,000.00 TOWN OF COLUMBIA, NORTH CAROLINA, STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received until 9 o'clock, P. M. July 1, 1927, by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Columbia, North Carolina, at the Courthouse, for the purchase of TWENTY FIVE THOUSAND (\$25,000.00) OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS of said Town, dated July 1, 1927, and maturing \$1,000 July 1, 1930 and yearly thereafter until 1940, inclusive, and \$2,000 maturing July 1, 1941 and yearly thereafter until 1947, inclusive, and bearing interest at six percent per annum, payable semi-annually, denomination of \$1,000 each, and both principal and interest payable at the Hanover National Bank, in the City and State of New York.

An unlimited tax is authorized for the full payment of the interest and principal of these bonds.

Purchasers will be furnished with the approval opinion of Messrs. Storey, Thorndike, Palmer & Dodge, Attorneys, Boston, Mass., and the blank bonds, without charge.

The said bonds are issued under the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (Sections 21928 to 2965 Vol. 3, Consolidated Statutes of North Carolina)

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check upon an incorporated bank or trust company, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Town of Columbia, N. C. for two percent of the face value of the bonds, bid for to secure the Town against any loss resulting from failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of this sale. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

W. H. McCLEES, Clerk,
 Town of Columbia, N. C.
 Julius S. Peel, Attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain Deed of Trust executed to the undersigned Trustee on the 23rd day of October, 1924, and of record in the Martin County Registry, in Book Q-2, at page 195, securing certain bonds of even date therewith, and the stipulations not having been complied with and at the request of the holder of said bonds, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 1st day of July, 1927, at 12 o'clock, Noon, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property:

Lots Nos. 14, 15, and 20, in Block A of the J. W. Watts Farm Land division as surveyed and platted by D. C. James, C. E. Said plat being of record in the Public Registry of Mar-

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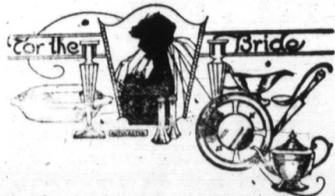
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Romance is perennial—the popularity of marriage seems to be increasing, and the giving of wedding gifts flourishes still. June, of course, will have its full quota of June brides, and there will be the usual number of worried friends and relatives searching for the proper gift. However, we have searched so well there is need for you to search but little, for we have arranged several groups of articles, ranging in price from \$1.00 to \$10.00.

Come in and Select Your Gift

CLARK'S DRUG STORE

tin County, in Land Division Book No. 1 at page.....

This the 1st day of June, 1927.
 E. S. PEEL,
 Trustee.

Je-3-4t
 Place of sale: Court House Door,
 Williamston, N. C.

NOTICE

Having this day qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Theodore Roberson, late of Martin County, all persons holding claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same for payment to me on or before the 7th day of April, 1928 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

LOUIDE ROBERSON,
 Admrx. Theo.
 Roberson Est.
 my-10-6t
 This 7th day of April, 1927.

NOTICE

Having qualified as executrix of the estate of Mary H. Ward, deceased, late of Martin County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit same to the undersigned at Williamston on or before the 12th day of May, 1928, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 12th day of May, 1927.
 Mrs. EMMA THOMPSON,
 my17 6tw Executrix.

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Smoked sausage, lb. 25c	
Franks, lb. 25c	



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Georgia Lady Could Not Sleep Nights, But After Taking Cardui She Was "Like a Different Person."

Comer, Ga.—Mrs. C. H. Smith, of this place, related the following interesting experience:

"I was weak and nervous and run-down. I couldn't sleep at night. I felt tired and not in condition to do my work. I had Cardui recommended to me, but always thought I could out-do most sickness, but this was one time I needed help. I was so weak I could hardly lift my hand."

"I can't express how bad I felt. I know I improved after taking Cardui. I was like a different person. I was built up and was stronger and better than in a long time."

"I have a young daughter who had the 'flu,' and after she got up she would once in a while have such severe cramping spells, just suffer terribly. I knew there was a weakness and, hoping Cardui would reach this trouble, I had her take it, and the first bottle helped her so much she was able to leave it off and does not have this trouble now."

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