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Pave the Streets

What should Williamston do about paving her streets is a question now at issue. Some say "No," which seems to be the wrong answer. Of course, "too poor to pay for it" is the objection raised. This answer is entirely untrue.

Nobody denies the fact that people generally are in financial straits—but why? Nobody is poor because of the spending for things they actually need. But we are almost dead poor because we are spending so much for the things we do not actually need.

It is a fact which has been clearly demonstrated that the people are going to keep on in the same course. Now, if we actually need paving—which must be admitted—the town board will be doing the people a favor to pave the streets and make them pay for it with some of the money they will be sure to throw away for some of our modern pleasures.

We will never be more able to pave than we are now, and nobody is going to pave our streets for us. So why not do the reasonable thing and pave as much of the town's streets and sidewalks as possible?

Williamston now has the worst streets of any town of its size in Eastern North Carolina, which really injures our town, because its dilapidated streets are an eyesore to every stranger that passes our way.

Pave the streets. It will be a benefit to the people and not a burden, as some seem to think.

Time for Calling the Trusts

Congress has at last authorized the building of Boulder Dam on the Colorado River. It is estimated to cost \$165,000,000. This seems to be a distinct victory over the Electric Power Trust, which has fought the project quite vigorously through means of propaganda.

It will be a revelation to the public to know how cheap electricity can be generated, and it is quite possible that was one of the reasons why the Power Trust fought the project. They are evidently unwilling for the public to know very much about electricity, except enough to buy it from them.

It is high time that the sundry trusts of this country should be called to the books, before the liberties of the people are finally absorbed by them.

The Building and Loan Association

The Martin County Building and Loan Association is one of the outstanding institutions of the county and has served two good purposes. First, it has built many houses—for people who, in most cases, could not have owned a home otherwise. And again it has been a good investment for people who wished to make small systematic savings. They not only save small amounts weekly but receive 6 per cent interest clear of all taxes and cost.

So far, nothing has been found safer nor better to invest money in than building and loan shares. It keeps the money at home to build homes to pay taxes on and helps to keep up and sustain the town government.

The building and loan association makes people thrifty. They save a part of their earnings and have something when hard times come.

FOR SALE: EARLY JERSEY Wakefield cabbage plants, 20 cents per hundred; five thousand and over cheaper. These are the finest plants I have ever grown. Please let me have your orders. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Joseph L. Holliday's East Side Farm, Williamston, N. C. Plants on sale until March 1st, 1929. n16 ft

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by H. L. Davis and wife, Dora Davis, on the 20th day of December, 1922, and of record in the public registry of Martin County, in book No. 336, said deed of trust having been given to secure a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, and a default having been made in the payment of the said note and the stipulations contained in the said deed of trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of the said note the undersigned trustee will on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following

described real estate, to wit: The remaining part of the William E. Wright tract of land as was owned and sold and deeded by L. F. Waters to S. D. Aderholt, and the said S. D. Aderholt selling and deeding to the said H. L. Davis 20 acres of the tract as was deeded by the said L. F. Waters and now the said Aderholt has sold to the said H. L. Davis the remainder and of which this lien covers. The same said to contain 30 acres, more or less. This the 26th day of December, 1928. d28 4tw P. W. BRINKLEY, Trustee. Elbert S. Peel, attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power and authority conferred upon the undersigned trustee by that certain deed of trust of record in book A-2, at page 289 of the Martin County Public Registry and bearing date December 2nd, 1919, default having been made in the payment of the notes secured by said deed of trust, and the stipulations thereof not having been complied with, the undersigned trustee will on Saturday, the 20th day of January, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon at the courthouse door of Martin County, at Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale, at public auc-

The Kellogg Treaty

What will Congress do with the Kellogg peace treaty? Naturally, the answer should be: Adopt it with reverence and sacred ceremony—which will be done unless what we call "dirty politics" comes up.

It was strange when Woodrow Wilson, a Democrat, put the greatest paper before the Senate that was ever presented for the procuring of peace, that the United States should have let politics kill it and place the world in a frowning condition, when it might have passed it and put the world in a state of good fellowship.

Now things are reversed, and Kellogg, a Republican, is presenting something pointing in the same direction as did Wilson's treaty—and, admittedly, not near so good. What will the Senate do with it? It is to be hoped that the leading Democrats will not stoop as low as did Lodge.

County Banks Stronger Than Ever

The official bank statements of the Farmers & Merchants Bank, of this city, and the Bank of Hamilton show these banks' condition stronger than for a number of years.

The banks have, besides their regular assets, a liquid guarantee fund which would enable them to convert their assets into cash upon the shortest notice.

All the banks of Martin County have followed the strictest methods of careful banking for a number of years; and, while they have not made large profits for their stockholders, they have made provisions for the perfect safety of their depositors, which is the first principle of good banking.

An Idea Worth Imitating

The Mexican senate has recently passed an act that should be commended by our American legislators. It requires all government cars used by officials to be sold, except one for the President. They also withdrew the expense allowance of officials.

That is a very fine example of economy and will go a long way in stabilizing a safe and sound governmental system. It is contrary to the American system, where many officials try to hog it all.

The idea of the Mexican senate seems to be that men in office and men out of office should fare alike. They do not proceed on the theory that an officer should be elevated to a higher plane of living than other folks, nor that his labor is worth more than that of other people.

Whither Are We Drifting?

Are the organizations which men have followed through the centuries to die by default. The condition is really serious, if not alarming.

As we line the church, the fraternal and most of the civic organizations on the one side, we find the attendance either at a standstill or diminishing. Standing in the line of the theater, the pleasure resorts of all kinds, we find the way crowded with masses of people who seem to have one great purpose, "see." This condition does not stop with the young, but the old are also deserting the institutions that stabilize our society and are rushing with the young in the wild chase for pleasure.

It would be a safe guess to say that not more than 10 per cent of Masons are found at the regular meetings of their lodges. It is also true that the decrease in attendance is at least 50 per cent during the past 15 years. People are taking up very little time with character building institutions, but are rushing and plunging into the great whirlpool of pleasure.

The people will have to attend church to get the benefits of church, and they will likewise have to attend any other institution if they are to have a going and a beneficial institution.

The question is, "Shall the church be weakened, masonry and others of the noble institutions be destroyed by desertion?"

Tex Rickard

Tex Rickard, the promoter of prize fighting, who died in Florida recently, was taken to New York this week in a \$15,000 coffin and was met by a great throng of admiring people, so large that the police force had to beat back the crowd. While the profession of fight promoting may not be of the highest type, yet in Tex Rickard beat a great heart of love. He possibly did a portion of his promotion from a money standpoint, yet like a large part of the human race, the love for sport and a desire to excel was the chief thing that actuated him. And it can well be said that he was the king of his profession.

Carolina, offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following described real estate, lying and being in Martin County, to wit:

First tract: Beginning at three poles on Harrell's Branch, running thence north 46 east, 140 poles to a pine; thence east 80 poles to the center of four pines; thence south 65 east to the center of Rocky Swamp; thence down the center of said swamp to W. R. Brown's corner; thence north 73 west along said Brown's line to the first station, containing 162 acres, more or less. All adjoining the lands of W. R. Brown.

Second tract: The tract of land deeded to me by Samuel B. Hunter and wife, bounded as follows: On the north by the lands of Collin Greene; on the east by Rocky Swamp; on the south by the lands of the late George Jenkins; on the west by the lands of the late Moses Harrell; being 200 acres, more or less. Same being lot No. 1 of the division of the late William R. Brown lands to said division.

Third tract: The Stephen Brown place. Bounded on the south by the Norman lands; on the west by Weesner and Combs; on the north by Hunter lands, now owned by me; on the east by the lands of A. W. Beech; the Cleman lands, containing 125 acres. Dated this 18th day of December, 1928.

A. R. DUNNING, Trustee. d21 4tw

NOTICE OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the authority contained in a certain deed of trust, executed by Don Johnson and wife, Lucy Mae Johnson, bearing date of December 13th, 1924, and recorded in book A-2, page 219, Martin County public registry, said deed of trust having been given to secure the payment of two notes of even date and tenor thereto, to wit: One pair bay mare mules. One pair black mare mules. One black horse mule. The above being the mules purchased by J. T. Stevenson and J. N. Pugh from John F. Thigpen under title-retaining note during the months of January and February, 1928. This 20th day of December, 1928. JOHN F. THIGPEN, Mortgagee. Hugh G. Horton, attorney. d21 3tw

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Report of the condition of the BANK OF HAMILTON at Hamilton, North Carolina, to the Corporation Commission at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1928.

RESOURCES: Loans and discounts \$62,887.22; United States Bonds 8,000.00; Banking house 5,022.25; Furniture and fixtures 1,700.00; Cash in vault and amounts due from approved depository banks 49,168.79; Checks for clearing and transit items 135.44; Total \$126,913.70. LIABILITIES: Capital stock paid in \$15,000.00; Surplus fund 5,000.00; Undivided profits (net amount) 417.80; Other deposits subject to check 80,122.32; Cashier's checks outstanding 750.01; Time certificates of deposit (due on or after 30 days) 25,623.57; Total \$126,913.70. State of North Carolina; County of Martin, ss: F. L. Haislip, cashier, P. L. Salsbury, director, and W. S. Rhodes, director, of the above named bank, each personally appeared before me this day, and, being duly sworn, each for himself, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

F. L. HAILSLIP, Cashier. P. L. SALSBUARY, Director. W. S. RHODES, Director. Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10th day of January, 1929. R. A. EDMONDSON, Notary Public.

A SERIOUS CHANGE

Kentucky Lady Was Seriously Ill for Months But Was Finally Relieved By Cardui.

Lawrenceburg, Ky.—"At a time in my life, when my health was undergoing a serious change," says Mrs. J. C. Ray, who lives near here, "I found Cardui to be of the greatest benefit to me. I was seriously ill for about two months, and for several months I was not well. My nerves were all unstrung. I could not bear the least noise around me. I could not sleep. My head ached until it seemed as if it would burst. My feet and limbs swelled dreadfully. I felt tired all the time. When I was up, I dragged around the house, but most of the time I spent on the bed. I got Cardui and began taking it regularly. Very soon I could see that it was helping me. I began to sleep better and eat more. The awful nervousness got better. When I had finished the first bottle, I was much better than I had been for many weeks. I was so encouraged that I kept right on. Before very long I was doing all my housework and was feeling quite well."

"Thousands of other women have been helped by Cardui after long suffering from weakness and nervousness." NC-128



with, and default having been made in the payment of the said notes, and the terms and conditions in said deed of trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said note, the undersigned trustee will, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, 1929, at 12 o'clock noon, at the courthouse door of Martin County, at Williamston, North Carolina, offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, lying and being in Martin County, to wit:

That tract of land commonly known as "The Spivey Tract of land," bounded on the north by the Speight farm; on the east by the lands of R. G. Harrison and the Speight farm; on the south by the public road leading from Williamston to Hamilton, N. C., and on the west by J. C. Staton, J. A. Everett, and others, and being the property of the Roanoke Real Estate Company,

ing and being in Martin County, to wit: That tract of land commonly known as "The Spivey Tract of land," bounded on the north by the Speight farm; on the east by the lands of R. G. Harrison and the Speight farm; on the south by the public road leading from Williamston to Hamilton, N. C., and on the west by J. C. Staton, J. A. Everett, and others, and being the property of the Roanoke Real Estate Company,

same premises deeded to Don Johnson said deed being hereby referred to and made a part hereof for the purpose of giving a perfect description, and containing sixty-five (65) acres, more or less, and being the same premises cultivated during the year 1924 by B. F. Perry. Dated this 20th day of December, 1928. A. R. DUNNING, Trustee. d28 4tw

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Beyond all Expectations!

-say those who have seen the

Outstanding Chevrolet of Chevrolet History

-a Six in the price range of the four!

The Outstanding Chevrolet of Chevrolet History has now been seen and inspected by millions of people in every section of America—and everywhere it has been enthusiastically hailed as exceeding all expectations. Everyone anticipated that Chevrolet would produce a remarkable automobile—but no one expected such a sensational six-cylinder motor... such delightful handling ease... such marvelous comfort... such luxurious Fisher bodies... and a fuel-economy of better than 20 miles to the gallon! And no one believed that it would be possible to produce such a car in the price range of the four!

If you have not already made a personal inspection of the new Chevrolet, we urge you to do so at your earliest convenience. We are now displaying these beautiful new models—and we cordially invite you to call.

Price list for Chevrolet models: The Roadster \$525, The Coach \$725, The Sedan \$595, The Coupe \$595, The Sport Cabriolet \$695. All prices f. o. b. Flint, Michigan.



Read what these leading automobile editors said after seeing and riding in the new Chevrolet Six—

"In appearance, performance and mechanical nicety the new Chevrolet Six presents actual values far beyond its price range." —Hazen Conklin, New York World

"Aside from beauty in body lines and attractiveness in finish, the astounding feature of the new Chevrolet Six is its powerful and flexible motor. One will have to go far to equal the high performance of this new Chevrolet in general road and traffic use." —Leon J. Pinkson, San Francisco Chronicle

"The new Chevrolet is a triumph for volume production. The car at its price is one of the greatest achievements ever recorded in the automobile industry. Its beauty is a treat; its riding comfort a new delight and its performance a real sensation." —Ray Priest, Detroit Times

"St. Louis motordom is tremendously enthused over the new Chevrolet Six. Personally I have never seen the public so interested in a new car. The factory should be congratulated on the truly monumental engineering feat it has accomplished." —Robert Henry Hall, St. Louis Post-Dispatch

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QUALITY AT LOW COST

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Planters and Merchants Bank

EVERETTS, N. C.

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DECEMBER 31ST, 1928

RESOURCES

Resources table: Loans and discounts \$126,901.22; Bonds 13,350.00; Cash in banks, cash on hand, and cash items 143,249.42; Real estate, furniture and fixtures 6,385.00; Total \$289,885.64

LIABILITIES

Liabilities table: Capital stock \$15,000.00; Surplus and undivided profits 13,575.42; Dividends unpaid 1,311.50; Cashier's checks outstanding 2,282.03; Deposits 254,462.60; Special reserve 1,193.09; Reserved for depreciation 2,061.00; Total \$289,885.64

We thank you for helping us to make 1928 our biggest year, and we trust you will help us make 1929 just a little larger