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The East Is Willing To Do Its Part

The State administration's little tin horn, J. C. Baskerville, has tooted again. He is now belittling Eastern North Carolina because it pays so little taxes.

Why doesn't he tell the whole story, so the people will understand it? The truth is, the great factories of the Piedmont have buried their roots so deep in the raw-product producing section of North Carolina and sucked the field so dry that the East is not able to pay the taxes. Somebody else has sucked their profits until they only get half cost for their field products, and they are losing their homes by the thousands.

The East is willing to play the role of producer, and is willing to pay its fair share of taxes, and it has always done so, and more, too.

But, when a section is stripped of all it has and is then shot at with political bunk, the righteous indignation of patriotic citizens is kindled. Let Mr. Baskerville note the fact that when Eastern North Carolina was making money, it paid taxes without a murmur, or a complaint, or a lobby.

Catch Up With the World

The new ruling permitting railroads to raise freight rates will apparently work out about like the millers, who have now adopted the rule of grinding a bushel of corn and taking the meal and an extra bushel of corn for the toll.

If the farmer's tobacco goes any lower, and the freight charges go much higher, it will take two hogsheads of tobacco to pay the freight on one.

Farmers ought to charge more for their crops and keep up with the rest of the world.

Our Big Two-Ring Circus Begins

Congress has entered on its long hair-pulling political football campaign. After all, it looks like the main issue is getting elected next time.

Even when people are crying for relief nothing is done that will hurt the party, even if it would help the people. One thing seems pretty well settled. That is that the politicians are hankering after the money bags.

Perhaps what the country needs is to kill business and let the people survive. We need a different business barometer. As it is now, when a few big concerns are getting big dividends, business is supposed to be good, even if the common herd is starving.

The trouble is that the world's income has been absorbed in dividends, a condition that has gone so far that all the money is in the hands of the few.

Return of Silver Would Help

Arthur Brisbane, noted editorial writer, says America can restore prosperity by stabilizing silver, just as England has done, which is bringing much trade to England from the Orient.

Mr. Brisbane is right. Putting silver back into common use will raise the price of peanuts, cotton, tobacco, wheat and practically everything that we possess, with the exception of gold, which it will lower, and mortgages, which it will also lower. That is, if a man holds a \$1,000 mortgage on a \$5,000 home or farm, it is now worth more than either, because under existing conditions the mortgage will take the whole farm or the home, but if the price of the products of the farm is raised, then the mortgage will not take more than half the farm.

But the tug comes when we get to Washington. The gold holders and the mortgage holders say "Squeeze 'em down," for the lower you carry land, houses, and merchandise, the higher you carry gold. "We few money lords," they say, "have the gold, and the people own the property, and we can take it at our own figures." Of course, that is what they are doing.

The gold in this country is standing like a lion in the path of prosperity and killing the value of everything else except itself.

War-Making Psychologists

It seems strange that as soon as a man gets promotion he goes in for big expenditures.

The new American Legion commander, Henry L. Stevens, has been doped with the idea that we need great means of defense. Well, if we keep robbing the folks—at home and abroad—by high tariffs and go at everything for rough and tumble graft, he may be right. But what Mr. Stevens needs to do is to advise and work for peace and prosperity. We are already spending nearly all of our Government money for war. Just as long as we follow such a line of extravagance we will have hard times all the time and a bloody war occasionally.

The folks that make war are great psychologists, whether they know it or not. They can make fools of the people all the time.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale conferred upon me by a deed of trust executed by James S. Rhodes and wife, Carrie Rhodes, dated July 20th, 1921, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book G-2, at page 336, said deed of trust having been given to secure a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, default having been made in the payment of 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 said note, the undersigned trustee will, on the 19th day of December, 1931, at 12 o'clock, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit:

The house and lot in the town of Williamston, lying on the west side of Houghton Street, on the south by the lands of C. H. Godwin and on the west by the lands of E. P. Bunch and J. W. Hodges and being the corner lot and also the second lot from Cherry Street and being a part of the land deeded to James S. Rhodes by S. J. Everett and being the same premises described in deed of trust to the Martin County Building and Loan Association, dated December 18th, 1916, and recorded in book S-1, at page 5.

This 18th day of November, 1931.
W. C. MANNING, Trustee.
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Elbert S. Peel, Attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by Willie Sherrod, dated June 8, 1927, and of record in book Y-2, page 257, to secure certain bonds of even date therewith, and the stipulations contained in the said deed of trust not having been complied with and at the request of the holder of said bonds, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 24th day of December, 1931, at 12 o'clock, Noon, in front of the

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Not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said bonds, the undersigned trustee will, on 16th day of December, 1931, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the courthouse door of Martin County, at 12 o'clock noon, the following described land:

This 14th day of November, 1931.
WHEELER MARTIN, Trustee.
n17 4tw

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned Trustee, of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book C-3, page 364, and the stipulations not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said bonds, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 24th day of December, 1931, at 12 o'clock, Noon, in front of the

Courthouse door of Martin County offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described land: Being a part of the land described in deed from John Roberson and wife to Amanda Roberson, of record in Book 000, page 382, which belongs to Edna Whitley, adjoining the A. C. L. Railroad, the grantor's land in deed on two sides, and being a lot 30 feet on the front and back, and 60 feet deep.

This 23rd day of November, 1931.
B. A. CRITCHER, Trustee.
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Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale, contained in that certain deed of trust executed by B. S. Hathaway and wife, Ilda Hathaway, and of record in the public registry of Martin County, in book Y-2, at page 543, said trust deed having been given to secure the payment of certain notes of even date therewith, and default having been made in the payment of the same, and the terms and stipulations in said deed

of trust not having been complied with, the undersigned trustee will, on Monday, the 28th day of December, 1931, 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 land, to wit: Lying and being in Robersonville Township, Martin County, N. C., and known as the Pennie Powell tract of land, and containing one hundred sixty-seven (167) acres, more or less, and bounded as follows: on the north side by the lands of David Roberson, on the south by the lands of Bob Andrews, on the east by the lands of Dave Black, and on the west by the lands of Della Andrews and the public road, said lands being all of the lands devised under will of Penelope Powell to the said Ilda Hathaway, and being the same lands conveyed to B. S. Hathaway and Ilda Hathaway, by deed from B. A. Critcher, commissioner, dated June 12th, 1919, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in book B-2, at page 123. This the 25th day of November, 1931.
R. H. SALSBUURY, Trustee.
n27 4tw

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