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Expect Too Much

The Institute of Government at Chapel Hill has just issued its bulletin, "Popular Government, which has many very sound ideas—things that would improve our business methods in government. However, we have reached a point where the only kind of popular government is that kind which gives us all the profits and none of the losses of the system."

If a burglar enters our homes, or a thief steals our chickens, we want the sheriff to come like a tornado, at the midnight or any other hour, and swoop down on him and carry him to jail. We want the thief or burglar to languish there until the court time comes along, then send him away for a life term—but we don't want it to cost us anything, certainly not much. We assume that we can get things done without much cost, even where there is great hazard and much hardship.

We don't like to pay taxes, yet we want wide roads, big schoolhouses, long school terms, and like for our children to graduate with honors. We do not like to support government, but we do want government to support and protect us, and guarantee us the right, as well as free opportunities, to squander our substance in riotous living and extravagance.

We like to support bottling works and amusements of various kinds, but we don't like to pay taxes to support our government or to contribute to the church life. Our hands, minds, and hearts seem to be inclined to the pleasures of life.

A Valuable Crop

News and Observer

No matter how many or how valuable may be the crops produced in North Carolina this season, this State has already produced a crop of essays representing a sizeable if intangible contribution to the future wealth of the State.

In the Cotton Cooperative Association's contest for the best essays on the subject, "How to grow Cotton Profitably," 7,000 school children participated. This means that 7,000 future farmers and farm women are seriously concerned about the future of the South's great money crop.

It probably means that brains will be a larger factor in cotton farming of tomorrow.

A Heavyweight Match

That sparring bout between Mr. Garner and Mr. Hoover has warmed up to be a real heavyweight match. It seems to us that Garner was in the right.

The Hoover idea of helping the big folks and getting them, in turn, to help the little ones, is exactly contrary to the experience of people in this country in the past. They know the big fish have eaten up the little ones in the past, and—knowing the greedy disposition of the special interests—realize that the little folks need not expect any favors from those who have already oppressed them.

The Garner principle, which stands for equal help to all people in all kinds of legitimate business, is sound democracy and should prevail.

Seven Greatest Mistakes

Exchange.

All men make mistakes, for to make mistakes is human. Yet there are some outstanding mistakes which are general and which play an important part in the destinies of man. One who has given close studies to the frailties of individuals enumerates what he considers to be the seven greatest mistakes of man. They are as follows:

1. The delusion that individual advancements is made by crushing others down.
2. The tendency to worry about things that can not be changed or corrected.
3. Insisting that a thing is impossible because we ourselves can not accomplish it.
4. Refusing to set aside trivial preferences in order that important things may be accomplished.
5. Neglecting development and refinement of the mind by not acquiring the habit of reading.
6. Attempting to compel other persons to believe and live as we do.
7. The failure to establish the habit of saving money.

Sounds like a pretty fair diagnosis of the ills that beset us, and every one might profit by "checking up" in the light of these seven suggestions.

Political Mistakes

Roanoke-Chowan Times

Both major political parties in this country seem to be experts in making mistakes. The matter of injecting Prohibition into political campaigns and writing it into party platforms not only demonstrates unsound judgment, but reveals the mentality of these party leaders.

Prohibition never has been a true political issue. It never can be. It is purely a moral problem. It not only has been, but will always be. Thinking people of any nation burdened with the liquor evil must meet and solve it with a moral solution. Politics will always be found meddling in anything and in everything. One may expect it to meddle with the moral problems as well.

The pretention of our national convention delegates undertaking to write out the social gospel for this country is ridiculous. Political parties have said to the Church, "Keep out of politics!" The Church would say to American politics, "Keep your hands out of our moral problem!" Social cleanliness and social morality are the sacred jobs of the Church, not partisan politics.

As long as political parties make political mistakes and corrupt the streams where human travel must wend their way, the church must correct these harmful mistakes with purely moral methods. For the Church's mission is not political, but moral. Let politics keep out of our moral problems, and the Church will stand aloof, separate and apart from politics.

TYPHOID IS EASY TO COMBAT SAYS HEALTH OFFICER

Number Cases Shows Big Increase in State This Year

Dr. J. M. Parrott, State health officer, has just issued a statement saying, "There have been two and one-half times as many cases of typhoid fever in North Carolina during the first five months of 1932, as during the corresponding period of 1931. 'It is coming like a thief in the night,' unexpectedly and without warning. In fact, typhoid fever is increasing so rapidly and in such widely distributed sections that the State Department of Health is deeply concerned over the matter."

"This concern becomes all the more great," continues Dr. Parrott, "because the funds of the State are very limited and the problem of tracing out and finding each case is more than ordinarily a local one. I earnestly and firmly advise all people to be vaccinated and consult their doctors and local health services concerning the proper sanitation of their water, milk, and food supplies." This is the first step in finding the answer to the question, "How many people shall we allow to die from typhoid fever?"

Dr. Parrott goes on to say, "I am definitely of the opinion that typhoid fever has not assumed anything that approximates the proportions of an epidemic, but I do feel that the situation is fraught with real danger, and that we must not fail to keep up our high standard of sanitation throughout the state. In 1930, the death rate from typhoid in five of our cities which have a standard milk ordinance and well-regulated water supply, and in which there is a reasonable amount of vaccination against typhoid fever, was 27, and that, too, in the face of the fact that those cities are medical centers to which typhoid cases gravitate and which receive the 'credit' for the death. During the same year, 1930, the death rate from typhoid in five rural counties which do not have standard milk ordinances and well-regulated water supplies, and in which vaccination has not been as thorough as it ought, the death rate was 127."

Concluding, the State Health Officer states, "Typhoid fever is a disease which can easily be prevented by a simple procedure—immunization. I take this occasion to urge our public officials to remember that while sickness is always a serious matter, it is a real calamity during this depression, and that it is always much more important to have a low death rate than a low tax rate."

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 William Ruffin and wife, Bessie Ruffin, on the 24th day of January, 1928, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book Y-2 at page 392, 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 same and the stipulation contained in the 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 13th day of August, 1932, at 12 o'clock M. 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:

Being a house and lot situate in the Town of Williamston, N. C., and beginning at S. R. Reddick's corner on Reddick Street and running westwardly along said S. R. Reddick's line 110 feet to Bill Thompson's line; thence southward along said Bill Thompson's line 48 feet to a post, thence along Bill Thompson's line eastwardly to an iron stob on Reddick Street, thence along Reddick Street to the beginning, and being the same land deeded to P. W. Wright by William and Hattie Thompson on the 9th day of April, 1921, which said deed is of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book E-2 at page 112, and being the identical land and premises this day deeded to William Ruffin and wife, Bessie Ruffin, by Elbert S. Peel, trustee.

This the 13th day of July, 1932.
ELBERT S. PEEL,
Jy 15-4tw Trustee.

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 W. L. Bennett and F. C. Bennett and wife, Fannie M. Bennett, on the 28th day of August, 1928, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book Y-2 at page 495, 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 same and the stipulation contained in the 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 13th day of August, 1932, at 12 o'clock M. in front of the courthouse door in the Town of Williamston, North Carolina,

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offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to-wit:

First tract: Being the same tract of land conveyed to Merrick Williams as evidenced by deed from T. B. Slade, bearing date of November 3rd, 1902, recorded in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book SSS at page 64, containing by actual survey 51 1-2 acres, more or less. Reference is hereby made to said deed for a more accurate description.

Second tract: Beginning at the Northwestern corner of the Mary Jones tract of land on the McGaskey Road, thence down said road 150 feet to an iron stob, thence a Southerly course a straight line parallel with the lane to the back line of the John Moore farm, thence along the John Moore line to the said lane, thence along the said lane to the Southeastern corner of the Mary Jones tract of land,

thence along the fence, Mary Jones line, to the beginning, containing 25 acres, more or less."

Third tract: Bounded on the West by Mrs. Jane Purvis, (formerly John Moore's farm) and Mary Jones land on the West, and McGaskey road on the north and W. J. Bennett on the East or along a line agreed to by W. J. Bennett and F. C. Bennett to-wit: Beginning at an iron stake at a ditch on the McGaskey Road, running along said ditch to its mouth an iron stake, thence a straight line by a pine to the back line of said W. J. Bennett's farm.

Fourth tract: Bounded on the north by the McGaskey and the lands of W. M. Sitterton, on the east by the lands of J. F. Nicholson, on the south by the lands of Elmer Chesson and the Coffield farm and on the south by the lands of W. J. Bennett, containing 85 acres, more or less, and being the lands whereon F. C. Bennett and brother,

W. L. Bennett, now reside and being more particularly known and described as the Nancy Bennett Place.

Fifth tract: Being a one-half undivided interest in the property in the town of Williamston, North Carolina, commonly known and designated as the Farmers Warehouse, adjoining Washington Street, Harrison Wholesale Company and others in said town, the same comprising all of the lands and rights more fully set out in deed of trust from F. C. Bennett and wife, Fannie Bennett, to N. K. Harrison, trustee, for the Farmers and Merchants Bank dated July 9th, 1928, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book Y-2 at page 483. Reference is hereby made to said deed of trust for a more definite description.

This the 13th day of July, 1932.
ELBERT S. PEEL,
Jy 15-4tw Trustee.

Young's Saturday Specials

We cut prices at the beginning of our July Sale, but before this sale closes next week we have slashed and chiseled prices to the bone. Just look at these prices. Every item we have mentioned is way below cost. Don't fail to attend this big Saturday Sale—

Saturday, July 16th

It will only last one day, so be here early and take advantage of these prices

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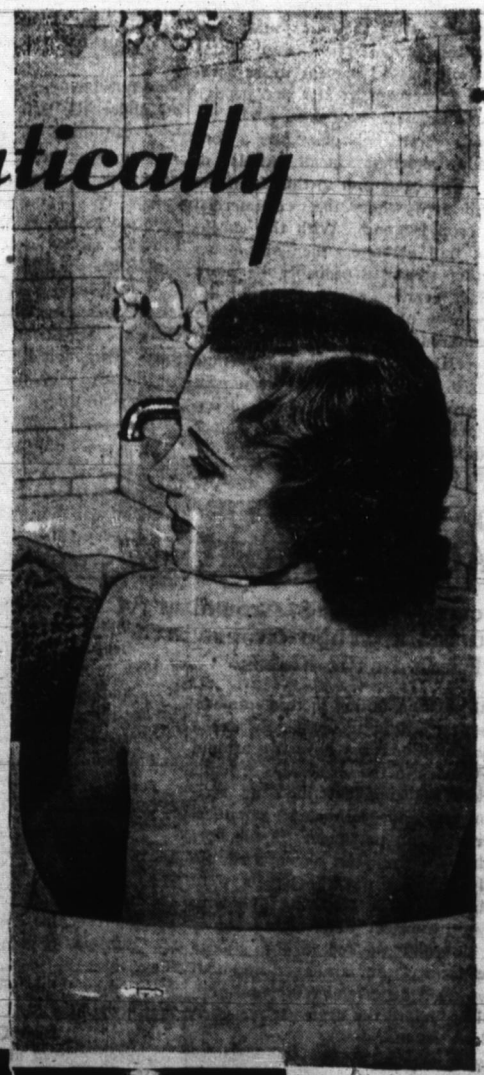
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