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The Best Fixed Man in the Country

The best fixed man in the United States today is the farmer who has farmed for a living and not for money.

When all farmers follow that system, times will improve, certainly so far as those who practice that system are concerned. They should not make the mistake of trying to farm for money any longer.

Probably Too Much Boyish Optimism

Mr. Farley, Franklin D. Roosevelt's campaign manager, claims every state in the Union for his man. And, no doubt the Democrats are entitled to all the states, but Mr. Farley should remember that there are many dirty tricks in politics, and things are not always as they should be.

While here is hoping that Mr. Roosevelt gets a sweeping majority next November, we fear that Mr. Farley is possessed of too much boyish optimism.

Plain Talk

Guy A. Cardwell, agricultural and industrial agent for the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, had some interesting things to say in a recent article, labeled "Plain Talk."

Many unsound plans are suggested and oftentimes put into operation by well-meaning people during periods of economic distress. And yet it might be unwise to discourage even loose thought and premature action, because by experimentation and hard experience good is sometimes derived.

Plans that would be condemned in normal times may work to the advantage of the largest number of people in times of breakdown through the sheer forces of personality and enthusiasm; however, one can hardly endorse the ideas of those who propose to cure our financial ills with further large appropriations and expenditures.

Past extravagant standards should not be maintained even temporarily by further extravagant expenditures, for in this direction lies complete personal and national ruin.

What we need is neither extravagant spending nor unwise hoarding, but sane thinking and moderation in buying.

We have referred in the past to the lack of trade balance from which Southeastern States and communities are suffering. We have been drained dry by

efficient manufacturers and live salesmen of thousands of articles made in other sections, which we desired and thought we could not do without. Then too, regional inferiority-complex, under which we of the South labor has had a good deal to do with our buying habits.

We should try to shake off this unfortunate feeling and spend our hard-earned dollars for home goods when possible. This practice, under existing conditions would, in our opinion, be of advantage to the community, state and section in which we reside.

Exchange of products or trade between sections and nations is ordinarily a sound policy, and we should not be selfish to the extent of trying to live to ourselves; but we must to a considerable extent stop the flow of dollars out of the territory in which we are primarily interested, until that time when other sections will take our lumber, cotton, tobacco, peanuts, fruits and vegetables and other raw products at prices that will give us a profit sufficient to warrant us in ignoring to some extent our local manufacturers, and enable us to participate on more even terms in buying in the market places of the North, East and West.

Each community will largely have to take care of its own people until there is general stimulation in business and improved opportunities for profitable employment.

Some communities are encouraging the preservation of food by canning surplus products given by truck-farmers who have sold the fruits of their fields and labor as long as profitable sales could be made. These goods will be used next winter to partially relieve those families needing help, thus effecting a real saving.

Surplus Irish and sweet potatoes, and cowpeas if available, and if arrangements can be made to keep them in sound condition, would also help solve the food problem next winter.

Other serious winter problems ahead of most communities are fuel and housing for the destitute. During the months just ahead those communities that have access to cheap fuel, wood, will get supplies together and hold for careful distribution as needed. The housing problem will be troublesome to solve in cases where occupants are without income, thus placing the entire burden of taxes, insurance and necessary repairs upon property owners who are already sorely pressed to meet these obligations.

Only Rich Men Should Serve in War

The clash between the bonus army and the American army in Washington last week is perfect proof that no man should be allowed to serve in the armies except very rich men. If such was the case, war would cease. And even if we did have war, we would not have to pension and bonus starving, cripple soldiers.

Poor folks will quarrel and fight a little occasionally but they don't raise big wars and destroy countries.

Wars in most cases are not created to protect human liberties; they are conceived, nurtured and born to protect greedy traders, individual or national. When the people get wise enough to let the fellows who raise the fuss do the fighting, we will not have very many wars.

We have been too thoughtless about war. We have rushed too headlong into the name of patriotism when it was little more than organized murder. The world needs to kill the war spirit. We need to get away from the spirit of "for country, right or wrong." The bonus army was drawn into service years ago. They have been led by designing, dirty politicians. They went to war because they were told to go. They went to Washington because of the promises of grafting politicians. They deserve sympathy and some consideration because they knew not what they were doing. They followed selfish leaders with selfish purposes.

Let the men who start war, do the fighting.

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



1928 Class of Jamesville Has Reunion at Beach

The class of 1928 of the Jamesville High School enjoyed a beach party at Rea's Beach near here Sunday evening, with 10 of the 17 seniors enjoying the occasion. Water sports were enjoyed before President David Modlin made the invocation as the participants gathered for the dinner that was spread picnic style on improvised tables.

Present were Irma Knowles, Mrs. T. B. Sykes, David Modlin, Hilda Modlin, Herbert Sexton, Onward Gaylord, Watson Waters, Paul Sykes and Carl Brown. The party assembled at the Standard station before leaving for the beach.

NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Charlie Warren, late of Martin County, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present same for payment on or before June 21, 1933, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of the recovery of the same. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. This 21st day of June, 1932.

J. E. WARREN, Administrator of Charlie Warren, deceased.

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by Alexander Hill and wife, Cora Hill, on the 23rd day of April, 1926, and recorded in Book X-2, page 293-294, we will on Saturday the 3rd day of September, 1932, at 12 o'clock noon at the courthouse door in Martin County, Williamston, N. C., sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land to-wit: First Tract: Beginning in C. H. Davis line and running thence S. 4* 164 poles to the center of Cedar Branch, Edd James' corner; thence N. 77 E. 14 poles; thence S. 72 E. 8 poles; thence N. 77 E. 12 poles; thence N. 1 E. 202 poles; thence S. 45 W. 48 poles to the beginning, containing 40 acres as shown by map made by A. Corey, Surveyor, February 11, 1926. Second Tract: Beginning at the head of a ditch on the Dailey Road on the Warren H. Hill tract of land and running thence S. 89 E. 33 poles to the center of Molasses Branch thence; S. 29.30 E. 23 poles; thence N. 84 E. 8 poles; thence S. 23 E. 8 poles; thence S. 14 E. 31 poles; thence S. 69 E. 9 poles; thence S. 46.30 E. 30 poles; thence N. 85 W. 85 poles; thence N.

1 E. 79 poles to the beginning, containing 30 acres as shown by map made February 11, 1926 by A. Corey, surveyor.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of Alexander Hill and wife, Cora Hill, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust.

A deposit of 10 percent will be required from the purchaser at the sale. This the 27th day of July, 1932. C. H. DIXON, RECEIVER FOR FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF DURHAM, TRUSTEE, DURHAM, N. C. a5 4tw

NOTICE TO CREDITORS TO FILE CLAIMS NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF MARTIN. In the Matter of Planters & Merchants Bank, Everetts, N. C.

Under authority of subsection 10 of section 218(c), Consolidated Statutes, all persons who have claims against the above-named bank are hereby notified to present proof of claim at Everetts, N. C., on or before the 15th day of October, 1932.

Failure to present claim on or before the above date bars the claim not presented except as to the assets of the bank in the hands of the Commissioner of Banks for the account of said bank at the time the claim is presented. Objection to the allowing of any claim may be made by any interested person by filing such objection in the pending action in the office of the Clerk of the Court of this county and by serving a copy thereof on the Commissioner of Banks or the Liquidating Agent of this bank.

This the 15th day of July, 1932.

S. B. KITRELL, Liquidating Agent of Planters and Merchants Bank, Everetts, N. C.

Note: In filing claims for cashier's checks, bank drafts, certificates of deposit, or certified checks, the particular instrument must be surrendered when proof of claim is presented.

Liquidating Agent will be at the Bank Building in the Town of Everetts, N. C., on Friday of each week during the time required for filing claims. jy29 4tw

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 westward

by 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 eastward 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, Trustee.

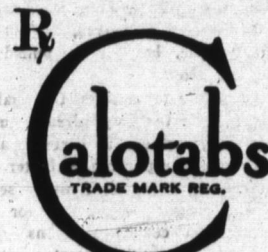
Having this day qualified as executor of the estate of Elizabeth Simpson, late of Williamston, Martin County, North Carolina, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to me for payment on or before the 23rd day of May, A. D. 1933, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of the recovery of the same.

All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt settlement. This 23rd day of May, A. D. 1932. E. G. BAGLEY, Executor.

P. O. Box 888, Greensboro, N. C.

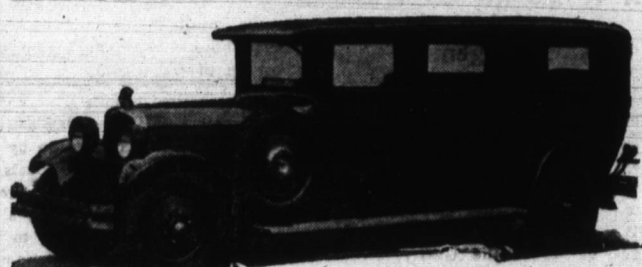
DR. V. H. MEWBORN

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WILLIAMSTON, N. C.

We wish to announce that Mr. Moseley, of Ahoskie, has leased the Atlantic Hotel, of Williamston, and is now personally in charge of the Hotel.

The new manager extends a cordial welcome to the people of this section to visit his hotel.

Under the new management the Atlantic Hotel will give the best service and serve the best food possible and every guest will be given every consideration when stopping with us.

Atlantic Hotel

A. R. MOSELEY, Manager