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### Gandhi's Hunger Strike

It is hoped that some way will be found to prevent Gandhi, the declared great man of India, from going on a hunger or starvation strike.

It is a great love he is manifesting to suffer for his people, and he can do them more good living than dead. It will take a long time to graft and grow the people of India into a citizenship of culture and self-government. If England's ideas of governing India are faulty, Mr. Gandhi can help solve the problems by helping change such ideas and improve the system. But, suppose he goes on a starvation strike and dies, who will he save? And, after all, Gandhi may be mistaken in some of his opinions.

Great Britain has had a long experience with colonies of different peoples throughout all quarters of the earth, and in every case she has helped them if they would be helped. Gandhi can't redeem his people by starving himself to death.

### Friendly Visitations

The Wilson Chamber of Commerce is taking a necessary step for community progress by visiting practically every community in Wilson County. A large number of Wilson people are attending these meetings, and they are generally met by many of the citizens in the communities where they go.

We have lived the selfish life so long that when our money is gone we feel friendless in a cold world, where the people don't care for us any more. The most valuable asset we have is our friends—worth far more to us than dollars. Then why not make friends of all the people around us?

The people of Wilson need the friendship of every citizen in that county, and every person in that county needs the friendship of all the people of the town of Wilson. It is easy for them to make friends by the simple method of visiting each other and becoming acquainted.

Our failure to make friends as we go through life causes us to lose a fourth of our profits and half of our pleasures. When we learn to regard our neighbors as helpful friends rather than unfair enemies we will all get along better.

Friendly visitations would be a fine thing for Martin County folks.

### Market Good Tobacco Slowly

With the extremely small crop of tobacco grown this year and the fact that the earth in the tobacco belt is full of blue mold, a thing that no man apparently does not know how to combat successfully, we feel that tobacco is still selling for a low price. If the crop is as short as the government predicts it to be and most people say it is considerably shorter, then the old law of supply and demand is not functioning as it should. The grades of good quality leaf are selling for a low price. It may be that the farmers are rushing their good quality grades on the market too soon since good quality grades seldom command the best price until the leaves begin turning red in October. It may be all right to sell the low quality grades now, but it looks as if the better grades should sell higher later in the season.

Remember the crop is short and the blue mold may cause a shorter-crop next year.

### Dangerous State of Affairs

Mr. R. R. Clark, of Statesville, in his comments in the *Greensboro Daily News* says that an honest man has it hard in politics, referring to the new mayor of New York City, who has already reduced the salaries of political officeholders in that city by \$2,000,000—taking his own salary first and cutting it from \$40,000 to \$25,000 a year. Mr. Clark thinks the politicians will destroy him; and of course they will if they can.

This attitude constitutes a sad and dangerous condition of affairs. When a set of grafters get charge of things, not only do they take the public taxes but they take money from anybody who wants to violate the law. That is why there is so much wickedness in the land. The love of money makes men do almost any crime on earth, from bootlegging to murder.

### The Silent Mr. Hoover

Mr. Hoover is taking the wise course by keeping silent, especially wise just now, because he has nothing to say. He is evidently hoping that the little upturn in business will be credited to him, which after all he hopes will overbalance any ordinary argument.

On the other hand, Mr. Roosevelt is pressing his case with the people, which is apparently good psychology, because the public mind is in revolt against present conditions, and the mass of the people are confirmed in their opinion that the government is being administered more to the advantage of some classes than it is for some other classes.

### A Necessary Organization

The McDowell County school authorities have refused the schools of that county the right to organize parent-teacher associations, according to press reports. When the school authorities of any county feel that they are high and mighty enough to refuse teachers, fathers, and mothers the right to confer for the purpose of promoting the good of their children, it looks like it is about time to kick somebody out of office.

The getting together of parents and teachers to work out the problems of the schools is one of the best things being done for the promotion of the schools.

One of the greatest drawbacks the schools have had is the neglect of parents to get acquainted with teachers and help them over the difficulties that they have to face so often. Every school needs closer cooperation, and the association of parents and teachers comes nearer filling the bill than any other single thing that has been started up to now.

## ODD --- BUT TRUE



### NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee by K. G. Strawbridge and wife Blanche Strawbridge, on the 13th day of June, 1932, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in Book S-1, at page 200, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, and default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been complied with, the undersigned trustee will, on Wednesday, the 28th day of September, 1932, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, North Carolina, offer for sale for cash the following described real estate, to wit:

A house and lot in the town of Williamston, N. C., on the old Williamston-Hamilton road, and being on the north side of said road, and beginning at a stake on the Hamilton road, D. D. Stalls' corner; running thence along the Hamilton road towards Williamston 50 feet to a new street; thence along the new street a line at right angles with the Hamilton road 150 feet; thence a line parallel with the Hamilton road 50 feet to a stake; D. D. Stalls' line; thence along D. D. Stalls' line to a stake on the Hamilton-Williamston road, the point of beginning, and being the same tract of land conveyed to O. R. Roberson and wife, Mary M. Roberson by the Carolina Farm Land Company, said deed being dated the 3rd day of January, 1926, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in book D-2, at page 84.

Dated this the 29th day of August, 1932.

WHEELER MARTIN, Trustee.

LOST: BLACK HORSE MULE, will weigh about 900 pounds, left home Tuesday night, September 13. Finder please notify L. E. Shaw, Route 1, Robersonville. \$20.00

DR. V. H. MEWBORN OPTOMETRIST Will be in Robersonville, Williamston, and Plymouth Two Days Each Month During September, October, and November; Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, respectively, after First and Third Sundays of Each Month.

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Now on Parade

## NEW DRESSES

The new dresses speak style, quality and value. Each one is a masterpiece of design and the prices are very, very low. We are having new shipments arrive from the northern markets every day. Come in and see our stock of newest dresses.

PRICES—

\$1.98-\$2.98-\$3.95-\$5.95

## New Fall Coats

The new Fall Coats are stunning in style. They are novel and lovely—not drastic, but different from last year's styles, nevertheless. We are particularly anxious that you see these coats before making up your mind. Our prices are most attractive.

## New Felts

in all the leading shapes and colors, for the Misses and the Matrons. Our new hats have shallow crown and brimless modes. They have all the style possible, yet you'll find them inexpensive.

98c to \$1.95

## FALL'S NEWEST STYLES

## in Footwear

for both the Miss and Matron. Black and Brown Suedes in both ties and pumps. Priced reasonably—

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## Men's And Boy's Clothing

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