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John W. Davis and Al Smith

The fact that John W. Davis, the unsuccessful candidate for the presidency some years ago on the democratic ticket and that he is Morgan's trust lawyer, has come out in advance in warning against changes in the basic laws of our nation, and that the action of Al Smith, also an ex-candidate for president, comes out under guise of the Liberty League, is both significant and disgraceful. Both men are now seeking the destruction of the party that they claimed their own, and pledge their loyalty to. The two of them should be kicked out of the party. Davis is Morgan's agent, and, of course, Morgan wants no changes made in the basic laws that have enabled him to rob and rob lawfully. He wants to let things go along as they have gone, a practice that has enabled him to name the market price of everything that the country has offered for sale in years and years.

As to Al Smith he has gone further with less to commend him than any body in the country. He does not represent the needs of the people in any way, and when his story is properly recorded, it will put him in the class of common men without any real honor.

We people who have enjoyed a season of honest government and prosperity rescued from the gang that both Davis and Smith are trying so hard to put in charge of our affairs, should rise against them with full force and not permit lying critics to destroy the liberties of the ordinary people in order that their selfish oppressive gang may buffet and kick the working people of the land out of their own earnings.

Away with Davis and Smith and down with their advice should be the cry of every fair-minded American.

Be Prepared for the Extremes

For years there has been a tendency in people to say that everything has changed and things "ain't like they used to be." They say we used to have cold weather and deep snow in winter, but we now seem to have floated into the Gulf Stream and do not have cold weather any more. Now they are saying that the Gulf Stream has left us, and we have floated back into the region of cold weather, and we are shivering just as the people did in the long ago.

Our guess is that the forces of nature are about as accurate as any of the natural laws. We have always had some dry weather and some wet weather, some hot and some cold, and we may expect to be governed by these regulations certainly throughout our generation.

The fact is we blame the seasons for too many of our ills. If we fail in our undertakings, we like to blame the weather or the neighbors, rather than to come out truthfully and say that we did not play our own parts so well. The better plan is to be prepared when the extremes do come. We should not wait until the meal is gone before we go to the mill, because some storm may wash the mill away unexpectedly.

The Greatest Benefit

Southside Virginia News.

The AAA brought the farmer more money for his current crop, but that wasn't its greatest benefit. Its greatest benefit, we feel, was the practical lesson it taught. That lesson was that the farmer who joins with his fellow farmers in holding down production gains in the long run—not only in better prices but in the various benefits which come to the man who uses for other crops the land taken out of tobacco—for crops that will provide food for his family and feed for his stock.

Such land use reduces his cash requirements for goods at the store. It enables his family to live better, at smaller cost. It means more animals on the farm, for home use and for sale the year 'round. It means preserving and replenishing the fertility of the soil—larger crops from fewer acres. Any way you figure it, at any time, well-diversified crops, and no cultivated crops at all on low-grade land, mean better time, better living, for the farm family.

Now is the time for the farmer to cut down his "cash crop"—whether tobacco, or peanuts, or cotton—and to put in other things—more pasture, more hay, more grain, more fruit and vegetables. This he must do voluntarily, unless a new kind of AAA is devised and it is made compulsory.

Kindness and Courtesy

It is said that kindness and courtesy cost nothing and are worth everything in business; yet their practice is too often neglected. Prospective customers frequently feel and atmosphere of coolness when they approach a business house where kindness and courtesy are absent. Many merchants would profit greatly by wearing a more pleasant look on their faces and speaking more courteous words. And the same thing applies to every other kind of business. The old habit of saying, take it or leave it, will not do any more. Most customers disdain a grouch, and will not deal if they can get service at any other place. It is one of the big assets of a town to extend courtesy to every legitimate class of people, and the same is true with people as individuals.

True friends are never a burden to any one, but are rather a lasting asset.

Three Courses Open to the Farmer

What will the farmer do this season? He has three choices. One is to farm on a very economical scale; that is not to spend too much in trying to grow a big crop. Another is to plant a big crop and take a sure chance of getting a very low price, less than the actual cost of production. Another is to plant a small acreage to money crops, which will yield some profit.

The farmer is acting as his own guardian this year, and those bull-headed fellows who get mad when they cannot have their own way all the time can plant just all the crops they wish; and it is expected that they will go the limit this season, which means that they will be victims of the exploiter.

Experience has taught the wise farmer not to let his crop cost too much and not to grow more than the buyer will need.

Only Three

Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

The most ironical "editorial" on the subject of speed appears quite inadvertently, in an engagement book issued by the New York Telephone company. It lists the names of speed record holders in three fields, as follows:

"Air—Lieut. Francesco Agello, Italy, 440.29 mph.

"Water—Garfield A. Wood, U. S., 124.86 mph.

"Land—Sir Malcolm Campbell, England, 301.337 mph."

What a smack in the ego this must be to the nations legions of amateur speeders! For the only places their names can appear are the police blotter or the obituary page—and their numbers submerge individual celebrity. 'Tis tough.

There were 6,850 persons killed and 134,300 injured in automobile accidents during 1935 as the direct result of excessive speed. But the statistics cannot show how important a factor speed was in nearly every other cause on the motor-accident calendar. Driving cars too fast for conditions played a prominent part in thousands of accidents charged to violating the right of way, cutting in, passing a standing street car, passing on a curve or hill, driving off the roadway, and reckless driving.

The smart, twentieth century attitude on speed is that it is no longer a question of how fast you can go, but of how fast you can stop.

Excessive speed is relatively so insignificant that out of the whole world only three names are given any mention for it.

The Typo Error

The Charlotte Observer.

Typographical errors are the nightmares of publishers and editors of newspapers.

They are not dessert to the readers of the newspapers.

You would probably never see a line as badly balled up as this, but suppose you did happen to run across this in your favorite morning newspaper:

"The correct way to spell correct is COTERRC."

Well, you would think and probably say a lot of things and be justified in doing several things.

The first impulse would be to inquire why The Observer didn't hire some printers, editors, proof-readers and whatever it takes to get rid of that kind of mess.

And such would be justifiable.

But this is to invite consideration and charity when a typographical error does happen to slip in despite all the sleuthing and care and watchfulness that can be summoned.

Consider, also, the errors that ARE NOT MADE, but which might easily enough be made.

It has been ascertained, for example, that in that word above, the word CORRECT—there are 5,040 different ways to arrange those seven letters. I haven't tried it and am not going to, but somebody has.

Only one possible arrangement of them will correctly spell CORRECT.

Courtesy Pays

Sampson Independent

If somebody asked us to name the thing which is worth the most and yet costs the least, we would say it is courtesy. No sane person would discount the worth of courtesy to the individual who practices it or to others with whom such individuals may come in contact. And yet very few people utilize courtesy as they should. There are exceptions, however, but they are few.

Nothing excels courtesy for making and holding friends, and surely no person can have a greater asset than friends—plenty of friends. Being courteous may be a habit, but if it is, then we know of no more desirable habit to cultivate. Courtesy pays in more ways than one.

CARD OF THANKS

Your sympathy, your thoughtfulness and the beautiful flowers will always be gratefully remembered and deeply appreciated.—Mr. Herbert Lilley, Mrs. Pattie Wallace, and Family. j11 4tw

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

The undersigned has qualified and is now acting as Administrator of Richard Highsmith, late of the County of Martin. This is therefore to notify all persons who have claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned before the expiration of one year from the date hereof, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons owing the estate anything will please pay the same. This the 30th day of January, 1936. JOHN A. WARD, Administrator Richard Highsmith, Deceased. H. L. Swain, attorney for Administrator. j31 6tw

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Bennett Stator, late of Oak City, N. C., notice is hereby given to all parties holding claims against said estate to present the same for payment to me on or before January 4, 1937, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery on the same. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment of same promptly. This January 4, 1936. ALICE STATOR, Administratrix of Bennett Stator. j7 6tw

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. Jane Wynn, deceased, late of Martin County, North Carolina, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against estate of said deceased to present same to the undersigned for payment on or before the 22nd day of January, 1937, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 22nd day of January, 1936. THURSTON WYNN, Administrator. j24 6tw

NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina, Martin County—In the Superior Court. Elton Hodges vs. Ida Hodges. The defendant in the above entitled action will take notice that suit has been started in this court by the plaintiff for the purpose of obtaining a divorce from defendant and that she is required to answer or demurr to the complaint filed in this office within thirty days from date hereof or relief prayed for in said complaint will be granted. This 16th day of January, 1936. L. B. WYNNE, Clerk, Superior Court of Martin County. jan-17 4tw H. L. Swain, att'y. for Plaintiff.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee on the 20th day of March, 1922, said deed of trust being of record in the Register of Deeds' Office in book H-2, page 113, same being given to secure certain note of even date therewith, and the stipulations not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said bond, the undersigned trustee will, on the 22nd day of February, 1936, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door, Martin County, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described land: All that certain piece, parcel or lot of land situated, lying and being in the Town of Oak City, County of Martin, State of North Carolina, being all of lot Number Nine in Block "K," as shown by plan of the Town of Oak City, N. C., recorded in book No. —, page 420, of the public road of Martin County. This 22nd day of January, 1936. H. S. EVERETT, Trustee. j24 4tw

NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by A. L. Mizell and wife, Lydia Mizell, on the 16th day of February, 1929, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in book Y-2, at page 565, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, default having been made in the payment of said note, and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been complied with, and Elbert S. Peel having been appointed substituted trustee, as allowed by law, the undersigned substituted trustee will, on Saturday, the 15th day of February, 1936, at twelve o'clock noon in front of the courthouse door of Martin County, in the town of Williamston, North Carolina offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit: Beginning at G. C. James' corner,

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at right of way of the A. C. L. rail road, running along said right of way 83 east 264 feet to J. E. Monarch's corner; thence back along Monarch's line 75 yards to a corner; thence a straight line to George C. James' back corner; thence southerly along George C. James' line to the beginning, containing 1 1/8 acres more or less, excepting 48 feet front the entire depth that was sold to G. C. James and 50 feet front the entire depth sold to F. S. Powell. Deeds to said parcels being recorded in register of deeds' office of Martin County, reference to which is hereby made, this being the house and lot that John A. Crisp purchased of J. L. Williams and wife, situated in the town of Parmele, N. C. This the 13th day of January, 1936. ELBERT S. PEEL, Substituted Trustee. j17 4tw

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee on the 5th day of April, 1934, by Isaiah Green and wife, Luoy Green, and of record in the public registry of Martin County in book H-3, page 263, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing a certain note of even date and tenor therewith, and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been complied with, and default having been made in the payment of the notes secured thereby, and at the request of the owner of said notes, the undersigned trustee will, on the 7th day of February, 1936, at 12 o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in Williamston, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction the following described real estate, to wit:

First tract: Beginning at three poplars on Harrell's Branch, running thence N. 46 E. 140 poles to a pine; thence E. 80 poles to the center of four pines; thence S. 65 E. to the center of Rocky Swamp; thence down the center of said swamp to W. R. Brown's corner; thence N. 73 W. along said Brown 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 my own, Collin Green, 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 two hundred acres, more or less, same being lot No. 1 in the division of the late William R. Brown lands to said division. This 6th day of January, 1936. B. A. CRITCHER, Trustee. j10 4tw

Stomach Sufferers

Eat good food and all you want. It is no longer necessary to suffer the pains caused by indigestion, Dyspepsia, Heart Burn, Sour Stomach and Belching—Clark's Digestive Compound quickly relieves all the pains and discomforts and enables you to enjoy good food. Get a bottle today and end all digestive pains and worries. Sold on a money-back guarantee in 75c bottles by Clark's Drug Store. j24 4t

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PROGRAM FOR WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY, FEB. 3

Turnage Theatre --- Washington, N. C.

Monday and Tuesday February 3 and 4	Thursday and Friday February 6 and 7
WILL ROGERS in "IN OLD KENTUCKY"	Margaret Sullivan, Randolph Scott in "SO RED THE ROSE"
Wednesday February 5	Saturday February 8
Dolores Del Rio & Warren Williams in "The Widow From Monte Carlo"	(Buster) LARRY CRABBE in "NEVADA"

ALSO SELECTED SHORT SUBJECTS

STATEMENT OF CONDITION

MARTIN COUNTY BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

of Williamston, N. C., as of December 31st, 1935
(Copy of sworn statement submitted to Insurance Commissioner as required by law)

ASSETS

The Association Owns:

Cash on hand and in banks	\$ 5,300.32
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	1,500.00
Mortgage loans	161,800.81
Money loans to shareholders for the purpose of enabling them to own their homes. Each loan secured by first mortgage on local improved real estate.	
Stock Loans	6,095.00
Advances made to our shareholders against their stock. No loan exceeds 90% of amount actually paid in.	
Accounts Receivable	683.43
Temporary Advances for Insurance, Taxes, Etc.	
Real Estate owned	3,600.88
Other assets	1,000.00
TOTAL	\$179,980.44

LIABILITIES

The Association Owes:

To Shareholders

Funds entrusted to our care in the form of payments on stock as follows:	
Installment Stock	\$100,413.75
Paid-up Stock	42,050.00
	\$142,463.75
Notes payable, Federal Home Loan Bank	24,000.00
Money borrowed for use in making loans to members, or retiring matured stock. Each note approved by at least two-thirds of entire Board of Directors as required by law.	
Accounts payable	939.86
Undivided profits	10,076.83
Earnings held in trust for distribution to shareholders at maturity of stock.	
Contingent Reserve	2,500.00
TOTAL	\$179,980.44

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF MARTIN, ss:

Vella Andrews Wynne, Treasurer of the above named Association, personally appeared before me this day, and, being duly sworn, says that the foregoing report is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30th day of January, 1936.

W. H. CARSTARPHEN, Notary Public.
My commission expires 1-22-38.