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### Senator Borah Has Difficult Task

Senator Borah will have a rather difficult time in convincing anybody that he has ever done anything of any great importance for anybody. Of course, the republicans don't trust him because he fights them when it comes election time, and he campaigns for the democratic nominee. Of course, the democrats thank him for all that he has done against the republicans, but they are not going to vote for him when a good democrat is available.

Mr. Borah is clever, but when it comes to doing things, he talks it out. He is more like a shooting star that throws out much light as it streams across the sky only to increase the darkness when it goes out. The man seems to be honest, and would probably be a good congress if he could be the vice president, speaker of the house of representatives, 96 senators, 450 representatives, sergeant-at-arms and run both the congressional restaurants, but he can't seem to work in a team without straddling the tongue.

### Attacked Then and Attacked Now

Much is being said these days about Woodrow Wilson's World War attitude. Evidently the critics are banking on lost memory to put their false propaganda across. However, they are mistaken if they think the world has forgotten that Theodore Roosevelt's drastic criticism of Wilson's slowness in entering the war was used as a slogan of abuse of the administration by the same said fellows who are now cursing him for entering the war.

It seems to be impossible to please an outside republican, but he is always happy when he gets his head in the trough. It will be remembered, however, that his head was out then, and is out now, and, of course, he fussed then and we need not be surprised if he fusses and curses now. The truth about the war is the agitation was pushed by the crushing money power which the republican politicians live so close to.

### All Entitled To a Fair Profit

Now the truck owners are doing the squealing. The railroads, after losing business for several years on account of the truck and bus lines taking both their freight and passengers, have now reduced their rates below that of the trucks and busses for both passengers and freight, and it is the trucks and busses that are squealing now with nobody knowing what the end will be.

The railroads are now delivering freight in towns, except the carload shipments, and this will tend to gain much favor from shippers. The railroads are also carrying passengers for 1 1-2 cents per mile, a figure that is just as low as the busses can meet. All these things will perhaps mean a more efficient and better regulated system of public carrying eventually, and somebody may have to go out of business. However, it is poor business to force any enterprise to operate without profit. The merchant, the factory, the farmer and the public carriers are all entitled to a reasonable profit, and must have it, or business conditions will indeed be poor.

One of our troubles would seem to have been caused by too much expenditures for transportation equipment.

### Nature's Time Clock Hardly Ever Fails

Farmers should not become discouraged over the long wet, cold season. Nature's time clock seldom fails to give man time to do his part in producing a crop, and evidently will not deny him that privilege this year. Man needs to gird himself with faith and march bravely on, not losing his trust, and willing to take his part of the responsibilities for his failures; that is, if he would be happy.

### Many Hopeful Daniels Will Run

The report that Josephus Daniels is likely to enter the campaign for United States Senator against Josiah W. Bailey will, no doubt, be pleasing news to a large number of people who want a real Democrat of the old school to represent them in the halls of Congress. The majority of the people want a man who stands for what the following applies—government of, by and for the people. And Mr. Daniels is a man of whom our State could be proud of in the Senate or any other public office.

### False Propaganda

Sound money seems to disturb men and scare them when no man pursueth them, for the truth is that every American dollar is sound, and no man need doubt them. If our dollars are not sound, then the major part of our government bonds are not good. The only thing that makes a bond good is the government's ability to pay that bond, and the government can repay a dollar redeemable without interest much easier than it can pay a bond burdened with interest.

The amazing thing is that the bondholders who draw interest have been able so long to fool the public into thinking that some money is unsound. They never dare to say that the government's bonded obligations are unsound, because they want to draw interest. There is a big fight against inflation all because the big bankers want to control the amount of money and the extent of its circulation in the country. One's memory goes back to 1919 and 1929 when the banks lent everybody money until they had increased the circulating medium many times, not by the creation of new money, but by taking a one-horse farmer's \$1,000 note, discounted it, and about the time the borrower began to feel rich, the banks begin a quick and merciless system of deflation, broke up the borrower's root and branches, and taking about everything he had in the world except his wife and children. They were left to starve with the borrower.

Those with good memories will recall the time when the banks were lending money at 20 percent interest in that wild gamble of 1929 and when the federal reserve board advised the big private banks of the impending danger of credit expansion and the bankers rebuffed them and told them to go to the devil. Those same bankers are unwilling to let the government govern the amount of money to be placed or withdrawn from circulation because they want to exercise the privilege themselves and because it gives them a better opportunity to steal. Therefore, they flood the country with false propaganda to fool and to scare the people. When they are talking about sound and unsound money, they are simply lying, and for the good it will do them and not the country.

It looks as if we would learn some time that when a man gains fifty millions of dollars in a life time and gets a quarter, a half or a whole million dollars a year, he has robbed somebody and that he is no respecter of persons and will devour you too. We should have too much sense to listen to them.

The great question at issue is, shall the government regulate the circulation of money so the people may be safeguarded, or shall the vested interests be permitted to expand and contract the currency so they may loot the people?

### An "Adpaper" or a Newspaper—Which?

Morganton News-Herald.

If the average newspaper were to carry all of the free publicity requests it receives, its readers would get what The Statesville Daily accurately describes as an "Adpaper" rather than a Newspaper.

"Free publicity" is nothing but propaganda, and commercial propaganda at that, in 9 cases out of every 10. In most instances it comes in the form of carefully prepared articles with just enough reader interest to conceal the purpose and provide a build-up for future profit.

We get some idea of the scope of this racket from the advertising department of the Pawtucket, R. I., Times, which conducted a check-up over a 30-day period on the number of such requests from other than local concerns, the total running to 2,134.

It is estimated that these 2,134 individual pieces of free publicity received by this Rhode Island paper in a single month, if paid for at space rates, would have added \$28,000 to that paper's income for the month. Multiply that amount by all the papers of similar importance in the nation, which these various agencies seek to rape in this manner, and you will get a good idea of the scope of what has become to be a racket.

We agree with The Daily in the position that the newspaper should refuse to carry this free publicity, for it is a service that should be paid for. It would be of some service to the subscriber, it is true, but, to quote again from The Daily, "it also a service to the reader to provide space to tell of bargains in pins or pants, but neither the subscriber nor the dealer expects this service to be free—else neither would have a newspaper after 60 days of this free riding."

"Blank white paper is the newspaper's raw material, and this it blocks off into space, part of which it pledges to the use of the subscriber in relaying to him or her, current happenings or other interesting items, periodically for a specified time and specified place. Other spaces it sells to the advertiser who would send a message to this group of readers, or who would use these blocks of white space as a show window for their wares, and at a price previously agreed upon. The two together furnish the lifeblood that makes the paper permanent. When either fails in this support the paper dies."

It isn't fair to the subscriber to fill news space with such propaganda or to the advertiser, who must pay for his space.

### A Hot Situation

Well, athletics is evidently getting pretty hot and dangerous since all the college and university presidents have had to lock themselves in while the discussion was going on. The University of North Carolina president might not have a plan that will promote athletics, but he is certainly advocating something that is more sorely needed than winning teams. When athletics lose their power to promote fairness, good sportsmanship and honesty, they have about lost all their value anyway.

Where is the world going anyway? We, of course, will have to wait until God tells us, for man is pretty ignorant on that point. But let us hope for the best.

### SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by A. Clark and wife, Essie Clark, on the 19th day of November, 1924, and recorded in book T-2, page 269, we will, on Saturday, the 19th day of February, 1936, 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:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Poplar Point Township, Martin County, and State of North Carolina, containing 119 acres, more or less, and bounded on the N. by Everett Branch, on the E. by lands of Jim Barnhill, on the S. by the Wild Cat Rd., and the lands of Jim Barnhill and on the W. by the lands of J. L. Wynn, and more particularly described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a stake in Everett Branch, the corner of J. L. Wynn and the land herein conveyed, thence S. 4 1-2 W. 123 poles, S. 20 3-4 W. 6 poles, S. 43 1-2 W. 109 poles, S. 35 1-2 E. 85 poles, N. 22 1-2 W. 102 poles, N. 12 E. 135 poles, thence N. 44 W. 6 poles, S. 72 W. 79 poles, S. 58 W. 50 poles to the beginning.

This land is sold subject to all unpaid taxes.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of L. A. Clark and wife, Essie Clark, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust.

A deposit of 10 per cent will be required from the purchaser at the sale.

This the 3rd day of January, 1936.  
INTERSTATE TRUSTEE CORPORATION,  
j21 4th Substituted Trustee.  
Durham, N. C.

### NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County.  
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to the undersigned trustee on the 22nd day of July, 1929, by J. G. Godard and wife, Carrie G. Godard, and of record in the public registry of Martin County, in book C-3, at page 42, 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 the said note, and the stipulations contained in said deed of trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of the said note, the undersigned trustee will, on Thursday, the 20th day of February, 1936, at twelve o'clock noon, in front of the courthouse door in the town of Williamston, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, to wit:

Being the store and lot in the town of Williamston, N. C., bounded on the north by Main Street, on the east by the store of Mrs. Gordy, on the south by S. R. Biggs' heirs, and on the west by the store of S. R. Biggs Drug Company, and being the store now used as a restaurant.

This the 20th day of January, 1936.  
ELBERT S. PEEL,  
j21 4th Trustee.

### SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by William James and wife, Lillian James, on the 1st day of December, 1922, and recorded in book K-2, page 438, we will, on Saturday, the 15th day of February, 1936, 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:

A tract or parcel of land lying and being in Robertsonville Township, Martin County, State of N. C., and being lot No. 5 allotted to Lillian James in the division of the lands of her father, R. T. Taylor, and further described as follows: Beginning at the corner of lot No. 4 in the center of the canal in Ross Swamp and running along the line of lot No. 4 S. 24, 15 W. 31.80 chs. to the center of the road, thence along the center of the said road N. 74, 45 W. 9.40 chs. to a stake, corner of lot No. 6, thence along the line of lot No. 6, N. 34 15 E. to the center of the said canal, thence down the center of the said canal its various courses, approximately 9 chs. to the beginning, containing 30 acres, more or less. The adjoining land-owners are C. D. Taylor and Leyta G. Taylor, the canal referred to on the S. and Andrews land on the N.

This land is sold subject to all unpaid taxes.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of William James and wife, Lillian James, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust.

A deposit of 10 per cent will be required from the purchaser at the sale.

This the 3rd day of January, 1936.  
INTERSTATE TRUSTEE CORPORATION,  
j21 4th Substituted Trustee.  
Durham, N. C.

### SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a Deed of Trust executed by Z. V. Price and wife, Mattie Gardner Price, on the 15th day of October, 1923, and recorded in Book R12, page 415, we will on Saturday, the 7th day of March, 1936, 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:

All that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Jamezville Township, Martin County, N. C., bounded on the N. by Deep Run and the lands of Will Beacham, on the E. by the lands of John D. Lilley, on the S. by the lands of the Dennis Simmons Lumber Co., and on the W. by the lands of John Price and containing 60 acres, more or less, and being the same land deeded to Vance Price by Z. V. Price and wife, Laura Price and more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at J. D. Lilley's corner in Deep Run; thence S. 18° and 40 minutes W. 107.27 poles, thence N. 70° and 20 minutes W. 94 poles, thence N. 28 E. 93 poles, thence S. 57 E. 11 poles, thence N. 32 1-2 E. 62 poles to Deep Run, thence along the run of Deep Run to the beginning, containing 60 acres, more or less.

This land is sold subject to all unpaid taxes.

This sale is made by reason of the failure of Z. V. Price and wife, Mattie Gardner Price, 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 21st day of January, 1936.  
INTERSTATE TRUSTEE CORPORATION,  
Substituted Trustee.

### NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MORTGAGE

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by Jane Rice to B. A. Critcher, Trustee, which is recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Martin in book H-3 page 227, the following property will be sold at public auction, viz:

Lot No. 1. Being Lot No. 16 in the Moore Field, adjoining Amy Purvis on the west, fronting N. St. 78.8 and running back to two parallel lines S41 45' East to the depth of 130 feet.

Lot No. 2. Beginning 73 feet from Broad Street on a street at corner of lot No. 1 in Black B. in the Moore Field Plat, thence eastwardly along the lines of Lots No. 1 and 2 about 130 feet to Lo. No. 4, thence southerly along lot No. 4 to Jane Rice back corner, thence along Jane Rice corner about 130 feet to a street, thence along said street to the beginning.

Lot No. 3. Beginning at the corner of Pine and North Street in the Williamston Land and Imp. Co. Moore Field running N. 42 E. 72.8 to Augustus Purvis corner thence along his line S 41 3-4 E 130 ft. thence S 42 W 72.8 feet to Pine Street, thence N 41 3-4 W. along Pine Street to the beginning and being Lot No. 19.

Place of sale: Courthouse, Williamston, N. C.  
Time of sale: Monday, March 9, 1936, 12 o'clock.

Terms of sale: Cash.  
February 7, 1936.  
D. G. MATTHEWS,  
Mortgagee.

### NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MORTGAGE

By virtue of the power and authority given by a certain mortgage, executed by Rebecca Hyman to B. A. Critcher, Trustee, which is recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for the County of Martin, in book C-3, page 84, the following property will be sold at public auction, viz:

A house and lot in the Town of Williamston, N. C., bounded on the south and west by Ed Ormond, on the north by Hyman Street, and on the east by Martin Street, being the same house and lot formerly occupied by Sarah Hyman, containing 1 1-4 acres, more or less.

Second Tract, adjoining George Hyman, a street, the White land, and Margaret Johnson. Given for purchase price.

Place of sale: Courthouse, Williamston, N. C., Martin County.  
Time of sale: Monday, March 9th, 1936, 12 o'clock.

Terms of sale: Cash.  
February 7, 1936.  
D. G. MATTHEWS,  
Mortgagee.

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