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## A Changing World

War has turned the world upside down and inside out, but in addition to those changes there have been other alterations in our economy and even our thoughts are bending to the need of the times.

In a challenge to business, Eric Johnston, President of the United States Chamber of Commerce, clearly proves that the old world is undergoing a change—a sort of bloodless revolution aside from the war. It is news when a representative of the old staid Chamber of Commerce comes to the front with such a challenge, but in that challenge is a new hope for a better land by and by. While Mr. Johnston recognizes the miracle of American production, he recognizes something else, too. He says, "No one with eyes to see and a heart to feel will deny that the system has also given us results of another kind. It has failed to prevent periods of tragic depression and the frightful waste represented by cycles of mass unemployment."

Mr. Johnston goes on to say, "The forces of individual enterprise and unrelenting competition gave America the world's highest standard of living, including our proud standards of political freedoms. But they did not commensurately arouse man's sense of obligation to his fellow man. They did not harmonize the relations between capital and labor, between business and farmers, between producers and consumers. The emphasis on individual effort and private reward too frequently was carried to the point of obscuring community responsibility."

"Let's recognize these frankly," Mr. Johnston urges. "Then we shall be able to conserve the constructive and useful values in the American way of life. The threat to those values is from two directions."

Mr. Johnston points out that, first, there are the ultra-conservatives who dislike change, any sort of change, and "hence would turn back the

clock of history." Secondly, according to the recognized spokesman of big business, there are the clamorous collectivists, call them radicals or whatever you like. Then Mr. Johnston strikes deep at the problem confronting this country when he suggests that there is a middle ground of reality somewhere between the two.

We must adjust our positions to a changing world, and the failures and shortcomings are chargeable to those who hold the reins of leadership and not to the masses, however sorry, indifferent or antagonistic they are. The problems facing this nation's economy are covered over by unusual events, but they are buried deep and will rise again to plague us to the death if they are not solved or adjusted to meet a changing world. They will not be solved when we excuse our own failure and shortcomings by pointing out the failures and shortcomings of others.

We think we have reached a stage of perfection when we pay the common laborer just enough for him to clad his person with a pair of overalls and a jumper and provide his table with fatback, cornbread and molasses. If we give him more he will spend it at the liquor store. In many cases that is true, and that is one problem which can partly be explained. Our leaders, for one reason or another, opened the liquor store. It is legal for the common man to enter there. Yet, we establish and legalize a system and condemn one man for entering there while we think it is perfectly all right for others to patronize the same system.

We are ready for a change for ourselves, whether it is good or bad for us, but we are not quite ready to recognize a change for others.

This changing world offers a big problem, and before that problem can be solved with any success at all, those on the extremes have got to travel toward the middle, surrender their pet grievances and recognize the need for change and the necessity of mending our ways. With the problem staring us in the face, we would do well to remember that the Reds did not revolt in Russia because of lust for blood; they revolted because too many were starving to death while others in their own land enjoyed the luxuries of life and at the expense of the starving. The aristocratic leaders there apparently thought the common people would throw away and squander if they were given even a subsistence wage or consideration. That plan, despite its long life, finally gave way, and human blood was spilled in quantities in the streets of the cities and around the great church buildings that held no meaning for the common, depressed millions.

Yes, there's a middle ground, and if we would save ourselves we must seek out and stand on that ground where we can without malice or hate make adjustments to meet the demands of a changing world.

The earth that God gave to man for his home, sustenance and support, should never be the possession of any man, corporation, society or unfriendly government. An individual or enterprise should hold no more than they have in actual use in the prudent management of their legitimate business and not this much when it creates an exclusive monopoly.—Abraham Lincoln.

# CHURCH NEWS

## CHURCH OF THE ADVENT

1st Sunday in Advent.  
Church school, 9:45 a. m.  
Celebration of the Holy Communion and sermon, 11 a. m.  
The Thanksgiving offering for the Thompson Orphanage and the Laymen's Thank offering will be presented at the morning service.

## CHRISTIAN

Bible school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11 a. m. Subject, "A Door Forever Closed."  
Young People's meeting, 7 p. m. Subject, "That Inner Voice."  
Evening praise and worship service, 8 p. m. Subject, "Well-Dressed."  
Choir rehearsal, Tuesday, 8 p. m. "God and His People," will be the subject Wednesday, 8 p. m.  
Friday, 8 p. m. the young people from all over the Roanoke District will meet at the church. Dr. W. R. Burrell will be the guest speaker.  
All the churches of Williamston are uniting in a city-wide Religious Survey on Sunday afternoon. Further announcement about the time and place of meeting to begin the canvass will be made in the several churches.

## 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 Rebecca Hyman, dated 23rd day of September, 1923, of record in Book C-3, page 84, to secure certain note of even date therewith, and the stipulations in said Deed of Trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of said bond, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 12th day of December, 1942, 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:

FIRST TRACT: 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, on East by Martin Street and being same house and lot formerly occupied by said Sarah Hyman. Containing 1-1/2 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: Adjoining George Hyman, a street, the White land and Margaret Johnson.

This 10th day of Nov., 1942.  
B. A. CRITCHER,  
Trustee.

## PRELIMINARY CERTIFICATE OF DISSOLUTION

State of North Carolina. Department of State.  
To All to Whom These Presents May Come—Greeting:

Whereas, it appears to my satisfaction, by duly authenticated record of the proceedings for the voluntary dissolution thereof by the unanimous consent of all the stockholders, deposited in my office, that the Johnson-Matthews Company, Inc., a corporation of this State, whose principal office is situated in the Town of Hamilton, County of Martin, State of North Carolina, (H. S. Johnson being the agent therein and in charge thereof, upon whom process may be served), has complied with the requirements of Chapter 22, Consolidated Statutes, entitled "Corporations," preliminary to the issuing of this Certificate of Dissolution:

Now, therefore, I, Thad Eure, Secretary of State of the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the said corporation did, on the 16th day of November, 1942, file in my office a duly executed and attested consent in writing to the dissolution of said corporation, executed by all the stockholders thereof, which said consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file in my said office as provided by law.  
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at Raleigh, this 16th day of November, A. D. 1942.  
THAD EURE,  
Secretary of State.

## NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Martin County made in the special proceeding entitled, "E. Graham Flanagan et al. vs. G. H. Cox and wife, Esther J. Cox," the same being Number — upon the special proceeding docket of said Court, the undersigned commissioners, will on Monday, the 30th day of November, 1942, at 12 o'clock M., in the Town of Robersonville and on Main Street in front of the property hereinafter described, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, to wit:

That certain lot or parcel of land lying and being situate in the Town of Robersonville, Martin County, N. C., on the East side of Main Street, between Academy Street and Railroad Street, and beginning at an iron stake and the east edge of Main Street, a corner, five feet north of the corner of the J. H. Roberson furniture building, and running thence northwardly along the East edge of said street and sidewalk 85 feet to an iron stake, a corner; thence at right angles a straight line N. 81 E. 212 feet to a corner indicated by an iron stake in the back line of the J. H. Roberson, Jr., residence lot and the W. E. Roberson mill lot line; thence southerly along the line of J. H. Roberson, Jr., and W. E. Roberson mill lot line 85 feet and 2 inches to a corner indicated by an iron stake; thence S. 81 W. a straight line to the beginning, and being the second lot from the north end (lot No. 2) of the map of survey made by T. Jones Taylor, Surveyor, on February 15, 1928, and appearing of record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Martin County in Book No. 3 at page 110, and said map is referred to and made a part of this description, and further being the identical lot or parcel of land conveyed

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to G. H. Cox on the 27th day of February, 1928, by J. H. Roberson, Sr., and wife, Verna Roberson, et al, to which deed reference is made.

Also, an easement of right of way shown on said map and set out and described in the agreement made March 10, 1928, between G. H. Cox and wife and J. H. Roberson and wife, to which agreement reference is hereby made.

This sale will be made for the purpose of making partition of the proceeds thereof between tenants in common, and to make assets, and will be subject to confirmation by the Court. The proposed purchaser will be required to make a cash deposit of 10 per cent of his bid with the commissioners at the time of the sale and pending confirmation by the Court.

This 28th day of October, 1942.  
PAUL D. ROBERSON,  
JOSEPH S. MOYE,  
Commissioners.

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## NOTICE OF RE-SALE

Under and by virtue of an order of re-sale signed by the Clerk of the Superior Court in an action entitled "In the Matter of: Edward L. Wilson et al, Ex Parte," the undersigned Commissioners will, on Friday, December 4, 1942, at 12 o'clock, M., in front of the Courthouse door in Williamston, N. C., offer for re-sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described tract of land:

Located in Williamston Township, partly in the Town of Williamston, N. C., bounded on one side by Roanoke River and Standard Fertilizer Company, on the other side by what is known as the Watts Farm, now belonging to Griffin Brothers, on the back by Sweeten Water Creek, on the front by Hatton Street, Harrell property and Williamston Packing Company. This description includes the farm formerly known as the Salsbury Farm except certain parcels heretofore sold by the late M. D. Wilson, 25 acres of the Watts Farm, deeded to M. D. Wilson and Perry, of record in the Register of Deeds Office in Book 39, page 253.

and what is known as Piney Island land deeded to M. D. Wilson by R. L. Coburn, of record in Book V-2, page 551, and also what is known as the Hodges land on the North side of Hatton Street upon which the said M. D. Wilson built tenant houses mainly for the use of said farm excepting from the Hodges land the house and lot in the corner of Hatton and Biggs Street which the said M. D. Wilson devised to Matthew Wilson a life estate and excepting from the above description life estate in and to the house and garden where the late M. D. Wilson lived, which was allotted recently to the widow of the late M. D. Wilson as a part of her dower. Containing around 800 acres, more or less.

The highest bidder will be required to make deposit of 10 per cent of the bid at the sale.

This 19th day of November, 1942.  
B. A. CRITCHER,  
Z. V. BUNTING,  
Commissioners.

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