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What's It All About?

Just what is the State Department's loyalty purge all about anyhow? In refuting the meaning of the Constitution, the Department apparently is trying to weed out and turn back many young Americans who would serve their country, reserving the diplomatic posts for career men and sons of career men after a fashion little different from the system of handing down the line of the crown of England.

The people of our nation have been warned against letting their anger get out of hand "until every American who stands for progress is condemned as a Red and a Communist."

Could it be that the State Department is firing worker after worker to create jobs to be filled by the politicians and the career boys?

Mystery of Synthetic Rubber

Labor. "Tire manufacturers have suddenly found themselves smack in the middle of a synthetic rubber shortage," the "Wall Street Journal" reports. "It's the first such famine since the war's end."

What is that? Uncle Sam spent hundreds of millions in construction of synthetic rubber factories during the war. The Japs had cut off natural rubber from British and Dutch colonies in the Far East.

With the aid of the scientists, plus the driving power of "Bill" Jeffers, long chief of the Union Pacific, the substitute was turned out in sufficient quantities to save our hides. Now something has happened. Have the British and Dutch rubber interests, and their American financial friends, so much influence that they can shut down our synthetic factories and restore the fabulously profitable natural rubber monopoly which has built up fortunes in Britain and Holland?

Public Business

Statesville Daily Record General Eisenhower has pledged that all information on the army's wartime activities will be made available to responsible inquirers, including the press. "What the army did is public business," says the Chief of Staff.

We hope the truth of that remark will be heeded. Recently the State-War-Navy-Air Force Co-ordinating committee drafted a set of peacetime restrictions on all governmental information, modeled on army wartime regulations, which was so stringent that a congressional group has seen fit to investigate the excuses behind all this undemocratic hush-hush.

What the government does is public business, too, within obvious bounds of security. The war-spoiled lords of what shall be printed should be aware of this without needing the reminder of a congressional crackdown.

Especially for the Rich

The Republicans with the aid of reactionary Democrats are moving along with a new tax bill especially designed for the rich. It is admitted that taxes are high, but it should be remembered that there is a high debt, that it must be paid. In proposing to lower taxes, the economic barons are seeing to it that the lion's share will be saved for themselves while the little fellow is to be appeased with the crumbs.

In demanding tax reductions, the rich should remember that bread is not being taken out of their mouths, that diets have necessarily been cut for those in the lower income brackets.

It is to be seen if the Republican will be able to slash income taxes and then turn and impose a federal sales tax at the source of manufacture for the little people of this nation.

To be proud of learning is the greatest ignorance.—Jeremy Taylor.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my sincere thanks to each and every one for everything that was done for my son through his illness.

Elsworth Beacham and Mother.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County. Having this day qualified as Executor of the estate of Columbus James, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit same to the undersigned within one year from the date of this notice, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 26th day of November, 1947.

Clarence Taker, Executor of Columbus James, Peel & Manning, Attys. Williamston, N. C. d 9-16-23-30 j 6-13

NOTICE

North Carolina, Martin County. In the Superior Court.

Alice Ferrell Perrin, Plaintiff Vs. Roscoe I. Perrin, Jr., Defendant. The defendant, Roscoe I. Perrin, Jr., will take notice:

That an action entitled as above has been commenced by the plaintiff in the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, to annul and declare void a purported marriage contract entered into between plaintiff and defendant in Johnson County, North Carolina, August 23, 1946, on the grounds that defendant was at said time lawfully married to another, and to restore plaintiff's maiden name; and you will further take notice that you are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin County, North Carolina, at the Courthouse in Williamston,

North Carolina, on or before the 28th day of Feb. 1948, an answer or demurr to the verified complaint now on file or the relief sought will be granted.

Witness my hand, this the 3rd day of January, 1948.

I. B. Wynne, Clerk Superior Court J. A. Pritchett, Attorney for the Plaintiff. j 6-13-20-27

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of John H. Jackson who died one year ago today.

We greatly miss his presence, but we thank God for his years spent with us. A life spent in Christian service has gone to the reward so richly deserved by him. May the memory of his ideals be enriched in our hearts, helping us to live a more abundant life. We bow in humble submission to the will of Him who maketh no mistakes, and doeth all things well.

"Now the laborer's task is o'er; Now the battle day is past; Now upon the farther shore Lands the voyager at last. Father, in Thy gracious keeping Leave we now Thy servant sleeping. Mrs. Inez Jackson, Wife.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of H. Thad Roberson, late of Martin County, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons having claims against said estate to present them to him in

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MONDAY JANUARY 12th

I will sell at public auction at 10:30 a. m. the following personal property on the farm of JIM GRAY

About 2 miles from Robersonville On Flat Swamp Road.

—2 Mules, 8 years old, weights 1100 to 1250 —Disc Harrow —Wheel Plow —Boyd's Tobacco Spray, almost new —Cart —Peanut Weeder —Smoothing Harrow —3 Tobacco Trucks —Stalk Cutter 2 Row Sower —Corn and Peanut Planter —Guno Sower —Corn and Hay —More Farming Utensils Not Mentioned. All items used two or three years.

Willie Roebuck, Owner

Auctioneer: Joe Moye

Williamston, N. C., on or before the 2nd day of January, 1949, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate are asked to make immediate payment.

This 2nd day of January, 1948. M. L. Peel, Administrator. j 6-13-20-27 f 3-10

NOTICE OF SALE

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 by Raymond J. Bailey and wife, Bernice Bailey, on the 12th day of February, 1946, which said deed of trust is of record in the Public Registry of Martin County in Book H-4, page 269, said deed of trust having been given for the purpose of securing said notes of ever date and tenor therewith, default having been made in the payment of the said notes, the stipulations contained in the said deed of trust not having been complied with, and at the request of the holder of the said notes, the undersigned trustee will, on Monday, the 2nd day of February, 1948, at 12 o'clock noon in front of the courthouse door in the Town of Williamston, offer for

sale to the highest bidder for cash at public auction, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying and being in Jamesville Township, Martin County and State of North Carolina, bounded on the North by U. S. Highway No. 64, Annie Bell Allbrooks and the George Bailey heirs, on the East by Annie Bell Allbrooks and As'ew and Hamilton, on the South by Nellie's Mill Pond and Cooper's Swamp, and on the West by Emma Jackson and Robert A. Alexander, containing 123 acres, more or less, and commonly known and designated as the John H. Bailey homestead. Excepting the Floyd Graveyard and one-half acre for the Bailey graveyard and the right to use farm paths in going to and from said graveyards.

This the 31st day of December, 1947.

E. S. PEEL, Trustee Peel & Manning Attorneys at Law, Williamston, N. C. j 6-13-20-27

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Public Auction Sale!

Friday, January 9, 1948

At 10:30

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—ONE Pair red mules, 7 years old —ONE black mule, 7 years old —ONE cow and calf —ONE two-horse wagon, practically new. —ONE two-row fertilizer sower —ONE double turning plow —ONE singer turning plow —ONE cotton plow —ONE disc harrow —ONE row marker —ONE Cole corn planter —THREE (3) tobacco trucks —4,000 tobacco sticks —ONE set tobacco curers, Blue Flame —A lot of good fence wire —Tobacco presser —ONE hand tobacco sprayer —ONE corn sheller —ONE hand tobacco setter —ONE cement water trough —TWO well rollers, bucket and chains —300 bales pea hay —ONE lot of corn —Pitch fork, hoes, shovels, bush axe, hole diggers and rakes, etc.

—ONE Majestic cook range, practically new —9-Piece Dining room suit —4 Piece Bed Room Suit —One Philco battery radio —TWO wood heaters —ONE big wash pot —ONE cross cut saw —Many other good things to sell.

Don't Forget Time and Place

Henry Johnson, Auctioneer

AUCTION SALE!

Farm Implements, Tools & Machinery, Livestock

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrators of

A. E. SMITH, Deceased

Will On

Thursday, Jan. 8, 1948

at ten o'clock A. M. at the A. E. Smith home place, offer for sale at the highest bidder, for cash the following articles of personal property, to-wit:

Ten mules, eight sows, one boar, thirty-five pigs, twenty-three shoats,

One Willis Jeep, one two-wheel trailer, Massey Harris tractor, one Fordson tractor, tractor cultivator, tractor peanut digger, tractor peanut duster, two tractor field discs, Liverman peanut picker, Benihall hay baler, John Deere Combine, Little Giant Bean Harvester.

Myers Tobacco Sprayer, six sets Smith Tobacco Oil Curers, one Mayo tobacco oil curer, twenty-two thousand tobacco sticks, seven tobacco trucks.

One Massey Harris mower, hay rake, manure spreader, log cart, stalk cutter, Dayton Transplanter, four two-horse turning plows, eight single turning plows, seven cotton plows, middle buster, three fertilizer sowers, three peanut planters, two cotton planters, three corn planters, three peanut weeders, three section harrows, five walking cultivators, one riding cultivator, four disc harrows, four two-horse wagons, two carts, two peanut swing cart bodies, one lot galvanized roofing, hoes, forks, axes, shovels, saws, peanut hay and corn, fence wire, corn shucker, bean fan.

One seven piece set porch furniture, writing desk, typewriter, electric fan, iron safe, five drawer national cash register, and hundreds of other items used on farm not herein specifically described.

This December 18th, 1947.

C. T. and M. E. SMITH, Administrators

A. E. Smith, Deceased.