

The Siler City Grit

WEDNESDAY, March 10, 1915

THE man who occasionally gets drunk is generally not naturally a bad man, but merely weak; and they yield to temptation which stronger men can resist. Therefore, the desire on the part of the majority of the people of the state to protect such weak men by putting whiskey without their reach. And this is wise. The compromise measure passed by the legislature Saturday will meet with the approval of the people of the state—without regard to party. The new whiskey law to take effect April 1st prohibits the delivery of more than one quart of whiskey in fifteen days; in other words, a person can receive two quarts a month, and not one drop over. Those people who insist that whiskey is necessary as medicine can continue to get their whiskey, since they surely would not need over two quarts a month; whereas the blind tiger will be pushed out of business, for two quarts a month would not be a start—just a tantalizing whetting of the appetite.

The House had passed a bill by a vote of 103 to 7 absolutely prohibiting the shipment of whiskey into the state, but the Senate by 23 to 22 refused to do this, and instead passed an amendment to let the people vote on the matter next August. A "conference" committee from House and Senate then was appointed and this committee at once framed and introduced the compromise measure of two quarts a month, and it passed both branches without a dissenting vote and will take effect April 1st.

The postoffice at West Durham seems to be an attraction for the yeggmen. Last week professionals blew open the safe and secured \$3,000 in stamps and money. This was the third time in the past three months that the West Durham office has been robbed. And no clue has been secured in any of the three robberies.

Fortunately for Siler City, there has been but two safe-blowings in the history of the town, and in each instance the yeggmen were captured and convicted. The first was about fifteen years ago when the store safe of Teague & Lambie was blown open and \$135 in cash secured. Four days later, however, the yeggman, Carter Hanson, was captured in Raleigh, and being convicted at Pittsboro court was sentenced to ten years in the pen. He was sixty-five years old, and after serving two years was pardoned. The second and last safe-blowing was in April, 1914, when yeggmen cracked the postoffice safe here, secured about \$700 in stamps and money and for a time made a complete get-away. They were later captured in Stokes county, tried in Federal court at Raleigh and sentenced to the pen for five and seven years, five for T. A. Conway and seven for James Johnson (alias Portland Ned.).

WITH practically the whole of Europe unproductive, caused by this terrible war, there will be a tremendous demand made upon America for food supplies during the ensuing months, and this demand must of course be met, else those people starve. And in meeting this demand there will naturally be an increase in prices. Hence, it behooves the farmers of Chatham county and this entire country to seize this opportunity and make every foot of ground productive to the highest degree. The financial wheel cannot revolve unless fed by the productiveness of the farmer, and the community will prosper just in the proportion the farmers wish it to prosper. Opportunity in the shape of higher prices and ready markets knocks at the door of every farm house; and here's the fervent wish of THE GRIT that the yield this crop year of our farmers will be over fourfold per drop of perspiration.

SINCE the last issue of THE GRIT, we have received six new three-months' subscriptions from Chathamites living in other towns who are anxious to keep up with the good roads fight in Matthews and Gulf townships. The editor has a constitutionally strong heart, but the shock almost proved his undoing. Nevertheless we "likes such shocks."

BEFORE making a statement, three important points should always be borne in mind: 1st, is it true; 2nd, is it kind; 3rd, is it necessary. With these three essentials, no one need have any fears of being characterized as in the class of "they say"—that class which goes about literally seeking whom they may devour.

WHEN the likker bill was being debated in Senate last week, one Senator from an eastern county facetiously offered an amendment outlawing 'simmon beer. Taboo 'simmon beer? Why, that's the national drink in the state of Randolph!

On and after April 1st, the morally stunted will have to make a quart go a long way—or themselves go a long way after it. And yet some affirm that Time is immutable!

Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of the power conveyed by a certain chattel mortgage given by E. R. Creswell to J. P. Bradshaw on April 4th 1912 and recorded in book F. A. Page 323 in the office of Register of Deeds, Chatham county, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder in the town of Ore Hill on March 19th, 1915, the property mentioned in said mortgage, consisting of goods, wares and merchandise, show cases, scales, and other store fixtures, belonging to the party of the first part.

Time of Sale Ten o'clock.

J. P. Bradshaw, Mortgagee.

Harry B. Hannah, Atty.

Commissioner's Land Sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Chatham county, N. C. in a special proceedings therein pending, entitled "The State of North Carolina vs. James Beaver and others, I will sell to the highest bidder, at the postoffice in Bonlee, N. C. on Saturday the 27th day of March 1915, at twelve o'clock, the following described lands, situated in Gulf township, Chatham county N. C., and bounded on the North by the lands of Alvin Fields, Robert Phillips, on the East by the lands of the late Mrs. Wm. Glosson, on the South by the lands of Mrs. Wm. Glosson and H. T. Fields, and on the West by H. T. Fields, containing fifty acres, more or less, and being the same lands represented by plots made by J. F. Rives, Jan. 3rd, 1879 and by J. J. Goldston, July 12th, 1892, of 35 and 15 acres, respectively.

Terms of sale One-half cash, balance in six months, deferred payment to bear interest at six per cent per annum; title reserved till first payment is made.

This February 25th, 1915.

H. H. Dixon, Commissioner.

Sale of Land by Commissioner.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Chatham county, in a special proceedings therein pending, entitled "The State of North Carolina vs. Dock Peoples, deceased, against Eliza Peoples and others, the undersigned will sell for cash, to the highest bidder, at the postoffice at Goldston, Chatham county, N. C. on Saturday the 3rd day of April, 1915, at one o'clock, P. M. the following described lands situated in Gulf township, Chatham county, N. C. about one and one-half miles North of Goldston: and bounded as follows:

Bounded on the North by the lands of Jesse DeGraffenried; on the East by the lands of F. W. Burns; on the South by right of way of the Southern Railway Co., and on the West by the lands of Rufus Bynum, containing five acres, more or less, and being the same tract upon which Dock Peoples, deceased, resided shortly before his death.

Terms of sale, CASH:

Time, 1 P. M. April 3rd.

Place, Postoffice, Goldston, N. C.

This March 4th, 1915.

F. W. Burns, Administrator and Commissioner.

Health Promotes Happiness.

Without health, genuine joy is impossible; without good digestion and regular bowel movement you cannot have health. Why neglect keeping bowels open and risk being sick and ailing? You don't have to take one small Dr. King's New Life Pill at night, in the morning you will have a full, free bowel movement and feel much better. Helps your appetite and digestion; try one to-night.

Election for Matthews Township Road District.

Whereas, the General Assembly of North Carolina has passed an act entitled: "An Act to Incorporate Matthews Township Chatham County, into a Special Road Tax District and Provide for the Better Working of the Public Roads Therein." And, Whereas, it is provided in said act that upon petition being presented at this board from the Board of Road Trustees of said road District asking for an election on the question of voting bonds for the permanent improvement of the roads in said District, that this board shall authorize and order an election to be held in pursuance of said petition, and

Whereas, this board has been petitioned by said Board of Road Trustees for said election.

It is now therefore ordered that an election to be held at the two voting precincts in said District, to-wit: Mt. Vernon Springs and Siler City, on Tuesday, the 6th day of April, 1915, for the purpose of allowing the voters of said district to vote for or against an issue of \$50,000 worth of bonds for the permanent improvement of the roads of said district. At said election those who favor authorizing the said Board of Road Trustees to issue said bonds shall vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed the words, "For Good Roads," and those opposed to it shall vote a ballot on which shall be written or printed the words "Against Good Roads." That a new registration for said election is hereby ordered and that no person shall be qualified to vote at said election unless he shall have registered therefor; that G. E. MATTHEWS is appointed Registrar for Siler City precinct and John A. DOWD is appointed Registrar for Mt. Vernon Springs precinct for said election.

The bonds are to be payable in forty years (40) years with interest payable semi-annually at not exceeding the legal rate.

The registration books will be opened on the 5th day of March, at the voting precincts in said township, and will be closed on the 27th day of March.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of Chatham County:

C. D. MOORE, Chairman.

This the 1st day of March, 1915.

No Use to Try and Wear Out Your Cold It Will Wear You Out Instead.

Thousands keep on suffering Coughs and colds through neglect and delay. Why make yourself an easy prey to serious ailments and epidemics as the result of a neglected cold? Coughs and colds sap your strength and vitality unless checked in the early stages. Dr. King's New Discovery is what you need—The first dose helps. Your head clears up, you breathe freely and you feel so much better. Buy a bottle to-day and start taking at once.

Duroc Sow for Sale

Fine young Duroc-Jersey sow for sale. Weight about 150 lbs. Price \$15.—I. A. Clapp, Rt 1.

Land Sale.

By virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of Chatham county in the cause therein pending, entitled "W. J. White et al against Grace White et al, we will offer for sale to the highest bidder on the premises on Saturday the 3rd day of April, 1915, a tract of land in Chatham county, West Creek township, known as the old Joseph J. White home place, lying on the waters of Tick Creek, near Mt. Vernon Springs, described as follows:

Beginning at D. Y. White's corner south of said creek; thence east 24 poles to corner of lot heretofore sold off to J. J. White and others; thence North 82 poles to corner of said lot; thence east 24 poles to corner of C. F. H. White; thence north crossing said Tick Creek 99 poles to corner of C. F. H. White north of said creek; thence north 74 degrees west 52 poles to corner of C. F. H. White; thence north 8 degrees east 56 poles to Van's corner; thence north 84 poles to corner of Foust's line; thence south crossing said creek 179 poles to the beginning corner D. Y. White, containing 126 acres.

Also a one-fourth undivided interest in a tract of land adjoining the above described tract:

Beginning at the corner described in the first call running from D. Y. White's corner 24 poles, thence south beginning at the corner described at the end of the first call from D. Y. White's corner 24 poles, thence south 15 east 53 poles to corner, thence south 47 poles corner of Geo. Siler line; thence east 36 poles corner of Siler line; thence north 33 poles, thence east 20 poles, thence north 14 poles to the line of the Sier line and W. G. and C. L. White; thence north to the line of the first described tract; thence west to the beginning about south 83 degrees west 82 poles to the beginning, containing 38 acres.

The first described tract will be offered in lots and then offered as a whole, plot of the same being in the hands of the commissioners the day of sale.

Terms of sale: One-half cash, balance in six months, deferred payments to bear interest 6 per cent per annum and title reserved until all the purchase money is paid.

This Feb. 27th, 1915.

R. W. White, D. Y. White, Commissioners.

Hayes & Horton, Attorneys.

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Sale of Valuable Timber.

Under and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust executed by the W. B. Cooper Lumber Company, Inc., to E. B. Parks, Trustee, on the 10th day of March, 1913, and which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Chatham county in Book F. A. Page 112, the undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Pittsboro on Saturday, April 3rd, 1915, at 12 o'clock M., the following described standing timber conveyed by said Deed of Trust, to-wit:—Three hundred and fifty thousand (350,000) feet of standing and growing pine timber on the lands of N. A. Jones in Matthews township, Chatham county, N. C., which said lands adjoin the lands of Balaam Fesmire, Rufus Brewer Job Siler, Eliza Siler, William Haskney and others, and is known as "Honey Hill" plantation. The above described timber is about fifty (50) acres more or less, and also one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) feet of standing and growing oak timber on the lands above described, it being understood that the five hundred thousand feet of timber means five hundred thousand feet after the same shall have been cut and sawed.

Place of sale at the Court House door in Pittsboro, N. C.

Time of sale: Saturday, April 3rd, 1915.

This the 1st day of March, 1915.

E. B. PARKS, Trustee.

Ah! The Invigorating Whiff of the Pine Forest.

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My millinery opening will be announced next week.

MISS BESSYE CAVINESS, At Ladies' Emporium. Siler City.

FARMS FOR SALE!

200 Acre Farm.

300-Acre Farm Located on the public road, one mile off macadam road leading into Graham, N. C., being 8 miles southeast of said town; about 125 acres of this land is level clear of rocks, stumps, and gullies, and in open cultivation. The open land is about one-third chocolate loam soil, balance gray and an excellent farm for grain, grasses, cotton or tobacco. This farm is well watered with several overflying streams, about 100 acres under wire fence, one 5-room frame cottage, also large feed and stock barn and plenty of wood and timber. All of this farm could be cultivated with machinery. There is also a good graded school within one-half mile of this farm. We can sell this farm for \$25 per acre.

125 Acre Farm.

125-acre farm 2 1/2 miles south of Mebane, located on public road, about 50 acres in open cultivation, balance in woodland, pine and oak, 1/2 of this farm is red soil, balance gray, good six room, two-story residence, newly painted, very good barn, fairly good orchard of apples and peaches well watered with two good overflying streams, also good well of water on back porch of residence and good graded school within 3/4 mile of this farm. This is a good farm for grain, grasses, cotton or tobacco. We sell this farm for \$3,750.

100 Acre Farm.

100-acre farm 8 miles south-east of Graham near Mt. Hermon church and graded school, good 5-room cottage, large feed and stock barn, fenced with wire, about 45 acres in open cultivation, balance in timber and woodland, good spring and plenty of running water. We will sell this farm for \$3,500.

122 Acre Farm.

122-acre farm 2 1/2 miles south of Mebane, located on new graded road from Mebane to Swepsonville within 1/2 mile of Hawfield church and graded school, new 5-room residence, good feed and stock barn, plenty of running water, about 40 acres in cultivation, balance in woodland, also good pasture wire fence.) We will sell for \$3,250.

55 Acre Farm.

55-acre farm 1 mile south-west of Burlington, on the macadam road leading out to Alamance Mills, also on the new sand clay road, 5-room frame residence, large feed and stock barn, good well of water, also plenty of running water, 40 acres in open cultivation, balance in woodland. We can sell this farm for \$4,500.

40 Acre Farm.

40-acre farm located on macadam road at Glen Raven, N. C., 15 acres in open cultivation, balance in pasture and woodland, also has running water. We can sell for \$1,700.

37 1-2 Acre Farm.

37 1/2-acre farm 2 1/2 miles North of Burlington, adjoining D. D. Glenn's farm, practically all of the land in open cultivation, 3-room log house, good feed and stock barn, good well of water, also running water and good pasture (wire fence). We can sell this farm for \$30 per acre.

70 Acre Farm.

70-acre farm 2 miles west of Mebane, fronting on public road for one half mile, very good old six room residence, good barn, plenty of running water, also spring and well, about 50 acres in open cultivation of chocolate loam soil. This is one of the best grain and grass farms in our county for sale, also has good graded school adjoining it. We will sell this farm for \$2,500.

45 Acre Farm.

45-acre farm, located on sand-clay road, 2 miles of Mebane, 4-room residence, two tobacco barns, one small store building, and a good farm for grain, truck or tobacco. We will sell this farm for \$1,800.

70 Acre Farm.

70-acre farm located on sand clay road from Mebane to Hillsboro, 3 1/2 miles East of Mebane, N. C., 5-room residence, plenty of running water, good well of water, plenty of wood and timber, about 30 acres in open cultivation. We will sell this farm for \$3,500.

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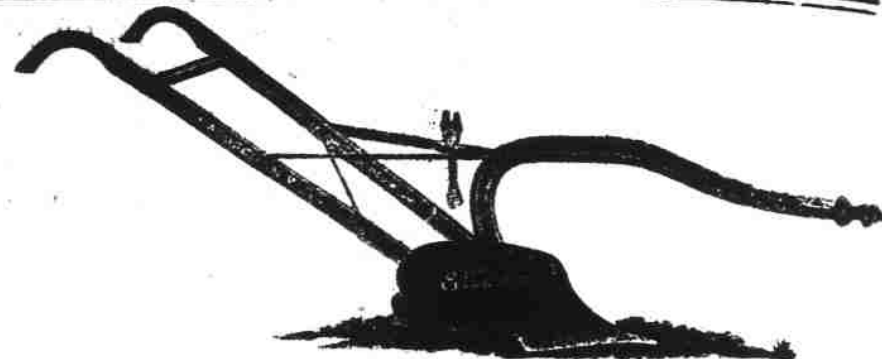
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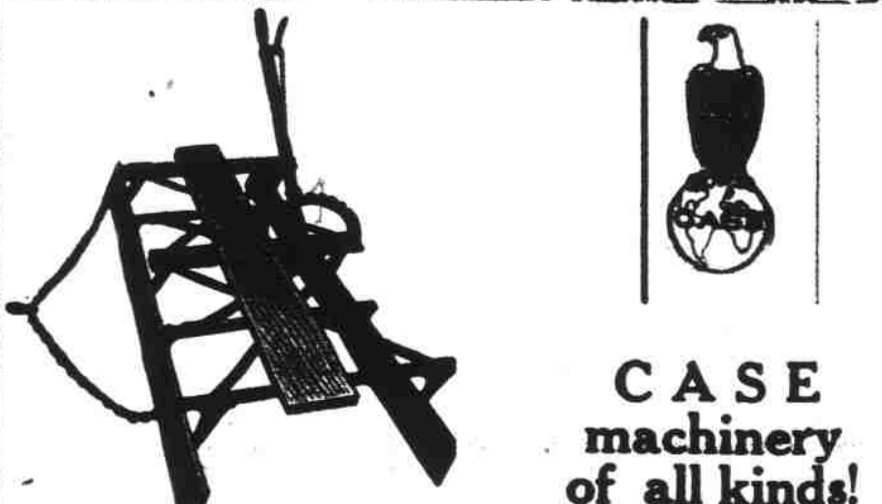
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