

**Notice of Sale**

North Carolina—Macon County  
In The Superior Court—Before The Clerk

Vernie Rush and husband,  
G. W. Rush; Witham Penland and wife, Sada Penland; Lawrence Penland and wife, Gordia Penland; Sible Penland by her next friend, Lawrence Penland and Callie Penland

vs

Earnest Penland and wife, Annie Penland; Mae Lovelace and husband, William Lovelace; Bulan Bryson; Wiliam (Billie) Bryson; Edna Bryson; Grace Bryson; J. B. Bryson; Gertrude Bryson; Marie Bryson; Jessie Bryson; Bland Cabe and husband, Nannie Cabe and William Penland and George B. Patton Guardian Ad Litem.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Macon County, made in a special proceeding entitled 'Vernie Rush and others vs Earnest Penland and others' appointing the undersigned commissioner to sell the hereinafter described land, we will on Monday the 2nd day of February, 1925, between the legal hours of sale, at the Court House door in the Town of Franklin, County of Macon and State of North Carolina, sell to the highest bidder the following described lands:

1st Tract—Lying and being in the county of Macon and State of North Carolina, being part of section No. 5 and 10 in Dist. No. 12, on the east bank of Tennessee River: Beginning at a maple on the east bank of Tennessee River, a corner of section No. 6, runs thence down the river with its meanders 74 poles to a water oak thence east 50 poles to pine; thence north 59 1-2 east 20 poles to a Spanish oak; thence south 76 east 54 poles to a white oak; thence north 30 1-2 east 68 poles to a white oak; thence south 85 east 62 poles to a little hickory; thence north 67 east 49 poles to a post oak at an Indian Grave; thence south 18 1-3 poles to white oak on the north side of a branch; thence down the branch with its meanders to a stake in the east line of Section No. 5, thence south with said line 30 poles to a black oak the S. corner of said section; thence south 81 west, with variations, 192 poles to the beginning containing 1143-4 acres, but excepting and reserving from said tract all the lands now belonging to the trustees of Clarks Chapel, about 500 acres known as the J. B. Raby tract, and deeded by H. A. Penland and wife to now owned by C. A. Cabe, the lands G. L. Cabe, deed recorded in Book R-3, page 68, office Register of Deeds, Macon County, N. C. and the lands deeded by H. A. Penland and wife to J. L. Cabe by deed recorded in Book G-4 page 495 office Register of Deeds Macon County, N. C. This tract of land being the home place of said H. A. Penland, deceased, and fully described in a deed from Wm. Penland to said H. A. Penland, recorded in Book W, page 234, Records Macon County.

2nd Tract—Lying and being in Macon County, N. C., Beginning at a red oak on the south side of the road, the N E corner of the church lot, runs N 68 1-2 W 17 poles to a white oak; thence S 16 W 22 poles to a stake, the beginning corner of the church lot, then S 46 E 20 links to a stake; thence N 28 E 17 poles and 4 links to a stake near the NW corner of grave yard; thence S 69 E 12 poles to a stake at the side of the road; thence N 30 E 5 poles and 9 links to the beginning, containing 144 poles.

Terms of sale: one fourth down, balance in six, twelve and eighteen months, title to be retained in said commissioners until all the purchase money is paid.

This 29th day of December, 1924.  
R. D. SISK,  
GEO. B. PATTON,  
Commissioners.

J30.

**Notice of Sale Under Ventioni Exponas**

North Carolina—Macon County.  
In Superior Court.

C. L. Pendergrass  
vs  
Lawrence Dills.

By virtue of a Ven. Ex. directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Macon County in the above entitled action, I will, on Monday the 9th day of February 1925, at 12 o'clock M., at the courthouse door of said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy said Ven. Ex., all the right title and interest which the said Lawrence Dills, the defendant, has in the following described real estate to-wit:

In Macon County, N. C., in Cartoo, geechaye township, adjoining the land of Hez Dills and others and being the lands covered and embraced in a deed from J. M. Dills and wife to Lawrence Dills, dated January 2nd, 1918, and recorded in the Office of Register of Deeds for Macon County, N. C., in Book H-4, at Pages 437, to which reference is hereby made for a more definite description containing 50 acres more or less.

This the 8th day of January 1925.  
C. L. INGRAM,  
Sheriff Macon County.

J30.

**North Carolina Shows Big Gain in Industries**

Hardly less remarkable than her fight against illiteracy has been North Carolina's development industrially. From a standing start of about thirtieth in the Union, she has jumped in twenty years—most of it in the last ten—from a strictly agricultural State to among the first eight in industrial wealth; to second in the production of tobacco and first in its manufacture; to second in the production and first in the manufacture of cotton goods, and to the leadership in a number of the less important branches of manufactures.

Her 6,300 mills manufacture products in quantities of \$1,000,000 and smaller value. Steady wages in the cities have brought her isolated and benighted mountaineers down from their hill retreats, and three of her cities as the results of industrial development have tripled their population; another had quadrupled it, and the North Carolina port, Wilmington, has increased its business in ten years from \$13,000,000 to \$27,000,000.

It is of course, foolhardly to attribute the developments of North Carolina or any other State to one man, but an eminent North Carolinian who has watched the State grow for thirty years, told the writer that James B. Duke had contributed perhaps more to the State's industrial growth than any other one person.

**What Duke Accomplished.**

Mr. Duke's effort took two directions: he gathered the threads of a disorganized tobacco business and created the world's greatest streams within her borders, creating the second largest hydro-electric development in the South, and made it possible for manufactures to have cheap power.

By doing one he showed farmers they could make money out of something besides cotton. As a result the State is highly diversified and has come to apply a high order of intelligence even to its cotton raising. By doing the other he laid the groundwork for 300 mills one may find through North Carolina, the great majority of them using hydro-electric power.

The North Carolinian who gave the information estimated that Mr. Duke had poured \$250,000,000 in the development of hydro-electric power in North Carolina and in upper South Carolina. Not all of it came out of his pocket, of course. As one development paid for itself in dividends he put the dividends into a new development. Just when his hydro-electric development, the work since he became more or less inactive in tobacco affairs ten years ago—just when the work of all these years was in a position to pay him millions in dividends, he turned around and gave it to the State of North Carolina through the \$40,000,000 trust fund that he created a few weeks ago. The fund is the stock of the Southern Power Company.

Mr. Duke's efforts in North Carolina made him extremely unpopular in his State at one time during his career. Politicians baited his corporations, some of the newspapers denounced his methods, but by his foresight in the creation of the trust fund and because North Carolinians realize what development is likely through the unselfish admiration of the stock of the power company to mean to the State. Mr. Duke has been completely rehabilitated in

**Administratrix Notice**

Having qualified as administratrix executor of Jack Carpenter and Mary Carpenter deceased, late of Macon County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 3 day of January, 1926, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 3 day of January, 1925.

MATTIE STRICKLAND  
Administratrix

**Entry Notice**

North Carolina—Macon County.  
No. 14967  
100 Acres  
Entered December 19, 1924.  
Advertised December 19, 1924.  
J. J. and J. S. Gray enter: 100 acres of land on Hickory Knoll Creek, waters of Tennessee River in Smith's Bridge Township. Joins the government lands, Hoglen Gray and others.  
J. J. GRAY, J. S. GRAY.  
I certify that the foregoing is a true transcript from the record in my office.  
This December 19, 1924.  
E. H. FRANKS, E. T.

the eyes of North Carolina and is now her leading citizen.

**Leads in Debt Free Homes**

During the last twenty years North Carolina's property values have increased eight times over; the value of her manufactured products has increased thirty-five times. She leads the Union in the percentage of debt free homes, more than four-fifths of her citizens who own homes have them without encumbrance.

Perhaps her growth has been more marked in the manufacture of cotton than in any other phase. Twenty years ago she was among Southern States that shipped most of their fiber to Northern manufacturing centers such as Fall River. She paid the freight to Massachusetts the freight back the manufacturing cost and all the profits of those who handled it. Massachusetts said then that the cheap white help of the South could not manufacture cotton; that it could not learn. North Carolina brought the white girl and the white boy and their parents down from the mountains into the cities and put them in the mills.

New England laborers were continually in trouble with the mill owners. North Carolina laborers were making more money in a month than they had seen in any previous year and were content. Not only that, but they became highly skilled. North Carolina has 300 cotton mills, with slightly more than 6,000,000 spindles.

Massachusetts has double that number of spindles, but in the last several months of 1924 North Carolina has produced more manufactured cotton goods than Massachusetts. The mills of Massachusetts have been closed down from time to time; Carolina's have been running full tilt.

North Carolina's furniture factories turn out \$35,000,000 annually, as against \$1,500,000 worth fourteen years ago; her cotton mills turn out \$400,000,000 worth of products each year; the State pays one-third of the tobacco tax of the United States and her factories consume one-third of the amount grown in America.

The State's bank resources have increased from \$150,000,000 in 1914 to more than \$500,000,000 in 1924, the percentage of gain for the period being twice the increase for the whole county as a whole. The per capita wealth of the State increased in the same period 10 per cent more than any other state.

**Hall's Catarrh Medicine**

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F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

**A Parisian Headache**

Such headache as Paris had on the morning following Christmas eve was considered a phenomenon worthy of a cablegram to America. What a revelry to attend the birthday of the Prince of Peace. More than \$1,000,000 spent for champagne alone, every restaurant and cabaret jammed to the doors with table reservations retailing for a minimum of \$50 per. It is told that unaccustomed tourists gasped at the spectacle of hatless millionaires in evening clothes rushing from restaurant to cabaret and from cabaret to restaurant. Jewelers obligingly kept open until the wee small hours to enable the spenders to buy Christmas presents for pretty women the men with money had only just met. Now were these roisterers and wastrels ours or the old world's? If the latter, there is no occasion for Frenchmen to make any more wry faces over American hints

for payment of a long overdue war debt. Who's forgetting Flanders field now?

Unless the people make it their habit to shout for their home town every chance they get, it may not be worth shouting about.

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If you want a real work shirt for \$1.00 come in and see ours, other places get more money for the same shirt.

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