

TRUE TALES OF AFRICA. A LAND OF PARADOXES

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nations to make soap out of. Just as if any man with good sense could not scrub his hide with sand or soft stone and get clean.

These mills are made of a hollowed out log of immense size, in which another log is placed which has been hewn to fit the hollow with a little clearance. To this last log is affixed a windless. The camel is hitched to this in the same manner that we hitch mules to our cane mills. The camel works around and around at this work all day. The outside eye has one half of a coconut placed over it and tied to prevent dizziness. The mill is placed in a hut that prevents the sun from drying out the mill and also because the shed is dark and the flies do not come around and thicken up the sim sim by using it as a burying ground. Things go well till friend camel decides it's time for a rest. Then down he lies. As time is no object, the native lies down too and has a nap till he hears the squeaking of the mills which tell him that the camel is again on the job.

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ENGINEERING ON FARMS IS IMPORTANT MATTER

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results of the combination of social and industrial conditions in the United States is that people have a tendency to build temporary homes.

The habit of moving on in search of something better has brought on a custom of building with the supposition or intent, that the house will be sold or leased.

The inevitable result is that the structures are placed with indifference and built of cheap material, with little attention to permanency, convenience, comfort and attractiveness.

Throughout this series two purposes are kept in view: First to suggest to the reader possible improvements or betterments of conditions about the farm and home, and second, how best to accomplish the definite purpose when finally it is formed.

With the first purpose in view, each subject is opened with inquiries or suggestions. Not all the readers will find all the topics of interest but nearly everyone will find that one or more will touch matters that are of vital interest. Surely everyone, not already having it, will be interested in water supply for the home—and everybody ought to study, and be constantly on the alert about home sanitation. Can any farmer in the hills say he is indifferent about the washing away of his soil?

The First Lesson

As the first lesson, (if we may call it that) the reader is urged to get into a habit of seeing possibilities in things—and of seeing more than one way to do things. Men with this habit find some thing of interest everywhere they go and have something to study and talk about at all times. They are the progressive, wide-awake, successful, helpful neighbors. It is thus that life on the farm may, instead of being dull and stupifying, become the most interesting and fascinating business—and in saying this the author does not lose sight of the fact that the business must return a profit.

In some of the improvements or work that the land owner may determine to carry out, the service of an engineer may be needed temporarily. For instance if the question be whether or not a certain spring can be made to deliver water to the home, or where to locate the home so that the spring can be used—there should be reliable work done with an engineer's level. The County Surveyor should be able to do this and to make a neat map showing relative elevations and also to advise on other simple problems. If he cannot, then there is an opportunity for the citizen to do his county a service by demanding and getting a county surveyor who can run a level, lay out tile drains and hillside terraces, specify and superintend concrete work and the like.

Have courage to break away from precedent. Try to keep abreast with the foremost. Have you known the pleasure of being in the lead? Try it. Do not spend time and labor on some work until by mature study you believe it will yield a reward either

in money, pleasure or benefit to someone else.

Why do some people go on doing the same thing in the same old way year after year and profiting nothing?—Why does a hen set?—But don't be led by an enthusiast with a hobby, especially if he has something to sell. Don't be a sucker.

The world is full of setting hens and suckers. The man who is in neither class is the one who thinks for himself—who studies, not necessarily books, but some books and papers will help a lot.

A good wide-awake agricultural periodical will go a long way to break the hen of setting, and a catalog of a large mail-order house may save a man from being a sucker.

Every farmer should have both, even if he never buys from a mail-order house he can check the prices charged by his retailer—and there are many things with their prices, shown in such catalogs that many people would buy with joy if they knew such things were in existence. Catalogs from makers and dealers in a special line of business generally do not give their correct prices. Neither do they tell what the other fellows might offer if they had a chance.

There are also some valuable trade circulars that can be had for the asking.

Every owner of a farm should have a list of the bulletins published by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. These are supposed to give the most reliable information that can be had on the subject treated. Most of these can be had for the asking. Write to your congressman and he will attend to it for you. Each state agricultural college also sends out many valuable bulletins that progressive farmers should have.

CO-OP EGG ASSOCIATION MAKES MANY MILLIONS

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generously enjoyed by members of the Washington Egg and Poultry association.

Tangible benefits to Whatcom county are seen in the operations of the Washington Co-operative Egg and Poultry association feed department which operates mills throughout the state located in heavy poultry, and dairy producing sections. From four to five hundred tons of oats per month are used in the manufacturing of Co-Op feeds, and all come from Whatcom county, equaling a valuation in excess of \$14,000 per month. In addition this immense feed manufacturing operations furnishes an outlet for practically all straw produced in Whatcom county. This creates a profitable outlet for this produce which otherwise might be difficult to sell. Approximately 50,000 tons of feed were distributed to Whatcom county members of the poultrymen's own marketing agency in 1929 who directly participate in all of the earnings of the feed department. For six years the net earnings have been refunded to poultrymen on an average of \$3 per ton. This represents a general saving to producers and enables them to make the profit which formerly went to the independent manufacturer.

Unit System

The Co-Op uses the unit system of manufacturing and places a mill in every territory where there is sufficient consumption of poultry and dairy feeds to make such a mill justifiable. This not only increases service facilities of the organization, but it builds local payrolls and materially assists upbuilding of Washington's agricultural communities.

In discussing the operation of the association's feed production, H. L. McIntyre, head of the feed department, said: "In the manufacture of Co-Op feeds we select and utilize only the best ingredients, for we realize that correct feeding of flocks means increased egg production, and we know the importance of furnishing our members with well balanced, standardized feed. The association, through volume manufacturing and buying of basic ingredients, is in a position to maintain a uniform feed regardless of market changes and grain fluctuations."

"We also manufacture a high quality line of dairy feed, milled in our own plant, and under expert supervision, and in close co-operation with the state dairy associations in arranging formulas of balanced feed. We are constantly working to improve our feeds, to the end that both poultry and dairy productions are

Says Sargon Brought Back His Health



JOHN C. SPENCER

"For the past year I have been in wretched health. Three bottles of Sargon put me in wonderful condition. My appetite is splendid now and my digestion is sound. I have gained ten pounds and my strength has returned in proportion.

"I wouldn't be without Sargon if it cost twenty-five dollars a bottle."

—John C. Spencer, 498 Sixty-third St., West Allis, Milwaukee, Wis. Sargon's record of marvelous achievement is an open book to all, and only those who have used this famous treatment know its real powers.

Perry's Drug Store, Franklin, N. C., Agents.—Adv.

Prentiss Baptist Church Averages 46 Attendance

The average attendance at the Prentiss Baptist church is reported to be 46. The officers and teachers of the Sunday school are studying the Sunday school manual, and after diplomas are received the school will be standard. Rev. D. C. McCoy is the pastor at Prentiss.—W. R. Sanders.

benefited."

10,000 Producers

Since its formation in 1917 the Washington Co-operative Egg and Poultry association has gone steadily forward, and while growth has been phenomenal, it has been sound with a vision for future years and the trend of industry in various branches. The policy has been to safeguard the interests of the producer members, increasing the quality of the eggs and poultry produced, and to reduce costs of distribution to the end that both consumer and producer are benefited. Starting from 150 charter members in 1917, the association now numbers in excess of 10,000 active egg producers. Recently the association extended its scope of production into central and eastern Washington, for it now has branches in Yakima and Spokane. The association recently took over the Spokane Farmers' Poultry association, and it is now an active factor in the development of Washington Co-op products.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors who extended to us sympathy and help on the occasion of the death of our daughter, sister and aunt, Mrs. N. L. Jolley. Especially do we wish to thank the choir and pianist of the Franklin Baptist church, who attended the funeral and rendered music for the occasion.

MR. and MRS. J. K. BRYSON,
MRS. JOHN M. MOORE,
MRS. JOSEPH ASHEAR.
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NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage deed executed by J. R. Corpening and wife, Iva Corpening, to the undersigned dated 18th day of April, 1929, recorded in book No. 32, page 74, office of the register of deeds for Macon county, securing a note of sixty (\$60.00) dollars due August 18, 1929, and default having been made in the payment of said note, I will on Saturday the 22nd day of March, 1930, at the court house door in the County of Macon, State

of North Carolina, and in the Town of Franklin, and between the legal hours of sale, sell at public auction to satisfy said mortgage and note, the following described land, lying and being all the lands described in a deed from J. T. Corpening and wife and J. A. Corpening and wife to J. R. Corpening and dated December 25, 1916 and registered in book B-4, page 304 on the 6th day of July, 1918, in the office of the register of deeds for Macon county, to which deed reference is made for a more definite description.

Dated this the 18th day of February, 1930.

p4M13 JOE SWETMAN; Mortgagee.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust made by S. V. Stockton and wife Mary Stockton, to the undersigned trustee dated June 11, 1928, and duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Macon county, North Carolina, in deed of trust book No. 31 at page 63 to which reference is hereby made and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, said undersigned trustee will on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1930, at 12:00 M., sell for cash at public auction at the court house door in the city of Franklin, County of Macon, State of North Carolina, the following described piece or parcel of land, lying and being in: Franklin township, Macon county North Carolina and described as follows:

Being one lot in the town of Prentiss, known as the Mark Dowdle lot and more fully described in a deed from D. C. Stockton and wife to C. B. Stockton and recorded in book K-4, page 176, records of Macon county to which said deed as recorded reference is hereby made for more definite description of said lot hereby conveyed.

This the 29th day of January, 1930.

4tpF27 GEO. CARPENTER,
Trustee.

NOTICE OF SALE

North Carolina,
Macon County.

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by James T. Vinson and wife, Ella Vinson, to the undersigned trustee, which said deed of trust is dated May 1st, 1926, and recorded in book No. 30, page 121 of the Macon county registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and in the conditions therein secured the undersigned trustee, will on March 3, 1930, at or about twelve o'clock noon, at the court house door at Franklin, N. C., offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land containing 170 acres, more or less, situate, lying and being on the Tesenta road, about two and one-half miles almost east from the town of Otto, in Smith's Bridge township, Macon county, North Carolina, having such shape metes courses and distances as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof, made by W. N. Sloan, surveyor, on the day of March, 1926, and attached to the abstract now on file with the Atlantic Joint Stock Land Bank of Raleigh, the same being bounded on the north by the lands of the United States government and M. B. Norton; on the east by the lands of M. B. Norton and W. H. Patterson, on the south by the lands of S. C. Conley, and being the identical tract of land conveyed by deed from the Central Loan and Trust company, a corporation, to J. T. Vinson by deed dated 22nd day of October, 1924, which said deed is duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Macon county, State of North Carolina, in book of deeds No. "J-4" page 369 to which reference is made for a more complete description of the same.

Terms of sale cash and trustee will require deposit of 10 per cent of the amount of the bid as his evidence of good faith.

This the 1st day of February, 1930.
THE RALEIGH SAVINGS BANK
& TRUST CO., Trustee.
C. W. PRIDGEN, Attorney,
Raleigh, N. C. 4tcJ&JF27

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of Sarah A. Spahr, 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 25th day of January, 1931, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. This 25th day of January, 1930.

4tpF20 L. E. SPAHR, Executor.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS AND WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT

In the Superior Court,
North Carolina,
Macon County.

Sam L. Franks

vs

J. S. Rogers

The defendant above named will take notice that a summons in the above entitled action was issued against said defendant on the 21st day of January, 1930, by the clerk of the Superior Court of Macon county, North Carolina, for the sum of Two Hundred Fifty (\$250.00) Dollars with interest thereon from July 10, 1925, due said plaintiff by promissory note, which summons is returnable on the 22nd day of February, 1930. The defendant will also take notice that a warrant of attachment was issued by said clerk superior court on the 21st day of January, 1930, against the property of said defendant, which is returnable before the said clerk of superior court on the 22nd day of February, 1930, when and where the defendant is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This the 21st day of January, 1930.

FRANK I. MURRAY,
4tcJ&JF19 Clerk Superior Court.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of power of sale contained in a deed of trust from N. H. Passmore, Macon county State of North Carolina, J. P. Moore, trustee, dated 20th day of March, 1926, and duly recorded in the office of register of deeds of Macon county, in book of mortgages and deeds of trusts No. 29 at page 572 to which reference is hereby made for a full description of said land and the fault having been made in the fault of said indebtedness secured by a deed of trust whereby the powers of sale therein contained has become operative said undersigned trustee will on Monday the 3rd day of March, 1930, at 12:00 noon, sell for cash at public auction at the court house door in the town of Franklin, County of Macon, State of North Carolina, the following described piece or parcel of land in Franklin township, Macon county North Carolina, and described as follows:

Beginning at a Spanish oak 3 poles E. N. H. Passmore's hickory and dogwood corner, and runs S. 8 E. 21 poles to a stake on the south bank of road; then S. 86 E. with said road 20 poles to a stake then N. 2 E. 34 poles to a hickory, N. H. Passmore's corner; then S. 88 W. 27 poles to the beginning.

This the 1st day of February, 1930.

4tpF27 J. P. MOORE, Trustee.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed made by R. H. Clark and wife, Suda Clark, of Macon county, State of North Carolina, to Alex Moore and Frank I. Murray dated the 15th day of October, 1926, for the sum of \$1100.50 which said mortgage deed is duly recorded in the office of register of deeds of Macon county, North Carolina in deed of trust book No. 30 page 290 to which mortgage deed reference is hereby made for a complete and full description of same, and no part of said indebtedness having been made and demand having been made for the payment for the same whereby the sale of power therein contained has become operative and the said undersigned mortgagees will on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1930, at 12:00 noon, sell for cash at public auction at the court house door in the town of Franklin, county of Macon, State of North Carolina the following described piece or parcel of land lying and being in Macon county, Ellijay township, North Carolina and described as follows:

Bounded on the N. by the lands of Joe Ashear on the E. by J. T. Henry on the S. by J. A. Young and on the W. by Joe Ashear, containing 106 acres, being my entire interest in said land.

This the 1st day of February, 1930.

FRANK I. MURRAY,
ALEX MOORE,
4tpF27 Mortgagees.