

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. F. Wood, deceased, all persons are hereby notified to make payment of accounts due to the estate...

LIZZIE WOOD,
Admrx. of J. F. Wood, deceased.
Clifford & Townsend,
Attorneys.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain bond for title executed by B. F. Williams and wife, D. E. Williams, to Mrs. Sallie C. Morris on the 18th day of Dec. 1915...

Time of sale, Monday, Dec. 2nd, at twelve o'clock M.
Place of sale, court house door, Lillington, N. C.
This the 21st day of October 1918.

CLARENCE J. SMITH,
Trustee in Bankruptcy, B. F. Williams.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain bond for title executed by B. F. Williams and wife, D. E. Williams, to David Matthews on the 18th day of December, 1915...

Time of sale, Monday, Dec. 2nd, at twelve o'clock M.
Place of sale, court house door, Lillington, N. C.
This the 21st day of October 1918.

CLARENCE J. SMITH,
Trustee in Bankruptcy, B. F. Williams.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain bond for title executed by B. F. Williams and wife, D. E. Williams, to C. S. Adams on the 18th day of December, 1915...

Time of sale, Monday, Dec. 2nd, at twelve o'clock M.
Place of sale, court house door, Lillington, N. C.
This the 21st day of October 1918.

CLARENCE J. SMITH,
Trustee in Bankruptcy, B. F. Williams.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain bond for title executed by B. F. Williams and wife, D. E. Williams, to O. A. Smith on the 18th day of Dec. 1915...

Terms of sale, cash.
Place of sale, court house door, Lillington, N. C.
This the 31st day of Oct. 1918.

CLARENCE J. SMITH,
Trustee in Bankruptcy, B. F. Williams.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain bond for title executed by B. F. Williams and wife, D. K. Williams, to S. W. Williams on the 18th day of December, 1915...

Time of sale, Monday, Dec. 2nd, at twelve o'clock M.
Place of sale, court house door, Lillington, N. C.
This the 31st day of Oct. 1918.

CLARENCE J. SMITH,
Trustee in Bankruptcy, B. F. Williams.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.
State of North Carolina
Department of State
Certificate of Dissolution
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...

J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

MORTGAGE SALE
Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by L. Buesee Pope and wife, Henry Pope and wife, and Worth M. Pope to Clarence J. Smith, Trustee, default having been made in the payment of the debt therein secured...

CLARENCE J. SMITH, Trustee.
E. F. Young, Attorney.

AN ORDINANCE.
Authorizing the issuance of bonds of the Town of Lillington, North Carolina, in the aggregate amount of \$6,500.00 for the purpose of funding a certain outstanding indebtedness of said municipality.

Section 1. That for the purpose of funding the said outstanding indebtedness of said municipality referred to above there be issued bonds of said municipality in the maximum amount of \$6,500.00.

open to public inspection.
Section 6. The averaged assessed valuation of property subject to taxation by the municipality for the three fiscal years in which taxes were last levied as shown by said statement is \$368,865.00.

AN ORDINANCE.
Authorizing the issuance of bonds of the Town of Lillington, North Carolina, in the aggregate sum of \$3,000.00 for the purpose of improving and extending the water supply system in and for said town.

Section 1. That for the purpose of improving and extending the water supply system for supplying water to the municipality there be issued the bonds of said municipality in the maximum principal amount of \$3,000.00.

Section 2. Said bonds shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum per annum.
Section 3. Said bonds shall mature within a period of seven years.

Section 4. That a tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds shall be annually levied and collected.

NOTICE OF SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.
The undersigned administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. C. Parker, late of Harnett County, will on Wednesday, the 27th day of November 1918, at 10 a. m. at the residence of said decedent, in Averboro Township, offer for sale all the personal property belonging to said estate.

J. D. WEEKS, Administrator.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION.
The undersigned having this day qualified as administrator of the estate of Mrs. I. C. Parker, late of Harnett county, N. C., this is to notify all persons holding any claim against the said estate to present the same to the undersigned DULY PROVEN according to law on or before the 4th day of November 1919, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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GENERAL PERSHING.
(From the New York Times.)
Fame claimed John Pershing when he was appointed to command the American Army in France in the Great War. Today his portrait, done by Jean Boucher, the official painter, hangs on the walls of the French Army Museum at the Invalides, flanked by the faces of soldiers whom France has always honored.

Napoleon. England has bestowed upon the American commander the Grand Cross of the Order of the Legion of Honor. It was already a knight without fear and without reproach. An order of knighthood could do no more for the son of the Missouri viceroy, store keeper than West Point had done for him and than he had done for himself by living up to West Point ideal, and that is not easy when a man must rest content to be a lieutenant in a cavalry regiment for more than fifteen years.

Twenty years later the tall, silent, Lieutenant of the Cuban expedition, unimportant now but picturesque in its period, is world-famous as the leader of an American army of 1,900,000 men on historic fields in France, where men have swarmed like ants in combat for nearly 2,000 years.

It may have been a coincidence, but it was certainly felicitous that President Wilson selected an American soldier of Alsatian descent to command our armies in France. On the other day the Association Generale des Alsaciens-Lorrains d'Amerique hailed General Pershing, in birthday congratulation, as of kin to its members, and said the telegram to him, "we hope to celebrate shortly with you in the village of the family of Pflorsching the victory of civilization and the deliverance of oppressed peoples."

At school he showed an aptitude for mathematics, but was thinking of the law as a profession when he heard of a competition for a cadetship at West Point in his district. By one point only he excelled and his career was made. Long after he graduated from the Military Academy General Wesley Merritt said of young Pershing: "He gave early promise of becoming the superb officer he is now known to be. He was earnest, ambitious, energetic, and manly."

The senior cadet Captain at West Point is always "energetic and manly." Pershing with his determined face and six feet of frame looked the part in his close-fitting uniform. He was a handsome youngster, with the air of command, West Point's most soldierly cadet when he left "the best military school in the world" in 1886.

After the war with Spain opportunity came Pershing's way, and he was ready. As commander of military operations against the Moros of Mindanao he caught President Roosevelt's eye and was promoted from a Captaincy to Brigadier General over the heads of more than 800 officers, who registered silent protests. President Roosevelt's preference had long since been vindicated. Both as commander of the Department of Mindanao and as Governor of Moro Province Pershing proved his worth on many occasions in his military operations he was uniformly successful with light casualties and his reports as Governor are models of sound judgment and clear writing.

The Chihuahua expedition was Pershing's chance to prove his capacity for responsible command. For such a high-spirited and red-blooded man it was sometimes difficult to hold the American Army in leash especially after Carrisal. But he had his orders from Washington, and he obeyed them as a soldier should. To the Mexicans he had to show a firm front and yield nothing. There is a celebrated answer to General Trevino which was a model of resolution, in terms that could not be misunderstood. It probably averted a war with Mexico. Beyond doubt General Pershing would never have been selected for the command in France if he had not powerfully impressed President Wilson with his determination, restraint, and patience as well as with his soldierly qualities.

Some day the whole story of General Pershing's organization and training of the American Army in France will be written. It was a herculean task. It bristled with difficulties. The French and British high commands could look upon the American troops as little more than raw material, and the requirement that they be brigaded with the Allies was reasonable. American officers had to go to school to French and British officers. The men had to take a long and rigorous post-graduate course in the A. B. C. of European warfare. But all the time General Pershing was working for separate American army that could be put in a place of danger in the line in any emergency. At the end of a year, or in less time, the Americans under his skillful hand were ready to fight like veterans when called upon. The French command was

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distrustful until the glorious brush at Cantigny. Then came Chateau-Thierry, and after that nothing was too good to say of the valor, fortitude, and stamina of American soldiers in France.

THE PATRIOTIC BIG CROP PRIZES FOR 1919.

Ten Short and Easy Rules.
Last month the Farm Journal announced 18 medals and \$10,500 in cash as rewards for the highest yields of the six big staple crops—corn, cotton, wheat, oats, potatoes, and alfalfa.

to further the welfare of his fellow-men. Like him, the institute is devoted to promoting the sciences and learning. Every year it gives medals to those who have done great things. The institute gave one to Thomas A. Edison for his many inventions; another to Guglielmo Marconi, the inventor of the wireless; and scores of other famous men have been thus honored from year to year.

Second: The crop in the United States invested in the variety of 1919.
Third: Any variety of crops may be grown.
Fourth: Any yields be grown by the contest the average yield per acre least five acres. These will be part of a larger field be in one square or rectangle must be given to us of the date when the crop can be made to have the largest crops throughout all the United States in 1919. The winter wheat that will compete is already planted. What an honor it will be in this great coming year when every bushel of grain or of potatoes, and every pound of cotton and alfalfa flashed from one end of the country to the other that you did the best of all the good farmers in the land—that you were one of eighteen to receive the Farm Journal medal for the highest distinction in American agriculture!

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