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On the other hand, if you sell your Liberty Bond now, you will find that the man you sell it to will not give you a dollar for every dollar you sold for it. The price has been brought down because so many people are offering to sell their Bonds. If the market is flooded with tomatoes, you can buy them cheap, but if everyone is clamoring for tomatoes and there are few to be had, the price goes up. The same is true of Liberty Bonds. Short-sighted people are dumping them on the market, and wise ones are buying them.

The best advice that can be given to the owner of a Liberty Bond is this: Hold the bond you bought during the war; it is as safe and sound as the United States Government itself.

But as many more at the present low rate as you can afford. If you hold them to maturity, you are bound to make the difference between what they sell at now and their face value. You will also receive good interest on your investment.

Hold on to your Liberty Bonds and buy more.

THE BACKWARD SPRING

(Thursday's News and Observer)
When you have nothing else to talk about you turn to the weather, for it is always presenting some changeable feature. But this year it is more than peevish comment the weather calls forth. Following a winter of continued severe cold the spring appears unable to shake off the habit, and the planters are not joyous over the continued low temperature for it is seriously affecting the cotton prospect all over the South, and also interfering with the growth of tobacco, corn, and other staple crops. Much cotton will be replanted, and some will be allowed to grow as it stands, the result being a lessened crop in such cases. The outlook is for a total yield somewhat short of what might be normally expected. When an ice bridge is frozen over the Neuse river below the falls in the middle of May and snow storms are reported over much of the North in the same period, the weather is certain to be affecting the food supply of the nation.

THE KNOX RESOLUTION

The passage of the Knox peace resolution is but another move in the political chess game, in which the fortunes of the nation, and the future of the peoples are the pawns, to be sacrificed unhesitatingly to save the knights and rooks, and bishops and regally, the offices of honor and power in the government of the United States. The game has gone on so long that the people of the country have grown apathetic. Nothing that Congress can do now is scandalous enough to draw more than passing comment. Everything is held up until the November elections, and everybody moves or less passively accepts the fact.

Therefore the Knox resolution is hardly worth much comment. It makes no great difference what it contains. It will not go into effect, as its writer and every man who voted for it is perfectly well aware. It is political buncombe—nothing else.

Only in the far future some student of our affairs may find this move an interesting side-light on the struggle of the government of the United States against the will of an ancient, outgrown system. The people want peace, but they are absolutely impotent, because the fathers, who made the constitution, tied their hands. They cannot exercise either the legislative or the executive and the legislative and the executive are at war. The people are harried and wounded, their business interests are strangled, their future imperiled by the wars of the politicians—and they are absolutely helpless. There is something of high comedy about all this in this spectacle of the mad power-hungry action on earth that leads hand and foot in bonds of its own fabrication. Posterity doubtless will laugh; but for the present there is tragedy enough in it.—Geo. Moore News.

Of the farmer's most difficult problem has been the keeping of the boy on the farm. It seems to be human nature that as soon as a boy reaches the young manhood period, the city appeals very strongly to him. All the while he is attending the country school he hears all sorts of stories about the good times folks are having in the city. During the summer vacation period, his city cousins come out to spend a few days on the farm and he hears all about the amusement going on back home and the conveniences he has in the city of which the farm land is deprived. All these things tend to excite the curiosity of the country lad and by the time he reaches about twenty years of age he has decided to desert the farm, go to the city, enjoy life and show all make lots of money in a short time.

crope and the million and one other things necessary to the successful operation of the farm. His value to the farmer can not be calculated and unfortunately should the lad desert for the city, it is necessary for the farmer to try and replace him by some fellow who is inexperienced, which results in a loss of time, production and money. Quite often such action is a detriment to the young man as well as to the farmer. For when he gets to the city he finds that things are not just as he had them pictured. He is required to start in on a job at the bottom and oftentimes before he has worked himself up to a responsible position, he becomes discouraged and settles down to a very ordinary life of menial means without the possibilities of the independent life which were afforded him had he remained on the farm.

Now the thing which has in most cases taken the farm boy to the city is the promise of more pleasure, more comfort and more conveniences in his living condition as well as the promise of more pay and better advancement. Where conveniences of electric light and power, of running water, a modern bathroom and labor saving devices of all kinds have been installed on the farm it is found that the boys are much more content to stay and carry on the work for which their early training has fitted them. A great many farmers heads of families in which there are several boys, have realized this and have given their farms these modern conveniences. They have been repaid by having their boys stay with them instead of going to the city.

LILLINGTON NEWS

Mr. C. R. Godfrey of Duke was in attendance upon court this week.

Mr. W. D. Patterson of Broadway section was in town Monday.

Mr. A. C. Gentry of Person county was a visitor in Lillington this week with his brother, Mr. E. P. Gentry.

Mr. Henry Turlington of Dunn was in town Monday.

Mr. Felix McKay of Duke was in town Tuesday.

Mr. A. R. Suggs of Broadway section was in town Tuesday.

Prof. Frank Hare and Mrs. Hare of St. Pauls were in Lillington Tuesday. Prof. and Mrs. Hare are well remembered by all Lillington people, who would be greatly delighted to have them back here.

Mr. Buck Smith of Dunn was in Lillington Tuesday.

Mayor Ed Smith of Raeford was in Lillington this week.

Among out of town lawyers in attendance upon court this week were J. O. Clifford, E. F. Young, C. L. Guy and E. L. Godwin of Dunn; James Rayner and C. R. Barbour of Benson; L. L. Levinson of Coats; Franklin Dupree of Angier.

Mr. I. Norris of Clio, S. C., was in town Monday.

Mr. H. L. Prince of Kipling R. 1, was among those who renewed his acquaintance with The News this week.

Chief of Police Page of Dunn was in attendance upon court this week.

Mr. Franklin Parker of Duke R. 1 was among those attending court this week.

Mr. Otis Register left Sunday for Mount Olive where he has accepted a position.

Misses Mayme and Sudie Sexton motored over to Trinity and spent Sunday with their sister, Miss Booth.

Mr. Marvin Edwards spent the week-end in Durham on business.

Mr. J. B. Fuquay of the Coats Mercantile Company spent Sunday in Lillington. Mr. Fuquay says his new brick plant at Slocumb is nearing completion and will shortly be turning out bricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stewart of Coats were in Lillington for a few hours Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Claud Burt and her daughter, Miss Ada, of Buils Creek, were visitors in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Lockamy returned Sunday from Greensboro where they spent a week.

Mr. W. C. Matthews of Kipling was among those who paid the News office a call Monday.

Mr. Maylon Matthews, who is a student at Atlanta Southern Dental College, has arrived at home to spend the summer vacation.

Mr. J. M. Hodges of Linden was in town Monday.

Mr. John McArtan of Linden was in town on Monday.

Mr. D. J. Parker of Duke R. 1 was a visitor to the county seat Monday.

Dr. C. R. Young of Angier was in Lillington on business Monday.

Miss Millie Cox of Harnett was in town shopping last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Green of Dunn were in town Tuesday.

Mr. S. W. Withers of Route 4 was in town Saturday.

Mr. J. L. Wilder of Route 1 was in Lillington Saturday.—Harnett County News.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

ISSUED SINCE MAY 1

J. L. Sorrell, Harnett county, to May Johnson, Duplin county.

W. J. Byrd and Lucile Byrd, both of Harnett.

D. M. Johnson to Annie Turlington, Harnett.

W. A. Porter to Susan Matthews, Harnett.

G. E. Johnson to Ida Coleman, Harnett.

W. F. Marsh, Raleigh, to Mary C. McLean, Lillington.

Walter Norris to Martha Lee, Harnett.

Colored
Willie Jones to Connie Hicks, Harnett.

William Davis, Cumberland, to Martha Williams, Harnett.

Simon Geddie to Della Matthews, Harnett.

June Johnson to Alice Lassiter, Harnett.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE

W. H. Lucas and wife to T. L. West, 25 acres, consideration, \$1,500.

J. B. Lucas and wife to T. L. West, 1-0 acres, \$310.

I. W. Smith to T. L. West, 4-4-5 acres.

Ed Elliott and wife to T. L. West, 20 acres, \$40.

B. W. Lee and wife to Lee James Best and J. Robt. Young, lot in Dunn, \$100.

W. D. Holland and wife to R. L. Denning, \$700.

Edwin Smith and wife to R. L. Denning, land in Dunn, \$3,000.

Flores Matthews and others to E. H. Godwin, 25 acres, \$600.

R. L. Godwin and wife to Will Lee, one lot in Dunn, \$475.

J. W. Whitehead and wife to John Thomas, lot in Dunn, \$1,500.

B. O. Towson and wife to N. A. Townsend, two lots in Dunn, \$1,000.
Martin Goodman and wife to E. C. and W. E. Johnson, lot in Dunn, \$3,250.

D. H. Senter to T. F. Page, 2 lot in Hectors Creek, \$32.

F. K. Trogden to A. B. Mimms and L. H. Bann, 211 5-10 acres, \$100.

R. L. Godwin to W. B. Strickland, 1 lot, \$1,000.

W. B. Strickland and wife to A. C. Barnes and Edward Smith, \$3,000.
Lemmon and C. Lee to Catherine Lee, one lot land in Averarboro, \$100.

T. J. Matthews and wife to C. B. Matthews, 26 1-2 acres, love and affection.

T. J. Matthews and wife to Rhoda Stewart, 25 acres, love and affection.

Pearl Harris and wife to Edward Smith and A. C. Barnes, 6 lots in Averarboro, \$300.

B. C. Lucas to Phebe Lucas, 4 acres \$200.

J. F. Byrne and wife to Mrs. P. A. Lewis, lot, \$1,000.

Willie Pope and wife to N. A. Bell, lot in Dunn, \$500.

Ed Smith and wife to N. Bell, lot in Dunn, \$100.

A. W. McLean and wife to Edw. Smith, lot in Dunn, \$100.

Elijah Beaman and wife to N. A. Bell, 3 lots in Dunn, \$600.

I. E. Ramey to N. A. Bell, lot \$225.

W. M. Tart and wife to Geo. 1 Hodges, 4 acres, \$50.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT
North Carolina—Harnett County:
ALBERT N. RAYNER
vs
Order of Publication.

LINA RAYNER
It appearing from the affidavit of LINA RAYNER, the defendant therein, is not to be found in Harnett County, and cannot after due diligence be found within the State, and it further appearing that a cause of action exists in favor of the plaintiff against the defendant for an absolute divorce.

It is therefore ordered, that notice of this action be published once a week for four weeks in "The Dunn



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Dispatch," a newspaper published in Harnett county, setting forth the title of the action, the purpose of the same, and requiring the defendant to appear at the term of the Superior Court of Harnett County, to be held on the first Monday in September, it being the 28th day of June 1920, at the courthouse in said county, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff.

This 15 day of May 1920.

A. A. McDONALD,
Clerk of Superior Court

Rear-Admiral Washington, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, states that there were thousands of desertions from the navy last year, and an average of 700 desertions per month far in 1920, due to inadequate pay.

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