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AMERICA AND THE RED CROSS.

In an address delivered at the recent state conference of Red Cross workers in Atlanta, Dr. M. Ashby Jones, minister and orator of rare appeal, drew a very happy parallel when he directed the attention of his hearers to the fact that America stood for the Cross, had always been its servant and its follower...

As the Cross of the inspired Nazarene stands for service and work acceptable to Him, just so does Red Cross stand for service to His people through the home, through the school, through the hospital, upon the field of carnage and where calamity and disaster find their human toll.

American Red Cross is a servant of the people, performing a service that means new life for his children, that means purchase from pain to the wounded and afflicted, mental relief for those beset by untoward circumstances, in short a service of the worth-while type for humanity.

Red Cross is expanding this world service. It can only do so through your moral support. The fourth Red Cross roll call for members is in full swing. Enroll in his name for his people.

ON THE SPOT. Times without number, in war as well as in peace, American Red Cross has given noteworthy examples of efficiency and mobility...

Many seriously wounded were rescued from death by Red Cross first aid treatment. Victims of minor injuries by the hundred were treated by Red Cross, thus releasing surgeons for the urgent cases.

Thousands of new-hungry relatives were promptly given information from lists of dead and wounded prepared by Red Cross. Disasters, whether from fire, storm, explosion or other calamitous agent, do not herald their coming, and unless there is some dependable organization...

On scores of battlefields in France and throughout Europe, in thousands of American communities and corners of the world, Red Cross efficiency, Red Cross mobility and Red Cross idealism of being on the spot from whence comes humanity's cry of distress have been tested and in no particular found wanting.

FACE THE FACTS, FOLKS. Face the facts, folk. It is a condition and not a theory that confronts the South. The Republican victory is complete, and the South has done comparatively little to make it so. Consequently, unless the strongest kind of a demand is made upon Mr. Harding and unless there is a healthful sentiment backing the demand, the South will receive no recognition in the cabinet and will be merely a province for the next four years.

ers' Alliance, he became acquainted with agricultural problems in every section of the country. Today he is a farmer himself and is vitally interested in everything that pertains to the welfare of agriculture. In capacity, by instinct and training, he is qualified for the position he seeks. The Democrat has fought him openly in the recent campaign; frankly, we do not like his policies. Yet we know that he is capable and competent, brainy and bold, and withal resourceful, and believe that he would prove a loyal and able champion of the agricultural interests of the country. He is a fighter and would not tamely see laws passed hostile or harmful to those interests, while his persistence and pertinacity, together with his resourcefulness, would make his influence in the new administration a tower of defense for the South.

If it must be a Republican, let it be a Southerner and let it be Marion Butler. In his appointment, we see the only hope of measure favoring Southern progress or against policies harmful to Southern enterprises.—Sampson Democrat.

Bureau Gives Out Warning Of Storm

Disturbance Centered Over Gulf Of Mexico Has Widespread Influence

Washington, Nov. 15.—Storm warnings were displayed tonight on the Gulf coast east of the mouth of the Mississippi river and on the Atlantic coast from the Florida straits northward to Delaware breakwater as the result of the disturbance now centered over the east central Gulf of Mexico. The influence of the storm is widespread, according to a weather bureau announcement, being attended by general rains in the South Atlantic Middle Atlantic and East Gulf States and local snows in the region of the Great Lakes and the Ohio and upper Mississippi valleys.

Temperatures remain below normal in virtually all parts of the country, that of the Mississippi river and "decidedly" below normal in the Gulf States. Rains in the South Atlantic and rains and snows in the Middle Atlantic States are indicated for Tuesday and probably Wednesday. The temperature will fall on the South Atlantic coast and will remain below normal generally elsewhere east of the Mississippi river Tuesday and Wednesday.

Varner Divorce Suit Thrown Out Of Court

North Carolina Statutes Require A Lapse Of Six Months Before Bringing Suit

Greensboro, Nov. 15.—According to a report received ere this afternoon, the suit for divorce filed by Henry B. Varner, against his wife, Florence B. Varner, is null and void, the decision being made by the Davidson county clerk of superior court, Sam J. Smith.

The decision was made on October 4, attorneys for Mr. and Mrs. Varner appearing before Mr. Smith, but previous to this there has been no publicity to the clerk's ruling on account of alleged secrecy on the part of the attorney and the defendant.

The suit for divorce filed against Mrs. Varner by Mr. Varner was the aftermath of the alleged finding of a negro, Baxter McHenry, of Lexington, under the Varner home on the night of August 9, while Varner was absent from Lexington. Varner charged that the negro had alienated his wife's affections, intimacy between the negro and Mrs. Varner being alleged. Mr. Varner also brought suit against the negro for \$100,000 damages.

A legal technicality was the basis for throwing the suit out of court. The action for divorce was filed too soon. Under the laws of the State six months must elapse after alleged cause for divorce is made public before suit for divorce can be filed.

Mr. Varner can bring suit for divorce again against Mrs. Varner at the expiration of the six months limit. It is not known whether he will or not, but it is expected that he will.

MRS. NATHAN BAREFOOT. On Sunday night October 17th, the death angel visited the home of Nathan Barefoot and took from him his dear companion, Nancy E. Barefoot. She was born April 4th, 1860, making her stay on earth 60 years, six months and thirteen days. She was a member of Savannah Hill Free Will church. She was always faithful to her church and had served as a deaconess for the past twenty-two years. Death came after an illness of one week and bore her affliction with much patience. She never murmured or complained, but patiently waited until he said, "enough done, come up higher."

Four hundred thousand dollars monthly will be required to run the League of Nations next year. The ancient astronomical instruments, seized in Peking by Field Marshal Count von Waldersee, of the German Army, in 1901 at the time of the Boxer trouble, and taken to Potsdam, have been returned to the Chinese government. A hatchery with a capacity of 10,000 eggs will be used by a poultry company in Montana. The product will be used to supply the Yellowstone and Glacier national park hotels with fresh eggs and poultry.

LEGAL ADVERTISING

NORTH CAROLINA, IN THE SUPERIOR COURT HARNETT COUNTY. NOTICE J. G. Layton vs. H. A. Perry, J. F. Perry, H. S. Perry, Lucien B. Perry, Sarah Perry, Helen Adele Perry, Martha C. Turner, C. M. Perry, Ashton T. Perry, Lucy M. Perry, Mrs. Roscoe C. Perry, Elliot C. Perry, N. T. Masterson, H. Masterson, Jr., Dy H. Masterson, Atty. in Fact, T. S. Masterson.

Take notice that an action entitled The defendants above named will as above been started in the Superior Court of Harnett County to recover damages by the plaintiff against the defendants for breach of warranty on the part of the defendants in a conveyance of land the defendants made to the plaintiff; and said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the term of the Superior Court of said County to be held at the court house of said county in Lillington, N. C., on the 22nd day of November, 1920, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This October 18, 1920. A. A. McDonald, Clerk of Superior Court. Tu 19 26 2 8. NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE HARNETT COUNTY AGRICULTURAL FAIR ASSOCIATION. Notice is hereby given the stockholders that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Harnett County Agricultural Fair Association will be held on the 19th day of November, 1920, at 7:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the Association in the rooms of The Dunn Chamber of Commerce, Dunn, N. C., for the purpose of receiving and acting upon the reports of the officers, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

In accordance with the laws of the State of North Carolina, no stock can be voted on which has been transferred on the books of the Association within twenty days next preceding this meeting. Dated November 8, 1920. T. L. RIDDLE, Secretary. Nov. 8-15-20. BOARD OF STEWART'S CREEK TOWNSHIP, HARNETT COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA. The Board Commissioners of Stewart's Creek Township, Harnett County, State of North Carolina, will receive sealed proposals for the purchase of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000.00) Dollars, in bonds of said commissioners, issued under authority of Chapter 427, Public Local Laws of 1913, up to 12 o'clock M. November 17th, 1920.

Said bonds will be issued in denomination of \$1,000.00 each, unless otherwise prescribed by the purchaser; will be dated November 1st, 1920 and bear interest from date at six per cent, payable semi-annually, both principal and interest payable in the City of New York said date; that is to say, on November 1st, 1940. All proposals must be accompanied by certified check upon a responsible bank, payable to the Treasurer of the Road Commissioners of Stewart's Creek Township in the sum of \$500.00. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All proposals will be opened in the office of Clarence J. Smith, Purdie Bros. Building, Dunn, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock M. November 17th, 1920. For further particulars address the Chairman or Secretary, or Clarence J. Smith, Attorney, Dunn, N. C. This the 12th day of October, 1920. J. M. HODGES, Chairman W. T. SMITH, Sec. Oct. 12-19-20-2-9-16. SUBSCRIBE TO THE DISPATCH

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NOTICE To Tax Payers !! The Tax Books are Now in My Hands. State and County Taxes Are Already Past Due and Payment of Same is Expected. I will be at the following places on dates mentioned for the purpose of collecting your taxes. Please meet me at the most convenient place and get your receipt: Thursday November 18, Anderson Creek at Cambro, 9 a. m. to 12 noon. Thursday November 18, Stewart's Creek Bunnlevel, 2 to 4 p. m. Friday November 19, Johnsonville at N. A. Morrison, 10 to 12 noon. Friday November 19, Barbours at Burnice Thomas, 1 to 4 p. m. Saturday Nov. 20, Upper Little River at Benton McNeill's 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Saturday Nov. 20, Upper Little River at D. M. McLean's Store 2 to 4 p. m. Monday Nov. 22, Buckhorn at Edra R. T. Spence's Store, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Monday November 22, Hector's Creek at Kipling, 2 to 4 p. m. Tuesday November 23, Black River at Angier, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Tuesday November 23, Neill's Creek at Pleasant Union, 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. Wednesday November 24, Grove at Coats, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Saturday November 27, Avershore at Dunn, 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Saturday November 27, Duke at Duke, 8 p. m. to 7 p. m. J. W. McARTAN, Tax Collector NOVEMBER 11, 1920.

COFFINS :-: CASKETS. Funerals are solemn things. They inspire us with awe. At best they but accentuate the vanity of life. But, since they must come to all, it is a comforting thought to know that their solemnity can be surrounded with that evidence of tender love which is insured by our undertaking department. Every effort has been made in this department to dull the edge of the keen blade of grief. Our men are schooled in that most commendable of all human characteristics—sympathy. The unpleasant tasks of burial are undertaken by them with a thorough understanding of the pangs that are in the hearts of the bereaved. They serve with a genuine spirit of service. This department is equipped as thoroughly as is the best undertaking establishment of the country. It numbers in its personnel a licensed embalmer and carries caskets that range in price up to \$1,000. Look this department over when you come to town again. Barnes & Holliday Co. Dunn, N. C. City, N. C.

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