

Legal Advertisements

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

North Carolina, Gaston County.
Having qualified as Executors of the estate of L. D. Johnson, deceased, late of Gaston county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the said deceased to exhibit them to S. H. Johnson at Charlotte, N. C., or his attorney, J. D. McCall at Charlotte, N. C., on or before the 1st Day of May, 1911, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 23rd day of April, 1910.
S. H. JOHNSON,
E. B. JOHNSON,
June 10 c 6 w Executors.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF THE PROPERTY OF THE DOWELL MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

The Dowell Manufacturing Company having been dissolved, the board of directors of the said dissolved corporation will expose to sale at public auction, at the mill of the Company near Concord, Cabarrus County, N. C., on Saturday, July 2nd, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., all the property of the said Company, to-wit:
The land owned by the said corporation, upon which is located the mill building and tenement houses. This tract comprises 25 acres. The mill building is of brick, 200 feet long and 75 feet wide, well constructed, one-story. In it there are 4,064 producing spindles, with all necessary equipment for that number of spindles.
There are 25 tenement houses, and all the buildings are in good condition.
There is a store house on the premises, with a small stock of miscellaneous goods.
Persons desiring to examine this property with a view to bidding for the same at the sale, can get full information from any one of the officers of the late Company, or from Mr. P. M. Keller, on the premises.
TERMS OF SALE: One-third cash; one-third in six months, and one-third in twelve months. Deferred payments to bear interest from date of sale at six per cent. per annum, and to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with approved surety thereon. The title will be reserved until the purchase money is fully paid, and the purchaser will be required to maintain insurance against fire to the amount of balance due on purchase money.
This the 31st day of May, 1910.
JOHN C. RANKIN, Pres.
J. M. WILSON, Sec.
J 21 c 4.

ADMINISTRATRIX' NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administratrix of the estate of the late J. Laban Quinn, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned, duly authenticated, on or before
JUNE 1ST, 1911,
or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make payment to me without delay.
This June 2nd, 1910.
ELIZABETH A. QUINN, Administratrix, Gastonia, N. C.
Jul. 8 c 6 w.

MORTGAGE SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a Mortgage Deed executed on January 9th, 1907, by D. A. Garrison and his wife, Juanita C. Garrison, to M. Kiser, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Gaston county in Book 63, Page 261, default having been made in the payment of the bond secured by said deed, I will sell for cash to the highest bidder at public auction at noon on
SATURDAY, JULY 9TH, 1910,
at the court house door in Dallas, Gaston county, North Carolina, the following tracts of land:
Lots No. 45, 46, 47 and 48 in Block 15, Section 3, as laid down in Richardson's plot of Bessemer City, being the lots conveyed to D. A. Garrison by H. N. Garrison and wife, the said deed of conveyance being recorded in Book 54 Page 33 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Gaston county;
Also, lots No. 43 and 44 in Block 15, Section 3, on said Richardson's map of Bessemer City, the same being the lots conveyed to D. A. Garrison by R. L. Thornburg, said deed of conveyance being recorded in Book 40, Page 478 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Gaston county.
This 7th day of June, 1910.
MRS. BARBARA A. KISER, Adm'r.
of M. Kiser, deceased. Jy8c5w.

BIG CONGRESS OF MOTHERS

How the National Organization to Convene in Denver Works for the Welfare of Children.

Constructive Force That is Laboring for the Future by Endeavoring to Improve the Present.

By WALTON WILLIAMS.
A mother is a mother still.
The holiest thing alive.

FROM all sections of the United States women will gather in Denver to attend the National Congress of Mothers June 10 to 15. In the beautiful "mile high" capital of Colorado the devoted mothers will spend a week in the discussion of matters pertaining to the welfare of children—not their own children alone, but the offspring of others as well. The Congress of Mothers is a movement for the benefit of the race, looking toward the making of happy and useful men and women out of the raw material of childhood. The members realize the urgent need of an organized campaign for the education of parents in the bringing up of children and for the protection and fostering of child life through local and national governmental agencies. Many matters of vital interest to family life and the future citizenship of the nation will be considered by the women in the Denver convention.

throughout the world. In thousands of homes little children's lives have been made happier and better because of that congress and its results. Thousands—yes, hundreds of thousands—of parents have been led to a higher conception of their duty to their children. Other organizations have caught the inspiration of work for childhood and have been given not only sympathy, but active help, in bringing about better conditions. States have been aroused to their duty to the children, and even the senate of the United States and the president have listened and heeded the request of the mothers in behalf of their children.

Mrs. Frederic Schoff of Philadelphia has been president of the National Congress of Mothers since 1902. From 1897 to 1902 she was vice president of the congress. From 1890 to 1902 she held the office of president of the Pennsylvania Congress of Mothers. She is a woman of very broad sympathies and is actively interested in several lines of philanthropic endeavor.

Work of the Congress.

The work of the organized mothers embraces effort for children in all branches of endeavor. The congress advocates the co-operation of home and school through the organization

concerns childhood into the home and school and in preventing some of the alarming mortality among children. There is an able advisory council, composed of men headed by Theodore Roosevelt. Governor Hadley of Missouri is much interested in all pertaining to the work in behalf of children. In an address before the congress of mothers President Roosevelt said: "This is the organization for which I care most. You are dealing with vital things in a sane and healthy way." A man who was himself a wail and thoroughly familiar with the misfortunes of childhood has given some of his best efforts to legislation for the betterment of conditions surrounding children, the child labor problem. This man is Thomas E. Kinney, state senator from St. Louis.

Senator Kinney was born and reared in the "tough" district of St. Louis and when he grew up became owner of a saloon in that section which a number of years ago was notorious as a "hangout" for the gang element. Kinney got into politics and was elected to the state senate, where he has served several terms. He surprised the element which opposed him and feared that his legislative work would be detrimental to the interests of society. Senator Kinney became an earnest and able advocate of education, particularly for children who had grown up under the evil conditions which surrounded himself in his childhood. He is in hearty accord with the work of the Congress of Mothers.

Is a Constructive Force

The National Congress of Mothers tries to lead through research, meditation, suggestion and observation. It is a constructive force reaching all over the United States. The mothers' work to eliminate those errors menacing society which have brought degradation and disease to the little ones is to the end that less of wrong shall confront each generation.

These women are working to get at facts and not at theories, fully realizing the statement of all students of social conditions that the inefficiency and insufficiency of homes is responsible for most of the crime, disease and failure. The ignorance in this line is not so surprising when it is remembered that child nurture is almost the only line in education that has been neglected. Mistaken methods in rearing children in the home or school or state are the result of ignorance and of a lack of practical teaching. To supply this deficiency the Congress of Mothers urges provisions that shall embody and make available to parents and young people a knowledge of the science of child nurture.

The future's solution lies with the children. From their ranks must come the malfactor and the benefactor, the helper and the hinderer.

Thus the Congress of Mothers is working for the future by seeking to improve the present.

Appeal to Mothers.

Mrs. Frederic Schoff, president of the National Congress of Mothers, has issued an appeal to the women of America. She wants mothers to send their names to her address, 3418 Baring street, Philadelphia. The appeal follows:

"Mothers of America, do you realize that upon you more than any one else rests the future of this nation?"

"Have you grasped the breadth and height and scope of work that is now in your hands?"

"Are you giving it first place in your thoughts and life?"

"Are you fitting yourselves to be mothers in the broadest sense, or are you drifting, without aim or compass, in the greatest life work given to humanity?"

"God made you the medium through which life begins. He gave to you the nurture and guidance of his little ones. On you more than any other devolves the possibility of life, health, mental growth and spiritual ideals. On you more than any other is the welfare of the child dependent in home, school and state. Mother love, mother thought, mother wisdom, must consider his needs, must see that each child has the chance to develop the possibilities implanted by God in every human heart.

"The science of child nurture is the greatest of all. To reach every home, to enlist every mother in this study of how best to meet the great responsibility that God and humanity look to her to bear—that is the work of the National Congress of Mothers.

"Organized, intelligent, purposeful motherhood can in large degree prevent infant mortality, disease and crime. To the home must we look for physical, moral and social uplift. To the careless, thoughtless home can we trace most of life's tragedies.

"Mothers of America, it is only through united, purposeful effort that conditions favorable to child welfare in home, school and state can be provided. For love of your little ones, whose guidance and guardianship have been entrusted to your care by the Heavenly Father, you should become part of the organized motherhood of the nation. Only by making the opportunities for all children what they should be can you give to your own their rightful heritage.

"Fathers, you, too, should become a part of the organized parenthood of the nation.

"Mothers of America, unite as guardians of the childhood of America. Unite to give every child the mothering which combines an intelligent knowledge of child nurture with sympathetic love. This work will count for more than all else. The National Congress of Mothers needs you. Try to attend the great annual convention at Denver from June 10 to 15. There you will hear discussed many vitally important subjects bearing on the conservation of this nation's most precious asset, the child."



A MOTHER'S love—how sweet the name!
What is a mother's love?
A noble, pure and tender flame,
Enkindled from above.
To bless a heart of earthly mold;
The warmest love that can grow cold—
This is a mother's love.
—J. Montgomery.



HAPPY he
With such a mother! Faith in womankind
Beats with his blood, and trust in all things high
Comes easy to him, and tho' he trip and fall
He shall not blind his soul with clay.
—Tennyson.

coaches will carry the delegates to Denver. While it is not to be assumed that the majority of these mothers are suffragettes, it may be taken for granted that all of them will welcome the opportunity while in Colorado to study conditions in one of the four states where woman suffrage prevails.

Denver also is the home of the famous juvenile court presided over by Judge Ben B. Lindsey, whose work in behalf of the bad boy has won international attention and approbation. It is expected that Judge Lindsey will address the Congress of Mothers and tell about his methods of reclaiming erring boys who but for his influence might go still further on the downward track.

Judge Lindsey says he owes his success in his efforts for childhood to the National Congress of Mothers, which was the pioneer organization in demanding and obtaining a juvenile court and a probation system that labors to "put a little love into law."

Organized in 1897.

The National Congress of Mothers has been in existence since 1897. The "mothers" of the Mothers' Congress were Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst and the late Mrs. Theodore W. Blinn. The president of the mothers is Mrs. Frederic Schoff of Philadelphia, who said a few years ago in addressing the congress and speaking of the work of Mrs. Blinn and Mrs. Hearst:

"The inspiration of that meeting will never die. Its results have been felt

of "parents' associations," the education of parents in the physical and economic injury brought about by some forms of child labor, prevention of juvenile crime by the providing of playgrounds and recreation centers, the establishment of juvenile courts to consider the cases of morally defective children, the establishment of separate schools for the blind and the deaf mute, the systematic care of dependent, neglected, erring children; co-operation with other sociological workers in anything which tends toward the giving of a square deal and a fair chance to the nation's little ones.

"The National Congress of Mothers," says Mrs. Charles M. Stone of Swarthmore, Pa., of the publicity committee of the organization, "is not a dictatorship, nor does it assume the superior pose. It seeks to lead through helpfulness. In thirty-two states it has alert and active branches. Its influence extends beyond the borders of our own nation, and even across the seas it has been instrumental in arousing interest in child welfare."

Government Aid Assured.

This organization has awakened the United States government to a realization of the fact that it is at least as necessary to conserve the lives and rights of children as to preserve the fish and forests and to protect the birds.

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Snap Shots.

Dallas News. How to be wealthy—quit wishing you were.

Do not tell your troubles to the census taker. He is probably a married man, too.

When a girl knows that she doesn't love a man it is a sign that she's got sense.

About the surest thing in the world is that the letter that never came wasn't a dun.

Another advantage which a speculation has over an investment is that the agony is over sooner.

In time somebody will propose a free school to teach baggagemen how to smash baggage.

Do not judge by appearances. The man who walks home for exercise sometimes has car fare.

It is getting almost warm enough now for the average man to begin boasting of taking a cold bath every morning.

A girl is a person who hasn't any more judgment than to turn down a good provider in order to marry a good looker.

The fact that it takes all sorts of people to make a world probably explains what is the matter with this one.

Whatever may be the result of the suffragette movement, women will still prefer that the sins of the children be visited upon the fathers.

Miss Elveree Hunter Dead.

Miss Elveree Hunter, aged about 16 years, a daughter of the late Rev. J. S. A. Hunter, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. M. Boyce, at six o'clock Tuesday afternoon, after a protracted illness of several months. Miss Hunter had made her home here since the death of her father last Fall, and had been an invalid for many months. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Boyce and Mrs. J. C. Reid, of Sardis, and a younger brother. Funeral services were conducted at the home Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. A. T. Lindsay, and the remains were laid to rest in Oakwood Cemetery.

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