

Legal Advertisements.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

The undersigned having qualified as administrators of the estate of J. D. Ragan, deceased, late of Gaston county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present the same duly verified, to the undersigned, on or before

AUGUST 8, 1917

or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereon. All persons indebted to said estate will please make prompt settlement with the undersigned.

This 8th day of August, 1916.

Mrs. IDA C. RAGAN, D. P. RAGAN, J. A. RAGAN, Administrators of J. D. Ragan. T-8-12 c6

MUST NUMBER HOUSES.

Notice is hereby given by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Gastonia that on and after the 10th day of September the following ordinance will be enforced:

Numbering Houses.

Sec. 147. That each and every property owner, owning or controlling an office, store, residence, business house or dwelling, the trustees or governing of any church, school hall, or public building, shall number the same under the direction of the Street Commissioner of the City of Gastonia, such owner shall apply to the Street Commissioner or other proper authority, and ascertain the number to be affixed to his said building within thirty days from the ratification of this ordinance, and upon obtaining the same shall affix such number to his or their said house, store, office, hall or church, and any person failing to obtain such affix the same and who shall fail or neglect to display the same in a connumber and failing and refusing to spicious place in front of the said building, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before the Mayor, shall be fined \$10.00.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Gaston County, made in a Special Proceeding, entitled: "James Suggs, et al, heirs-at-law, and Laura Suggs, widow, vs. William Neely, et al.," the undersigned commissioner will, on Wednesday, October 4th, 1916 at 12 o'clock M., at the Court House door in Gastonia, North Carolina, offer for sale, to the highest bidder, the following described tract of land, lying and being in South Point township, Gaston county, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of A. M. Suggs, D. R. Horsley and others; more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stone, D. R. Horsley's corner, and runs thence N. 71 W. 41-2 poles to a stake in edge of road; thence S. 17-1-2 E. 32 poles with said road to a stake; thence with said road S. 41-2 E. 18 poles to a stake; thence with said road S. 18 W. 15-1-2 poles to a stone, corner of A. M. Suggs; thence S. 68-1-2 E. 60 poles to a stone on J. Edward Dameron's line; thence with his line N. 42 E. 25 poles to a stake; thence with Horsley's line N. 47-3-4 W. 99 poles to the beginning. Containing by estimation eighteen (18) acres more or less, and being the same lands which were allotted to Laura Suggs as dower in the lands of her husband, Emanuel Suggs, deceased.

Terms of Sale: Cash, and by order of Court the bidding shall start at the sum of \$1,900. This the 4th day of Sept., 1916. R. G. CHERRY, Commissioner. T-26 c4

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

Frank L. Costner

REGISTERED PHARMACIST (FIFTEENTH YEAR.) R. H. Jordan & Co., Charlotte, N. C. Telephone and mail orders receive prompt attention. Nurses' Register.

W. B. MORRIS

REGISTERED OPTOMETRIST Eyes examined and glasses properly fitted at Torrence-Morris Co's.

FOR SALE

ALL KINDS OF FRAMING LUMBER

One 90-acre timber tract 5 miles from city. One 125-acre farm in South Point or will divide in 2 small farms. Five 4-room houses. Two vacant lots. All on easy terms. Part cash, balance in one, two and three years.

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The New Line

of fresh Home-made Candies that we are making daily in our store, is meeting with the approval of lovers of good fresh cand.

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113 W. Main Ave. Phone 197

NOTICE.

The undersigned Commissioner appointed by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Gaston County in the proceedings entitled "Susan J. Adams et al Ex Parte", will sell for division among the tenants in common to the highest bidder at public outcry at the Court House door in Gastonia, N. C.,

at noon on Saturday, Sept. 23, 1916

the following described lands:

A lot of land situated in the western part or near the western part of the City of Gastonia, bounded by the lands of C. W. Boyd, George Dally, Cyrus Carson and others and further described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the public road, Dalley's corner on Boyd's line, and runs with said line North 9 East 98 1-2 feet to a stake in the road; thence North 81 West 379 1-2 feet to a stake in the new road; thence along said street (just referred to as new road) South 19 3-4 East 112 feet to a stake in Dalley's line, Carson's corner; thence with Dalley's line South 81 East 366 feet to the beginning. Containing about one acre.

Another tract of land, lying and being in said county and State and in Gastonia Township and further described as follows: Beginning on a Post Oak (William Falls' corner); and running thence N. 88 W. 25 poles with Falls' line to a stake in said line; thence S. 5 W. 27 poles to a rock on the east side of a little branch; thence crossing said branch S. 70 W. 12 poles to a rock; thence S. 13 E. 71 poles to a rock near an apple tree; thence crossing the creek S. 17 E. 46 poles to a rock on Thos. W. Ferguson's line; thence with said line S. 78 E. 30 poles to a dogwood (Thos. W. Ferguson's corner); thence S. 7 E. 55 poles to a hickory; thence N. 74 E. 58 poles to a post oak (James Ferguson's corner on Dickey's line); thence N. 40 W. 34 poles to a stake; thence N. 28 W. 36 poles to a stake; thence crossing the creek below the shoal N. 13 W. 48 poles to a pine (Dickey's corner); thence N. 22 W. 60 poles to a rock (Dickey's corner); thence N. 51-1-2 E. 70 poles to a stake (Dickey's corner); thence N. 37 W. 38 poles with A. J. Dickey's line to a black oak (said Dickey's corner); thence N. 32 1-2 W. 42 poles to a white oak (said Dickey's corner and Wilson Falls' corner); thence N. 66 W. 18 poles to the beginning. Containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less.

Another tract of land lying and being in said county and State and further described as follows: Beginning at a stake on Jno. H. Adams line, a corner of lot No. 1, runs with Adams line N. 84 E. 40 poles to a black gum on Eli Mendenhall's line; thence with his line N. 6 W. 6 poles to a post oak; thence N. 85 E. 32 1-2 poles to his crooked post oak corner; thence N. 30 W. 100 poles to a rock, the beginning corner of above lot; thence S. 77 W. 69 poles to a stake a corner of lot No. 1; thence S. 28 E. 33 poles to the beginning. Containing forty-four (44) acres, more or less.

Terms of sale: One third cash, one third in six months and balance in twelve months, deferred payments to be secured as approved by the Clerk of the Superior Court and to bear interest from date with privilege to purchaser to pay entire purchase price and receive Commissioner's deed for said lands.

This the 22nd day of August, 1916. A. G. MANGUM, Commissioner. T-S 12 c 4 w.

AUCTION SALE OF FARM.

On Thursday, October 5, 1916, at noon at the court house in Gastonia we will sell at auction the McCully farm of 130 acres, located on Crowders Creek near Bowling Green Station. Has dwelling, barn, two tenant houses, etc. Close to school and church. Terms of sale cash. C. W. McCULLY, MRS. D. G. LESLIE, Htrs. 29p3

Neighborhood Woes.

Uncle Walt Mason. My neighbor keeps a lot of bees, which much annoyance bring me, for when I sit beneath the trees, they come along and sting me. Another neighbor keeps a pup, the which I'd like to hammer; all night it shakes the welkin up, with most disgusting clamor; and when I try to do a bit of ground and lofty sleeping, that many bow-wow throws a fit, its noisy vigils keeping. And still another neighbor owns a husky short-horn rooster, and one may hear its strident tones from Wahoo clear to Wooster. And when the pup, whose music cloy, grows weary of its carols, the rooster springs a lot of noise—about a million barrels. Between the rooster and the bees, the concerts dog-and-catty, my mind is banging at the knees—I fear I'm going batty. The life we live would assess raw, and peace would bless our labors, if Congress would produce a law abolishing all neighbors.

Rubbing Eases Pain

Rubbing sends the liniment tingling through the flesh and quickly stops pain. Demand a liniment that you can rub with. The best rubbing liniment is

MUSTANG LINIMENT

Good for the Ailments of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.

Good for your own Aches, Pains, Rheumatism, Sprains, Cuts, Burns, Etc.

25c. 50c. \$1. At all Dealers.

PREMIUM LIST GASTON COUNTY FAIR OCTOBER 3, 4, 5, 6, 6, 1916

- 288—Best Ladies' Handkerchief 50
289—Best Child's Dress 50
290—Best Collar 50
291—Best Pin Cushion 50

CANNING CLUB GIRLS.

MRS. STELLA SHETLEY, Directress.

NO ENTRY FEE.

Exhibits must be the products of the exhibitors, raised and canned by the exhibitor in Gaston County.

- 292—Best exhibit at County Fair, including variety of canned goods, catsup, chili sauce, preserves and jellies \$5.00 \$2.50
294—Best quart jar cherries 50 25
295—Best quart jar quartered apples 50 25
296—Best quart jar whole apples 50 25
297—Best quart jar of beans 50 25
298—Best quart jar of tomatoes 50 25
299—Best quart jar of halved peaches 50 25
300—Best quart jar of grapes 50 25
301—Best quart jar of corn 50 25
302—Best quart jar of sweet pepper 50 25
303—Best quart jar of hot pepper 50 25
304—Best quart jar of pears 50 25
305—Best quart jar of sweet potatoes 50 25
306—Best quart jar of vegetable soup 50 25
307—Best quart jar of butter beans 50 25
308—Best quart jar of pickled onions 50 25
309—Best quart jar of chow-chow 50 25
310—Best quart jar of figs 50 25
311—Best quart jar of beets 50 25
312—Best quart jar of damson plums 50 25
313—Best quart jar of huckleberries 50 25
314—Best quart jar of rhubarb 50 25
315—Best quart jar of sugar peas 50 25
316—Best quart jar of whole peaches 50 25
317—Best quart jar of blackberries 50 25
318—Best quart jar of pineapple and marchoun cherries 50 25
319—Best quart jar of carrots 50 25
320—Best quart jar of quinces 50 25
321—Best quart jar of egg plant 50 25
322—Best quart jar of pumpkin 50 25
323—Best quart jar of cucumbers 50 25
324—Best quart jar of squash 50 25
325—Best quart jar of green tomato sweet pickle 50 25
326—Best quart jar small turnips 50 25
327—Best pint jar of figs 25 25
328—Best pint jar of rhubarb 25 25
329—Best pint jar of strawberries 25 25
330—Best pint jar of green tomato sweet pickle 25 25
331—Best pint jar of beets 25 25
332—Best bottle of grape juice 25 25
333—Best bottle of vinegar 25 25
334—Best bottle of chili sauce 25 25
335—Best exhibit of preserves in preserve jars 2.50 1.25

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

- 336—Best chocolate layer cake 50 25
337—Best coconut layer cake 50 25
338—Best dark fruit cake 50 25
339—Best white fruit cake 50 25
340—Best doughnuts 50 25
341—Best beaten biscuit 50 25
342—Best tea cakes 50 25
343—Best light-bread 50 25
344—Best cream puffs 50 25
345—Best waffles 50 25
346—Best plain loaf cake 50 25
347—Prettiest decorated cake of any kind 50 25
348—Best display of fancy work 50 25
349—Best plate of mixed candy 50 25
350—Best display of canned goods including catsups and chili sauce, preserves in preserve jars, and jellies 5.00 2.50
351—Best jar whole peaches 50 25
352—Best jar halved peaches 50 25
353—Best jar apples 50 25
354—Best jar tomatoes 50 25
355—Best jar beans 50 25
356—Best jar sugar peas 50 25
357—Hand made rugs 1.00 50
358—Hand-made baskets 50 25

BABY SHOW DEPARTMENT

Under the direction of the Library Committee of the Gastonia Betterment Association.

MRS. D. A. GARRISON, MRS. W. L. BALTHIS, MRS. J. W. MOORE, MRS. J. H. HENDERLITE, MISS LOTTIE BLAKE, DIRECTRESSES.

BETTER BABY CONTEST

To be Held Thursday Morning, October 5, 1916, from 9 a. m. to 2 p. m., in special tent provided for same

NO ADMISSION

Registration fee for each baby 25c. Babies can be entered any time until 12 M. O'clock, Thursday, October 5th., 1916 by Writing Mrs. D. A. Garrison, Gastonia, N. C., or by seeing Miss Lottie Blake at the Public Library, Gastonia, N. C. The judging will be done by prominent physicians and specialists.

FIRST DIVISION

Babies one to two years old F. P. S. P. T. P. B. R. R. R. Y. R.

SECOND DIVISION

Babies two to three years B. R. R. R. Y. R.

THIRD DIVISION

Babies three to four years B. R. R. R. Y. R.

BABY BEAUTY SHOW

To be Held Thursday Afternoon, October 5, 1916, From 3 p. m. to 5 p. m., in Special Tent Provided for Same.

No registration fee charged for babies entered in BETTER BABY CONTEST, those not entered in BETTER BABY CONTEST Will be Charged Regular Fee of 25c. Babies Can be Entered Any Time Until 3 p. m., Thursday, October 5th., 1916 by Writing Mrs. D. A. Garrison, Gastonia, N. C., or by Seeing Miss Lottie Blake at the Public Library, Gastonia, N. C.

ADMISSION TO BABY BEAUTY SHOW 10c

Proceeds From Both SHOW and CONTEST go to Gastonia Public Library

FIRST DIVISION

Babies 6 months to 18 months Silver Loving Cup Gold Pins

SECOND DIVISION

Babies 18 months to 3 years Silver Loving Cup Gold Pins

THIRD DIVISION

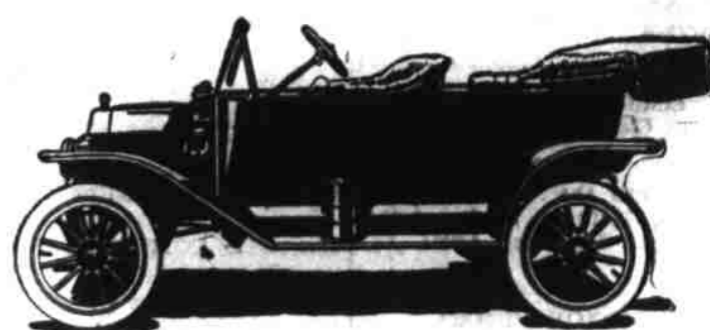
3 years to 4 years Silver Loving Cup Gold Pins

The usual rules governing BETTER BABY CONTESTS and BABY BEAUTY SHOWS will be enforced. No baby, whose parents are not residents of Gaston County can be entered in either.

The premiums will be awarded by competent, disinterested ladies, who are not residents of Gaston County.

Gastonia Garage Co.

114 East Airline Avenue, Gastonia, N. C.



We are splendidly equipped with all machinery and full line of repairs in our large quarters here to meet all the demands of the public in the line of

Auto Repairing and Washing and In General Repair Work

Our Garage is open all day and until 12 o'clock each night. We employ competent machinists in every department and we will appreciate the patronage of the public.

A CONTRAST.

Considerable Attention is Arrested by the Deaths in Greater New York from Infantile Paralysis — While North Carolina Lost More Than 8,000 Children Under Two Years in 1914—Ignorance the Cause.

University News Letter. The total deaths from infantile paralysis in Greater New York are at this writing 1,260. And the city is profoundly exercised about this dread scourge. The public schools will not be opened on time in September. Their doors have been shut in the faces of 600,000 pupils and teachers.

Here is a tragedy—massive, mysterious, spectacular, and appalling. Everybody's attention is arrested by it. On the other hand, the death roll of little children under two years of age in North Carolina in 1914 from various causes was 8,311, and in 1915 the number that died under one year of age was 6,807.

The stroke of the clock every hour of the day and night tolls the death of a helpless little child in North Carolina.

And the horrible thing about it is that three-fifths of these children died from preventable causes or from diseases that could have been cured by prompt, intelligent care and attention.

The blood of these children cries against the ignorance of devoted but untrained mothers and fathers in loving homes.

Doctors Rankin, Cooper and Booker in Raleigh, and Miss Lathrop and Dr. Bradley of the Children's Bureau are fighting like fighting fire to center attention upon the needless death of little children; but this heart-breaking tragedy in North Carolina and the country at large falls to be massive and spectacular like the sinking of the Titanic or the Eastland in Chicago or the epidemic now raging in Greater New York. They die, one here and one there, in the lapse of the year, that's all. The public mind is quite undisturbed about it.

King Herod slaughtered fewer than twenty infants in Bethlehem, and the world is still shivering with the horror of it.

But King Ignorance slaughters some six thousand little children under two years of age every year in North Carolina. The Lord took them, we say. Yes, but, We sent them, says Crosby.

WHAT CONGRESS HAS DONE.

New York World. The Sixty-fourth Congress in its first session has

Passed 252 public and 174 private acts; 33 public and 4 private resolutions.

Killed the Gore and McLenore resolutions providing for a surrender of American rights on the high seas.

Prevented a national steam railroad strike through the passage of an Eight-Hour Day Law.

Appropriated \$655,000,000 for national defense.

Passed army and navy measures, enlarging and improving both, for the defense of the country.

Passed the Shipping Bill, appropriating \$50,000,000 for a Government owned merchant marine.

Enacted legislation insuring long-time loans to farmers at low rates.

Passed a Child Labor Law to keep children out of the factories.

HE WAS WORRIED AND HOPELESS.

"For ten years I was bothered with kidney trouble," writes T. P. Hutchinson, Little Rock, Ark. "I was worried and had almost given up all hopes. I used five boxes of Foley Kidney Pills and am now a well man." Foley Kidney Pills drive out aches, pains, rheumatism and all kidney trouble symptoms. J. H. Kennedy & Co.—Adv.

Given greater measure of self-government to the Philippines.

Created a Tariff Commission.

Passed a Workman's Compensation Act for Federal employees.

Provided Federal aid to States in construction of roads.

Imposed a prohibitive tax on cotton sold for future delivery in fictitious or wash sales.

Amended the Postal Savings Law, increasing the amount which individuals may deposit from \$500 to \$1,000 with interest and an additional \$1,000 without interest.

Amended the Federal Reserve Law to permit national banks to establish foreign branches.

Passed the Emergency Revenue Law, providing for increasing the income tax; levying a graduated tax of 1 to 10 per cent on inheritances ranging from \$50,000 to \$5,000,000; a 10 per cent net profit tax on manufacturers of munitions, 5 per cent net profit tax on manufacturers of materials entering into munitions, and a license tax on actually invested capital stock of corporations capitalized at more than \$99,000.

TODAY'S POEM

LET SOMETHING GOOD BE SAID.

When over the fair name of a friend or foe

The shadow of disgrace should fall, instead

Of words of blame or proof of thus and so,

Let something good be said.

Forget that no fellow mortal yet may fall so low but love may lift his head:

Even the cheek of shame with tears is wet

If something good be said.

No generous heart may vainly turn aside

In ways of sympathy; no soul so dead

But may awaken strong and glorified.

If something good be said.

And so I charge thee, by the thorny crown

And by the cross on which the Savior bled

And by your own soul's hope of fair renown,

Let something good be said.

James Whitcomb Riley.

DON'T LET YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO THE GAZETTE EXPIRE. LOOK AT THE DATE ON YOUR LABEL AND SEND US YOUR RENEWAL BEFORE YOUR TIME EXPIRES. ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE STOPPED WHEN OUT UNLESS RENEWED.

Old Folks Saved From Suffering

Mrs. Mary A. Dean, Taunton, Mass., in her 87th year, says: "I thought I was beyond the reach of medicine, but Foley Kidney Pills have proven most beneficial in my case."

Mr. Sam A. Bridges, High Point, N. C., writes: "My kidney trouble was worse at night and I had to get up from five to seven times. Now I do not have to get up at night, and consider myself in a truly normal condition, which I attribute to Foley Kidney Pills, as I have taken nothing else."

Mrs. M. A. Bridges, Robinson, Mass., says: "I suffered from kidney ailments for two years. I commenced taking Foley Kidney Pills ten months ago, and though I am 61 years of age, I feel like a 16-year-old girl."

Foley Kidney Pills are tonic, strengthening and up-building, and restore normal action to the kidneys and to a disordered and painful bladder. They act quickly and contain no dangerous or harmful drugs.

J. H. KENNEDY & CO. Gastonia, N. C.

Preparedness

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