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No, you don't help the world's
feed supply by sowing wild oats.

Somebody said that adopting
a peace treaty after a war is
also—

Because we all can't agree,
and are privileged to disagree,
makes this a republic.

It is said married men make
the best soldiers because they
have already been taught to
obey.

We are opposed to bothering
the Kaiser while he saws wood.
When he takes to loafing put it
to him.

Don't you reckon millinery will
advance when the ladies get to
casting their hats into the political
ring?

Perhaps society women have
learned an economy when
they shorten their dresses at
both ends.

If your own time is worth any-
thing, it will not pay you to
wait for somebody else to do
your work.

People are not working enough
to cause their food to digest.
Indigestion will soon be doing
greater damage to life than the
war did.

The good women of our land
showed their capacity for doing
useful things during the war.
And those who do most at home
were most active in war work.

GO TO WORK!

The South was thoroughly de-
vastated by the Civil war, and
we didn't get any help or sym-
pathy from any source, and ad-
ded to that we had to live under
the rottenest local government
the devil has yet instituted, and,
still we worked our way out.

We worked! We were called
out of bed mornings at 4 o'clock.
We ate breakfast by the light of
a homemade candle, made from
the tallow of a home grown beef.
Nothing we ate or wore was
bought. It took all the money to
be had to pay taxes, the preacher
and the doctor, and the two
professionals mentioned had as
hard time as any of us. Nobody
had an easy time in those days.

We have just passed through
another war, and while our
country has escaped physical
wreck, a deficit in things essen-
tial to life has been created, and
this is represented in a gigantic
national debt, and this can never
be adjusted by inflating values.
Nothing but re-creation—increased
production of the commodities
necessary to human existance—will
fill the vacuum caused by the war.

The policy of limited effort—
shorter hours with increased pay—
remedial legislation will prove
unavailing—nothing but work,
and more work will produce the
desired solution of an abnormal
situation.

Land Entry No. 26.

State of North Carolina,
Hoke County,
Katie A. Townsend, enters
and claims 3 acres of land in McLeaslin
Township, Hoke County, N. C., on
the waters of Jumping Gully, on the
West side adjoining the lands of Ka-
tie A. Townsend on the north, and
Townsend on the east, and on the
south on the east.
Entered this 8th day of Feb. 1920.
D. K. POOLE,
Register of Deeds and Clerk to En-
try Taker.



The railroads of the United States are more than one-third
of all the highways of the world. They
carry traffic in almost every State that
is a part of the country that there is really no lack for
freight. The traffic of any one section may be
limited, but it does not approach the commerce of
the whole American railway.

Ask Any Doughboy Who
Was "Over There"

and he will tell you that American railroads are
the best in the world.

He saw the foreign roads—in England and
France, the best in Europe—and in other Con-
tinental countries—and he knows.

The part railroads have played in the develop-
ment of the United States is beyond measure.

American railroads have achieved high stand-
ards of public service by far-sighted and courage-
ous investment of capital, and by the constant
striving of managers and men for rewards for work
well done.

We have the best railroads in the world—we
must continue to have the best.

But they must grow.

To the \$20,000,000,000 now invested in our
railroads, there will have to be added in the next
few years, to keep pace with the nation's business,
billions more for additional tracks, stations and
terminals, cars and engines, electric power houses
and trains, automatic signals, safety devices, the
elimination of grade crossings—and for recon-
struction and engineering economies that will re-
duce the cost of transportation.

To attract to the railroads in the future the in-
vestment funds of many thrifty citizens, the direct-
ing genius of the most capable builders and man-
agers, and the skill and loyalty of the best work-
men—in competition with other industries bid-
ding for capital, managers and men—the railroad
industry must hold out fair rewards to capital, to
managers and to the men.

American railroads will continue to set world
standards and adequately serve the Nation's needs
if they continue to be built and operated on the
American principle of rewards for work well done.

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Association of Railway Executives.

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tion may obtain literature by writing to The Associa-
tion of Railway Executives, 61 Broadway, New York.

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advance.

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Wednesday noon each week.

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SMITH & McQUEEN
Attorneys At Law
Will practice in all courts of State.
Prompt and personal attention given
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New Office opposite Court House.

GORDON B. ROWLAND
ATTORNEY AT LAW
Raeford, N. C.
Office No. 19 in Bank of Raeford Bldg.
Phone No. 27.

J. W. Currie. Oscar Leach.
CURRIE & LEACH,
Attorneys and Counselors at Law
Second floor of Johnson-Thomas
Building. Notary Public in office.

H. W. B. Whitley
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
RAEFORD, N. C.
Phone 79. Up stairs in Johnson-Thomas
building.

A. W. McLean Dickson McLean
L. R. Varner H. E. Stacy
McLean, Varner, McLean
& Stacy,
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW.
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Bank of Lumberton.
LUMBERTON, N. C.

Arthur D. Gore,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW
Raeford, N. C.
Pratt Building Phone 141.

DR. H. R. CROMARTIE,
RAEFORD, N. C.
Office: Johnson-Thomas Building
Office Phone 76. Residence Phone 26

Dr. H. McK. McDiarmid,
DENTIST
Raeford, N. C.
Bank of Raeford Building
Phone in Office and Residence No. 4

State of North Carolina
Department of State
Certificate of Dissolution

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRE-
SENTS MAY COME—GREETING:

WHEREAS it appears to my satis-
faction, by duly authenticated record
of the proceedings for the voluntary
dissolution thereof by the unanimous
consent of all the stockholders, de-
posited in my office, that the Raeford
Furniture Company, a corporation
of this State, whose principal
office is situated in the town of Raeford,
county of Hoke, State of North
Carolina, W. E. Freeman being the agent
therein and in charge thereof, has
complied with requirements of Chap-
ter 21, Revisal of 1905, entitled "Corporations,"
preliminary to the issuing of
this certificate of Dissolution:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, J. BRYAN
GRIMES, Secretary of State of the
State of North Carolina, do hereby
certify that the said corporation did,
on the 28th day of January, 1920, file
in my office a duly executed and at-
tested consent in writing to the dis-
solution of said corporation, executed
by all the stockholders thereof,
which said consent and the record of
the proceedings aforesaid are now on
file in said office as provided by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I have
hereto set my hand and affixed my
seal at Raleigh, this 28th day of Janu-
ary, A. D., 1920.
J. BRYAN GRIMES,
Secretary of State.

Public Sale of Land.

At the time and place and upon the
terms named below and pursuant to
an order of Court made in that cer-
tain special proceeding in the Super-
ior Court of Hoke County, N. C.,
entitled D. S. Currie, Administrator,
against William Davis and others, I,
the undersigned J. W. Currie, com-
missioner, will sell to the highest
bidder at public auction the follow-
ing described land:

The land of the late Barbara Anne
Davis, situated in McLeaslin town-
ship, Hoke County, N. C., not far
from Davis' Bridge, adjoining the
Nancy Davis and the J. V. Davis and
the E. Davis land, and bounded as
follows, viz: Beginning at a Cypress
creek on the bank of Big Rockfish creek
and runs thence N. 4 E. 58' chains to
a stake in the run of a branch or
gully; thence S. 85 E. 14 chains to a
stake and two pine pointers in Nancy
Davis' back line; thence N. 4 E. 51
chains to a stake and pine pointers by
the road; thence as the road N. 65 W.
5 1/2 chains to a stake; thence S. 4 W.
5 1/2 chains to the bank of Big Rock-
fish creek; hence down the various
courses of said creek to the begin-
ning; the same containing 200 acres,
more or less.

TIME OF SALE: February 18th, 1920,
at 10 o'clock, a. m.
PLACE OF SALE: On the land itself.

FRANCIS JUAT, A. B., M. D.,
Office in Bank of Raeford Building
just in rear of Bank.
CHEMICAL AND MICROSCOPICAL
EXAMINATIONS.
Phone in Office and Residence.

Choice Cut Flowers
Flowers arranged in the
latest artistic styles for all
occasions.

Roses, Chrysanthemums,
Carnations, Sweetpeas, Or-
chids, and Snapdragons.
Mail and wire orders
promptly executed by

J. L. O'QUINN & CO.
RALEIGH, N. C.
Greenhouse, Phone 149; Store 47.
Rose Bushes, Shrubs and Ever-
greens in variety.
ROY REAVES, Agent,
Raeford, N. C.

Administrator's Notice

Having this day qualified as admin-
istrator of the estate of John A. Mc-
Bryde, deceased, late of Hoke
County, North Carolina, this is to
notify all persons having claims
against the estate of said deceased to
exhibit them to the undersigned on
or before the 27th day of December,
1920, or this notice will be placed in
bar of their recovery. All persons
indebted to said estate will please
make immediate payment.
This 27th day of December, 1919.
W. A. McBryde,
Administrator.

To The People of
Hoke

When you are in Fayetteville,
call at Beasley's. I can show
you a good, beautifully selected
Stock of Watches, Clocks and
Jewelry. Our watch and jew-
elry repairs are done by experi-
enced workmen.

B. F. BEASLEY,
Fayetteville, N. C.

The Variety Store

Means many things for you at attractive prices.
On one floor now spring buying and new goods
are being placed. Keep your eye and ear on
our offerings.

Equal to the best cheese.
Equal to the best coffee for money.
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Equal to the best molasses for money.
Equal to the best lard for money.
Sugar at reduced prices.
Meat at reduced prices.
Fresh fruit all the while.
Fresh articles woven in money saving prices.
Lamps, Chimneys, Fittings, Crockery, Seeds.

B. F. MOORE

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We are Now Prepared
to take care of your

Battery Work

and fully equipped to rebuild or
charge them.

Rebuilding rates reasonable, and our charging rates
ONLY \$1.50.

DISTILLED WATER AND EXAMINATIONS
FREE.

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RAEFORD GARAGE

C. D. McLENDON, Prop.

Notice of Sale.

North Carolina,
Hoke county.

Pursuant to the power of sale con-
tained in that certain mortgage deed
executed by Charlotte Cousar, Eli
Cousar, Martha Cousar, Howard cou-
sars, Christian Cousar, T. J. Cousar, Ida
Cousar, Vander McGeachy, Sallie
McGeachy, Arthur say and Flora
say to Hoke Mercantile company,
default in payment of same having
been made, the undersigned will sell
at public auction to the highest bid-
der for cash, at the court house door
in Raeford, North Carolina, on Mon-
day, March 8th, 1920, at 12 o'clock
noon, the entire interest of the par-
ties above named in the following
described tract of land:

Located on Lightwood Branch ad-
joining the land of Allen Harris Lee
Stafford and others, it being a part of
a tract of land known as the Mc-
Gregor land, containing 75 acres.
Beginning at a stake with pine point-
ers just East of the Mulisto road, it
being the second corner of the old
survey, and runs as the old line N. 7 1/2
W. 25.60 chains to a stake with pine
pointers; the corner; thence the other
line N. 15 1/2 E. 20.60 chains to a cor-
ner near the Lightwood Branch
S. 74 1/2 E. 25.60 chains to a stake;
thence S. 15 1/2 W. 20.66 chains to the
beginning, containing 50 acres more
or less.

Date of sale: March 8th, 1920.
Place of sale: Court House door.
Time of sale: 12 o'clock, N. C.

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Administratrix' Notice.

Having qualified as administrator
of the estate of Nellie D. McFadyen,
late of Hoke County, North Carolina,
this is to notify all persons having
claims against the said estate to pre-
sent them duly authenticated to the
undersigned, or to her attorneys, on
or before Feb. 5th, 1921, or this no-
tice will be placed in bar of their re-
covery. All persons indebted to said
estate will please make immediate
settlement.
This Jan. 29th, 1920.

MARY E. McFADYEN,
Administratrix of Nellie D. McFad-
yen, deceased.
Smith & McQueen, Attys.

Notice of Dissolution.

The firm doing business heretofore
as Moore & Steele, Raeford, N. C.,
has been dissolved. B. F. Moore is
to continue the business at same
place assuming all outstanding obli-
gations. These owing firm will make
prompt settlements to him.
J. N. STEELE,
B. F. MOORE,
Raeford, N. C., Jan. 28th, 1920.

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Special Prices

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plows;
2 Irish law Tables complete
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& adjustable
other

M. W. McLEAN.