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Prosperity will never be general until the manufacturers and the producers of crude materials come nearer together in whacking up the profits.

Poets cannot be made out of anybody, neither can teachers be made by training, but some people seem to think that is all they have to do to make good teachers, train anybody.

Some people have the estimate on themselves entirely too high; and such people are sure to fix their estimates upon other people altogether too low, so that's why they sour and bellyache so much. The poor things are really pitiable.

Smith bolted the Democratic platform in his message accepting the Democratic nomination, and Raskob, the National Democratic Chairman, also bolts the platform the first utterance he makes after his appointment, so the prohibitionists say. It's a mixup, sure as you live

The big newspapers, capable of giving advice, advised farmers to diversify. So did the Farm Journals. Farmers in North Carolina took that advice this year, and would be much better off to not have cultivated their lands at all. Weeds are often more profitable on a farm than any crop that can be grown.

Hoover voted for Wilson in 1916; Curtis voted for Wilson in 1912 and in 1916; Raskob, the new Chairman, and Smith's choice, voted for Wilson both years he was a candidate, for the other elections since he was old enough to vote he voted the Republican ticket. For that reason, we believe all of them should be read out of the Democratic party, together with all who give them aid and comfort.

In many places all those who refuse to support the Democratic nominees, are being read out of the party. All bolters are not to be allowed to participate in the primaries hereafter. That is going strong. The party may not need these dissatisfied members now, but the time may come when they will need them. We have always thought that you never could have too many enlisted in a good cause.

We have great confidence in Raeford as to its future, for we remember well the town we found here twenty three years ago, and in our mind compare it today with the village of 1905, and it is easy to see the town has made wonderful progress. And, all Hoke County has steadily gone forward all through these years of our acquaintance. None of this is imaginary. The facts are easily obtainable, and after having in large measure succeeded, we are encouraged to expect greater things.

There are those who want to reduce the taxes on farm lands by levying other taxes, a sales tax, for instance. That will take some of the cost of government off a man's land, and put it on his food and clothes; and this would help the land owners some, for it would distribute the burden of taxes among a larger number of people—among all who eat and wear. We want a deeper reform. We want to collect less taxes, because less is required when the government is more economically administered by abolishing of all useless officers and a reducing of salaries.

A Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our husband and father. May God's richest blessing rest on you.

Mrs. W. P. Lester and Family.

Class Reunion.

The senior class of the year 27 of the Raeford High School had a delightful time Friday night at a banquet given at the Blument Ho'el

The tables were decorated with large baskets of zinnias. At one end of the dining hall was the number '27, while at the other end was a '31. Suspended from a rose vine was the class motto, in red letters, "Climbing Higher," underneath which was a miniature ladder covered with green paper, the colors of the seniors. The favors consisted of dolls dressed in pink, blue and yellow for the girls and little felt hats for the boys.

The menu consisted of the following:

Cream of celery soup saltines, steak a la Blument, string beans, creamed potatoes, asparagus tips on toast

pickles hot rolls orange salad walnut ice cream with cakes iced tea.

Jonah Brown, class president, acted as toastmaster. The program was as follows:

The High School song. Each one present made a two minute talk of their experience during the past year.

Class Poem—Laura Yearby.

Class Will—Jonah Brown.

Ramona—Robert Gatlin.

Who's Who—Curtis Smith.

History—Sarah C. Cronartie.

Jokes—Boswell Bethune.

The following members of the class were present:

Misses Isabel McFadyen, Louie Blue, Lucile McLeod, Sarah C. Cronartie, Marguerite Freeman Mary Francis Shankle, Kate Dalton, Laura Yearby, Vera Cox; Messrs. Jonah Brown, Archie Epstein, Lacy Pratt, Robert Hampton, Curtis Smith, Robert Gatlin, Crawford Thomas and Boswell Bethune. Our Mascot, little Patsy Blue was present.

A telegram of regrets from Mrs. Stackhouse, the class teacher, was read by Lucille McLeod. Regret from Walter Culbreth, Robert Draughan, Mrs. J. D. Johnson (Mary McVicker), Harris Parker, Bennie McFadyen, Johnnie Lee Akins were read also.

Recorder's Court.

Clayton McCrimmon was given a 12 months sentence in all three counts against him in Recorder's court Tuesday morning.

Lacy Guin was acquitted of the charge of driving a car while under the influence of liquor.

A compromise verdict was signed in a civil action in case of Henry Marley vs. Highway Engineering and Construction Co., for \$141.50 and the cost in the action. Carl McCrimmon was cleared of all charges against him for complicity in assault and V. P. L., on account of his age, and he is given a chance to begin life along the right way.

W. J. Priest and Ansel Rogers, colored, were given suspended sentences of three months each, and required to pay the cost of the action for having wine.

Make Johnson, colored, was found guilty of simple assault, and was taxed with the cost.

The New York World recently declared the South to be a stagnant region. Better stagnant than a whirling cesspool of filth, as in New York.

Peaches for sale, \$1.00 per bushel delivered in Raeford. J. S. Johnson.

Dressing of Soda Gives Corn Crop New Food Supply

How often have you heard a farmer say, "Give me moisture and nitrogen and I will make a good corn crop?"

Corn is a greedy feeder and at a certain stage of its development must have moisture and nitrogen in abundant amounts. Experiments throughout the South have shown that nitrogen applied as a side-dressing is one of the most certain means of increasing the corn yield. Nitrogen in nitrate of soda is like predigested food to a corn plant. The plant's roots swoop down and gather up the nourishing soda, then pass it upward for the development of vigorous stalks and large well-formed ears.

Nitrate of soda should be applied when the corn is about knee high. An increase of 8 bushels per acre may be expected from 100 pounds of nitrate of soda, and 15 bushels when the soda is applied at the rate of 200 pounds per acre.

J. D. Majure of Union, Miss., who won the Mississippi Corn Contest last year with the remarkable production of 178 1/2 bushels of corn per acre on three acres, used 300 pounds of nitrate of soda per acre as a side-dressing in addition to other fertilizer. He says, "I know that nitrogen, phosphorus and potash each played its part in producing this great yield, but I am positive that if I had not used Chilean nitrate of soda I would not have made it. The soda rushed the corn to early maturity and carried it safely through the dry season of summer and early fall."

A. D. GORE LAWYER.

Bank of Raeford Bldg. Raeford. Sec.-Treas. Hoke Realty, Loan & Trust Co.

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Sale of Valuable Farm Property.

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust executed by J. A. McKenzie and wife, Mary K. McKenzie on the 7th day of May, 1927, and recorded in Book 58, at page 19, in the registry of Hoke County, we will on Saturday, 11th day of August, 1928, at 12 o'clock noon at the court house door in Raeford, sell at public auction for cash to the highest bidder the following land to-wit:

All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in Antioch Township, Hoke County, North Carolina, on the state Highway running from Raeford to Red Springs, North Carolina, and being bounded on the north by the lands of W. A. Hair; bounded on the east by the lands of John Ed. Conolly; bounded on the south by the lands of John A. Hodgin; bounded on the west by the lands of J. E. Campbell, and being the identical lands heretofore conveyed by W. J. McNeill and others to Mary K. McNeill, and for a more minute description of said lands, reference is hereby made to same; said deed being registered in the office of Register of Deeds for Hoke County, N. C., in Book 39 at page 60. This sale is made by reason of the failure of J. A. McKenzie and wife, Mary K. McKenzie, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust to the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Durham.

This the 11th day of July, 1928. First National Bank of Durham, Trustee, Durham, N. C.

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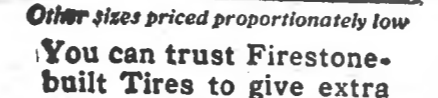
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The doctrine of human infallibility has wrought destruction to humanity all through the past fifteen hundred years, because it is human to err, whether man has ever learned it or not.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF HOKE. Wm. Crownstream, plt vs. Mrs. Margaret Crownstream, Deft.

Summons by Publication. Let the defendant in the above entitled action for absolute divorce take notice that the plaintiff has filed his complaint with the Hoke County Superior Court Clerk which complaint must be answered within 30 days or the relief sought therein will be demanded. Summons in this action was served this 17th day of July, 1928 and due return thereof made that defendant cannot be found. Five years separation alleged.

D. S. POOLE, Dep. Clerk Hoke Sup. Ct.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. H. Priest, deceased, late of Hoke County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned duly verified on or before June 14th, 1929 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This June 12th, 1928 C. G. PRIEST, Admr. Lakeview, N. C.

J. H. BLUE, ENGINEERING AND SURVEYING Raeford, N. C. Phone 253.

GORDON B. ROWLAND ATTORNEY AT LAW Raeford, N. C. Up stairs in Court House. Phone No. 227.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Taylor Rogers, deceased late of Hoke County, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned duly verified on or before June 21, 1929, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This June 14, 1928 JOHN L. McFADYEN, Admr.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of T. J. Conoly, 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 at Raeford, N. C., on or before the 28th day of June, 1929, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 21st day of June, 1928. A. D. CONOLY, Admr. of T. J. Conoly, deceased. John Blount McLeod, Lumberton, N. C. Attorney for the Administrator.

SOME SUNNY DAY.

The old fishing hole calls to you—the lulling purr of some stream reeds days when you waded in and pulled out one "that long"—the placid lakes reflecting rugged mountains invite a ride upon their smooth surface. Why not enjoy them? We will keep your car tuned up to "make it there and back again."

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