

Weather Good For Charleston Gardens

Charleston, S. C.—Charleston's world-famous gardens, already ablaze with hues of scarlet, pink and lavender azaleas, have been given a helping hand from the weatherman.

Originally, full bloom at Magnolia, Cypress and Middleton Gardens was scheduled for the last two weeks of March. But because of the perfect weather for preserving the full bloom, visitors will also be able to witness the color spectacle through the first week of April.

The garden owners are well-pleased with the weather this year. This was not the case last year, however, when a severe winter damaged the immediate bloom. The gardens made a great recovery, and today everything is completely back-to-normal.

In fact, the owners are predicting that this will be the best bloom since 1948. And even more pleasing are the visitors. This year the number of tourists and travellers stopping at the gardens is well ahead of previous seasons.

While thousands of garden-lovers along the Atlantic seaboard annually wait for the full bloom to visit Charleston, the tours of historic houses are also attracting many visitors.

The Historic Charleston Foundation has arranged tours of 17 private homes, all of them splendid examples of 18th century architecture.

At Magnolia Gardens, long proclaimed the world's most beautiful, vistas and vistas of massed color are thrilling visitors. Mass-

FIGURE FLATTERY



Cut out for a maximum of figure flattery is Rose Marie Reid's cotton Maillot. Tuck shirring in front, all over elastic-shirring in back molds and complements the wearer of this Bali print shirt. Print swimsuits are sure to rate high favor for 1952 beachwear, the National Cotton Council predicted.

ive trees crowned with Lady Bangsia and Cherokee roses cover radiant arches of azaleas.

Middleton Gardens, housing the oldest landscaped gardens in America, is over 200 years old, and features terraces sloping down to butterfly lakes, with banks of blooms on every side.

At Cypress, black waters reflect the blazing azalea colors. Boat rides through the inky fairyland of beauty are among the visitors' favorites. In addition, traditional spirituals of the Carolina lowlands are sung on Saturday and Sunday afternoons by the Gullah Negroes.

LEGALS

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of Mrs. D. A. McGoogan (or McGugan), deceased, late of Hoke County, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned at her home in Red Springs, on or before the 13th day of March, 1952, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 13th day of March, 1952. Mrs. J. H. McPhaul, administratrix. 42-47C

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Having qualified as executrix of the estate of James Elmer Shewbridge, deceased, late of Hoke County, this is to notify all

persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned at her home on or before the 20th day of March, 1952, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This the 20th day of March, 1952. Mrs. Mary Parker Shewbridge, executrix. 43-48c

NOTICE TO RAEFORD RESIDENTS

The Town of Raeford's Board of Commissioners at a recent meeting unanimously and officially determined that the following property will not be used for the purpose for which it was given to the Town and its successors by J. W. McLaughlin and wife, Christiana McLaughlin by deed registered in Deek Book No. 15 at page 265 of Hoke county public registry; and ordered its Mayor to execute and

deliver without consideration a proper deed of conveyance of the below-described lot to the Board of Education of Hoke County for school use, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a stake in the west margin of Stewart Street, same being the southeast corner of the Raeford grammar school lot, and running S 190 feet with the edge of Stewart Street to a stake; thence W 120 feet to a stake; thence North and parallel with Stewart Street 190 feet to the line of the Raeford grammar school lot; thence as and with its line E 120 feet to the beginning, and being a portion of the Raeford park described in Book of Deeds No. 15, page 265 aforementioned. Posted March 18, 1952. Town of Raeford, By: W. L. Poole, Mayor. 43-44c

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE Lying and being in McLaughlin Township, Hoke County, N. C., adjoining the lands of William McMillan and others and being bounded and described as follows, Viz: "Beginning at Scull's corner near the corner of Scull's Swamp

North Carolina, Hoke County. Under and by virtue of the power and authority conferred in me in that certain deed of trust, executed on the 21st day of November, 1946, and recorded in the Hoke County Registry in book 84 at page 81, and default being made on the notes secured by said deed of trust, and the holder of said notes, having made demand on me, to foreclose on the said deed of trust, I will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door, Raeford, N. C. at 12 N. o'clock, on the 31 day of March, 1952, A.D. the following described lands:

Lying and being in McLaughlin Township, Hoke County, N. C., adjoining the lands of William McMillan and others and being bounded and described as follows, Viz: "Beginning at Scull's corner near the corner of Scull's Swamp field and runs south 23 east 15 chains to the channel of Little Beaver Creek; thence down the channel of the creek; thence south 38 west 4.50 chains to a corner; thence south 13 west 5 chains to a corner; thence south 30 west about 15 chains to the mouth of Long Branch; thence up the various courses of the Long Branch about north 42 west 30 chains; thence north 85 west about 10 chains to William McMillan's third corner in the channel of the Branch; thence as his line north 70 east 41 1/2 chains to the beginning containing 76.2 acres, more or less and being the identical lands conveyed by N. R. McNeill et ux to John Blue under date of December the 21, 1910 and recorded in Hoke County Registry in book 5 at page 84, to which reference is hereby made." H. W. B. Whitley, Trustee. 41-44C

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DUNDARRACH PRESBYTERIAN Rev. Gower Crosswell 2:30 P. M.—Sunday school 7:30 P. M.—Preaching every 1st and 3rd Sunday night.

BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN 10:00 A. M.—Sunday school 11:00 A. M.—Every second and fourth Sunday, Morning Worship services with sermon by the Rev. S. A. Ewart.

SHILOH PRESBYTERIAN S. A. Ewart, Pastor 10:00 A. M.—Sunday School 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship, every first and third Sunday.

RAEFORD BAPTIST Rev. Judson Lennon, Pastor 9:45 A. M.—Sunday school 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship 7:00 P. M.—Baptist Training Union. 8:00 P. M.—Evening Worship 7:30 P. M.—Wednesday, Prayer Services

ANTIOCH PRESBYTERIAN Rev. Gower Crosswell 10:00 A. M.—Sunday school 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship

SANDY GROVE METHODIST Rev. N. P. Edens, Minister 9:45 A. M.—Sunday School Each third Sunday preaching at 11:00 A. M. Each first Sunday morning at 9:45 A. M.

GALATIA PRESBYTERIAN B. O. Shannon, Pastor 10:00 A. M.—Church School 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship. Every Sunday except the 5th Sunday. 7:30 P. M.—Wednesday, Choir Practice.

ASHLEY HEIGHTS BAPTIST W. Ray Gosnell, Pastor Worship Services Second and fourth Sundays at 11:00 a. m. First, third and fifth Sunday at 8:00 p. m. Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Thad Lowder, Supt. Prayer Meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

PITTMAN GROVE BAPTIST Rev. Taylor, Pastor. 10:00 A. M.—Sunday School 11:00 A. M.—Worship service each 1st and 3rd Sunday.

PHILIPPI PRESBYTERIAN W. B. Heyward, Pastor 11:15 A. M.—Sunday school 12:15 P. M.—Worship Service every 2nd and 4th Sundays.

CHURCH OF GOD C. O. Carter, Pastor 10:00 A. M.—Sunday school. 11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship 6:30 P. M.—Y. P. E. 7:30 P. M.—Evangelistic Service

LUMBER BRIDGE PRESBYTERIAN 10:00 A. M., Sunday School

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