



By ALAN BROWNING, Jr.

THIS BUSINESS OF BEING A PUBLIC SERVANT
Of course we don't know, but it's been told us on good authority that Dick Freeman went to Raleigh the day of the town election to get sworn in as town commissioner.

We have it from Dave Brendle and "Chevrolet" Baker that Mr. Freeman figured that being as how Henry Dobson went to Raleigh when he got elected to office, he ought to go too, although Mr. Freeman swears he went to Raleigh on business.

Oh, well, this business of being a public servant is enough to get folks mixed up and confused. If Mr. Freeman was of the opinion that Raleigh was the place to get sworn in, that's his own affair. Raleigh perhaps has as good swearinners as any place, and with all the senators and representatives running round loose down there as they are, why no doubt it made Mr. Freeman feel more at home and in his element.

The other four commissioners and the new mayor, it appears, decided that an old fashioned hometown swear-in was sufficient, and held up

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE OF LAND

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY OF SURRY. THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF COLUMBIA, PLAINTIFF,

vs. J. J. RICHARDS, ADMR. OF T. P. BLEDSOE, ANER BLEDSOE AND OTHERS, DEFENDANTS.

Pursuant to a judgment entered in above entitled civil action on the 22nd day of April 1935, in the Superior Court of said County by the Clerk, I will on the 23rd day of May, 1935, at 12 o'clock M., at the County Court House, Door in said County sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor the following described lands, comprising 89 acres, more or less and 42.10 acres, more or less, and bounded and described as follows:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land containing 89 acres more or less, situate, lying and being on Cody's Creek, Dobson Township, County of Surry and State of North Carolina, having such shape, metes, courses and distances as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof made by S. R. Harbour, Surveyor, September 26, 1922, a copy of which is attached to the abstract now on file with The Federal Land Bank of Columbia and being bounded on the North by the lands of Wm. Vernon, on the East by the lands of Ruth Atkinson and Lucy Norman, on the South by the lands of Lucy Norman and J. L. Poindexter and on the West by the lands of J. L. Poindexter and John Davis.

ALSO

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land situate, lying and being in the County of Surry, State of North Carolina, adjoining lands of H. V. Simpson and others, and more fully described as follows: Beginning on a rock on East Bank of Hamlin Ford Road, W. R. Bledsoe corner, and runs with his line North 67 degrees West 11 chains to the River; thence down the River meanders 19 chains to a maple, Sidney Hamlin corner; thence East 18 chains to a sourwood; thence South 21 chains to Beaver Creek; thence up the Creek as it meanders 16.41 chains to a rock on West Bank of Creek, H. B. Simpson Corner; thence with his line North 2 degrees East 1.62 chains to a rock in a hollow, W. R. Bledsoe Corner; thence with his line North 39.5 degrees West 24.30 chains to the beginning. Containing 42.10 acres, more or less.

The terms of sale shall be as follows: One-fourth (1-4) of the accepted bid to be paid into Court in cash, and the balance on credit, payable in Four (4) equal annual installments, with interest thereon from date of sale at the rate of six (6%) per centum per annum.

All bids will be received subject to rejection or confirmation by the Clerk of the said Superior Court and no bid will be accepted or reported unless its maker shall deposit with said Clerk at the close of the bidding the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, as a forfeit and guaranty of compliance with his bid, the same to be credited on his bid when accepted.

Notice is now given that said lands will be re-sold at the same place and upon the same terms at 2 o'clock P. M., of the same day unless said deposit is sooner made.

Every deposit not forfeited or accepted will be promptly returned to the maker. This the 22nd day of April, 1935. ROBT. A. FREEMAN, Commissioner.

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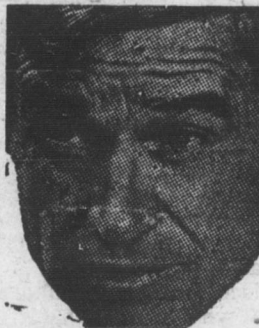
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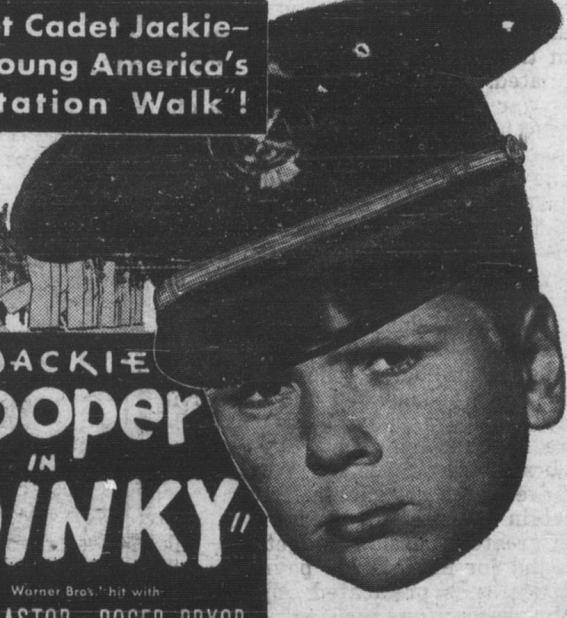
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their right hand here. And it's probable that at the next meeting, if Mr. Freeman doesn't decide it is to be held in Raleigh and go rushing off there, they'll give him a hometown swear-in too.

CHAIN LETTERS
Have you a little chain letter in your home? If not then you'll have to be content with the depression and let other more fortunate folks rise to the heights with the Prosperity Club.

So far we've received only a few and we're glad of it. We don't like the word "chain." It's too suggestive of the chain gang.

It's hard to figure where this chain letter business is going to end up. It will probably end up like a toy balloon which has been blown too tight—"pouf."

Personally, we are more in favor of a lot of letters with dimes in them than we are in the original letters that are supposed to be sent out. As yet we ain't got nary a dime.

How about YOU sending us a dime sometime?

THIS AND THAT
We get more cussings for other folks' ideas. Everybody with a pet peeve usually brings it to us with the suggestion we put it in this column. Then we get the cussing.

For instance, we understand that a certain party has threatened to wring our neck for mentioning (and with the highest praise, we thought) the chicken and rabbit pens on the vacant lot adjoining The Tribune. As a result of what was said here (maybe), one pen has been torn down, but the most beautiful and distinctive pen—the one which can be seen the best from all sides, and is the most artistic collection of broken goods boxes, rusty wire and other scrap pile rubbish—still remains.

And because we mentioned this at the request of not less than half a dozen citizens of this immediate vicinity who do not possess an artistic eye, and who have no real sense of beauty nor a true appreciation of it, we have to expose our scrawny neck to wringing. Yea, brethren, it's a hard life!

Last year we picked Tat Davis as the best all-round player on the Chatham team and the first thing we knew Tat had gone into a hitting slump. Then this year we mentioned Charlie Gough, and ever since he's been dropping one now and then. Seems like the boys just won't co-operate.

Charlie Brewer's chef, otherwise known as Tut, was telling us the other day that Will Holcomb spent the entire morning Friday chasing a fly about the store which he suspected as having stolen a grain of sugar.

And Hugh Royall was sorely puzzled the other morning, too, about a ham he bought and took to Mr. Holcomb to have it cut in two. It was cut in two all right, but Hugh is puzzled because when he placed the two ends together upon reaching home, they didn't fit.

At least that's what he says.

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