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A good illustration of the old saying that trouble never comes singly is furnished by the case of Edison who put finishing up rebuilding from a former fire is visited by another.

A blizzard is sweeping over part of the northern states accompanied by heavy snows. Such news as this makes the people in the South glad because they almost never know here.

Although the people did not get just what they wanted in the way of a liquor law, the new law is a big improvement. Next time a which is taken at it we hope an end of the matter will be made. It will be pretty dry and time will hang heavily on those who must have their liquor during the next two years.

An occasional outbreak of smallpox shows that there are still a large number of people who are not vaccinated in spite of all that has been said and written in this city. Some people still refuse to be vaccinated and become infected from this disease. But it is like this in other cities, people never think about preventative measures until it is too late.

Judging from reports from other central countries our country is in a splendid shape compared with them. Almost all the other nations have been forced to mobilize, or if not forced to mobilize are having great difficulty in getting food and in keeping down insurrection and disorder.

The great fire at Istanbul, which is forcing its way through the Balkans is meeting with fierce resistance on the part of the Turkish Empire is concentrated at this point and it is no wonder they are putting up a hard fight. And it is almost certain that the fall of Constantinople and defeat of the land forces defending it will end the war as far as Turkey is concerned.

Conditions in Mexico have again reached such a serious stage that interference on the part of the United States seems almost necessary. None of the factions in Mexico is able to control enough of the country to bring about peace. While we are strongly against war and interference in other countries' affairs we believe it will finally be necessary to take some action to bring peace to that country and from present indications it seems that it will not be very long off.

Religious census taking has been started and seems to be popular. Kinison has just finished taking such a census and we venture to say that it shows more church members in that city than were thought to be there. This census taking is a splendid plan, without such, no place knows just where it stands on these matters for census taking at regular intervals shows whether a gain is being made or a loss is suffered. We would like to see such a census taken here for we believe it will help to arouse the churches to greater activity in addition to showing the exact number of church members. Such a census is very easy to take when the proper methods are used and we would like to see it started.

The recent report that an American chemist had discovered a way to produce gasoline more cheaply than it has been produced heretofore, and that he had made important discoveries relating to the dye industry is attracting much attention and exciting wide comment. If this war has caused this man to redouble his efforts to make these discoveries we hope other equally important discoveries will be made before it is all over and we can depend on Germany again. Now is the most opportune time to become independent as far as depending on other countries for things we can produce ourselves is concerned.

Harry K. Thaw is again in court. It is hard to see how he will be convicted of conspiracy if he is insane but with the lawyers and experts which he has employed there is no telling how he will come out. As long as his money lasts he will be able to get a trial of some kind of a hearing it seems.

Germany's prisoners of war are beginning to become a heavy burden and it is constantly getting heavier, too, if the reports are true which say they have taken 20,000 prisoners this year alone. And Germany's prisoners cannot be sent to colonial possessions to be kept, they must be cared for in the country itself.

The cities in this part of the state are improving their fire fighting apparatus by the addition of motor driven trucks and other up-to-date machines for fighting fire. The annual fire loss is very heavy and improved methods of fighting fire will reduce it very much.

How about a clean-up day for Greenville? Other cities are beginning to do such days and it is a good plan. We do not believe our city to be especially dirty but in the cleanest city in the world there is room for improvement. The Spring is the proper time to clean up and it ought to be done.

Secretary Daniels is right when he says a man enlisted in the navy and wearing his uniform should not do a policeman's job. He is a soldier, not a policeman, and he should be treated as such. He is in the army or navy, and he should be treated as such. He is not a policeman and he should not be treated as one. He is a soldier and he should be treated as such.

From the reports regarding the condition of the Italian States and Greece it seems that all of them are on the verge of war. The least thing to give cause for war will no doubt precipitate general war among them. When we read of the whole of Europe being an armed camp we feel very glad we do not live there.

A Washington man is bringing suit against a theatre because one of the chorus girls kissed him against his will. This part of the story sounds rather strange, it is usually the men who try to kiss the girls, not when we learn that the attempt to kiss the married man was made in the presence of his wife it is all very clear. He had to do it to save himself perhaps.

The trans-Atlantic liner, La Touraine, was reported to be on fire in mid-ocean and in bad condition. A number of ships went to her assistance but the fire had been put out and the danger was passed. With all the modern improvements, both in building and equipment, sea travel is still hazardous under normal conditions and much more so under present conditions.

A large brewery located in the Northwest had hit by the prohibition laws has made arrangements to use its plant as a creamery after the dry laws are in effect. One of the strongest arguments of the liquor people is that prohibition throws men out of employment and injures the right to own property, but so far we have not heard of any brewery or saloon man failing to find a use for his plant when he wanted to get out the liquor.

This seems to be the day of investigations, everything must be investigated. Men, railroads and almost anything else you can name. The latest victim, we believe, is the Southern Railway which is accused of conduct worthy of investigation. If those who are so anxious to investigate had to foot the bills an investigation will be hard to secure. As long as the tax payer meets the bill we will have investigations.

One of the best results of the anti-liquor law which was passed last week will be the stopping of the large amount of money which has been going to other states for mail order shipments of liquor. We are strong on the "raise it at home," "make it at home" and "buy it at home" propositions except in this one case and we refuse to urge those who use to make it at home. There are exceptions to every rule it is said.

The Wilmington man who, when up North, knocked his city is an example of the kind of people who are primarily responsible for much of the hard time talk we hear so much about. The time to knock, if there is a time to knock, is while at home, where it may do some good if there is reason for a knock, and not in a strange place where it cannot do a particle of good but may do a lot of harm. If you can't best your way from home, keep your mouth shut.

WINTERVILLE ITEMS

Rev. Geo. J. Dowell of Ayden will preach at the Baptist church here Sunday morning and evening.

We have just received a nice shipment of slippers for spring and summer, for men, women and children, come to see us. A. W. Ange & Co.

We have what you want in hats and caps for spring wear, prices right. Bartholomew, Barber & Co.

If it is something to eat you can get the best at R. W. Duff's new store.

Remember the debate that is to be held in the auditorium of the High School building here Friday next promises to be an interesting debate. The public is cordially invited to come.

B. O. Forrest & Co. are still selling goods cheap for cash. Come to see us.

We have on hand at times nice fresh beef, exoters, fish, barbecue on Saturdays. Come to see us. C. Vincent & Co.

Get in the line and go to R. W. Duff's, oysters, ham and eggs, beef, steak and fish served at any time. Special tables for ladies.

Come to see us to purchase your hats and caps for spring wear. We have something in that line that will interest you. A. W. Ange & Co.

Miss Mary Steele of the Winterville High School faculty spent the day at Greenville.

We have good serviceable shoes at prices to suit you. Harrington, Barber & Company.

If it is fresh vegetables or seed Irish potatoes that you want see us. C. Vincent & Co.

Miss Kate Chapman who went to northern markets to purchase for spring wear has returned home.

Remember that we still have a few pairs of these nice suits that are going at a bargain. B. O. Forrest & Co.

It seems that there was quite a body turn here in Mayor's court yesterday. Two negroes had a negro barrance agent of Greenville indicted for demanding them out of some money, and the agent beat the court, but he was as court of course, the other two negroes beat the court in the street.

Don't be deceived when you buy shoes, but go to B. O. Forrest & Co., and buy the Best Oak shoes which have the reputation of being the best.

LAND SALE

By virtue of authority vested in me by a mortgage made by Blue & McDermald on December 15th, 1910, and recorded in Book 134, page 67, Pitt County Register of Deeds Office, the conditions of said mortgage not having been complied with, I shall sell, to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, the 15th day of April, 1915, at noon, at the Court House door in Greenville, the following described property:

"Lying and being in Chicod Township, Pitt County, known as the Avon Farm, bounded on the North and Northwest by Tar River; on the East by Chicod Creek; on the South and Southwest by Poplar and Pole Branches; on the West and North by the old Tait Plantation, containing 3,000 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed by J. J. Laughinghouse to Blue & McDermald, and the being part of purchase price money."

This the 5th day of March, 1915.
J. J. LAUGHINGHOUSE
Mortgagee

S. J. EVERETT, Attorney.

NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator de bonis non, cum testamento annexo of the estate of Mary Fulford, deceased, late of the County of Pitt North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to exhibit them to the undersigned administrator, at Farmville, N. C., on or before February 18, 1916, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons owing said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This February 15th, 1915.
J. L. WILKERSON, Administrator
Harding & Pierce, Attys. 2-19-15

Hearings on Dissolution Suit, New Orleans, La., Mar. 10-U. S. District Attorney Clyde of Chicago is conducting here today the third hearing of the defendant's side of the dissolution suit brought by the United States Government against the Quaker Oats Company. Hearings have been held at Memphis and Dallas, and will be continued at Atlanta, Jacksonville and Richmond.

When we stop to think we wonder how the papers were filled up with so many papers before the war started. Many papers devote nearly all of their space to war news in spite of the fact that there is as much other news now as formerly.

NOTICE

State of North Carolina, County of Pitt.

Notice is hereby given, that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County at an adjourned meeting, assembled on Tuesday, Mar. 9, 1915, ordered an election to be held in those portions of Lenoir and Pitt Counties which said portions include what is known as the Grifton Graded School Tax District by authority of an Act of the General Assembly of the Session of 1915, which said territory is as follows:

"Beginning where Contentnea Creek empties into Neuse River, on the Lenoir County side; thence up Neuse River to B. W. Canady's line to the Lewis Kilpatrick place and A. G. Coward's place to S. W. Ipock's line; thence with the Ipock and Coward line to the Eagle Swamp; thence up Eagle Swamp to the Carr place; thence with the Carr place and A. L. Patrick's line to the C. C. Dunn place; thence with the C. C. Dunn line to Contentnea Creek at the junction of the Hager and C. C. Dunn lands; thence crossing Contentnea Creek into Pitt County between the W. S. Blount place and the Wm. Dawson place; thence with the Wm. Dawson line to the Dave Bryant line, including the Dave Bryant place, to the Green Dudley place; and with the Green Dudley and Dave Bryant line out to the road; thence with the road to Harrah Cross Roads; thence down the Pugh road to the edge of C. J. Tucker's farm; thence with the lower line of C. J. Tucker's place in a southerly direction crossing a part of the W. B. Quinerly place and including 500 acres of W. B. Quinerly's land to the J. P. Quinerly Skinner place; thence with the J. P. Quinerly Skinner place and the W. L. McLaughlin lines to the Allen Adams place; thence with the Allen Adams line including the Allan Adams place to Contentnea Creek opposite the beginning; all of the land including within these lines constitute the Grifton Graded School Tax District."

And it was further ordered that said election shall be held in the town of Grifton, at the regular voting place for holding Town elections on Friday, April 16, 1915, for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the qualified voters in said territory or district on said proposition of levying and collecting the Special Tax as provided for by said Act, which said amount shall not exceed 50c on the \$100.00, worth of property, and \$1.50, on each Taxable Poll in said district, and at said election those favoring the said Special Tax shall vote a written or printed Ballot "For Tax", and those opposed to said Special Tax shall vote a written or printed Ballot "Against Tax", and it was further ordered that J. A. Jarrell is hereby appointed Registrar for said election, and R. F. Jenkins and Paul Brooks are hereby appointed Judges of election.

And it was further ordered, that the said Registrar shall have the Registration Books for said territory or District open on Friday, March 12, 1915, and closed on Saturday, April 2, 1915, for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said territory or district, and that on the day of election the Polls shall be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and close at 5 o'clock P. M., as is provided for by Act calling for said election.

This the 9th day of March 1915.
S. A. CONGLETON,
Chairman of Board of Com. of Pitt Co.
Attest:—BRASCOE BELL, Clerk.
3-3-15-15d 31w. 100m

What Germany Says.

I have read the translation of a pamphlet given to recruits for the German Army. The pamphlet is entitled "Alcohol and the Power of Resistance." The pamphlet says: "There is no justification for calling beer 'liquid bread'; a glass of heavy beer costing twenty-five pennings has no more nourishment than a piece of cheese costing one penny. Almost all excesses and disturbances in the army are traced to drink. It is mostly beer that causes the mischief. Beer is not the harmless drink that it is supposed to be."—Gordon Reeves in "Physical Culture."

North Carolina

Pitt County.

In Superior Court.
Before J. D. Cox, Clerk.
C. S. Rountree, Chilton Rountree, and Marvin Rountree, by his guardian Mrs. L. W. Tripp, and Madeline Rountree by her Next friend, C. S. Rountree.

Ex Parte.

Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the Superior Court of Pitt County made in the above entitled cause on the 20th day of February, 1915, by J. D. Cox, clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, the undersigned Commissioner will, on Monday, the 8th day of March, 1915, at 12 o'clock Noon, expose to public sale before the Court house door in Greenville to the highest bidder, one third (1-3) cash and balance in 1 and 2 years, the following described property, to-wit:

"That certain tract or parcel of land situated in Greenville Township, Pitt County, North Carolina about two miles from the Town of Greenville on both sides of the Sand Clay Road beginning at a sweet gum, F. M. Whichard's corner in a small branch and runs with his line North 37-45 East 486 poles to a large sycamore tree on the edge of Tar River; thence down said river to a stake the corner of lot No. 2; thence with the line of lot No. 2 South 37-45 West 456 poles to a stake centered by small trees in Zachariah Allen's line; thence with said Allen's line North 69-45 West 27 poles to the beginning, containing 84 acres more or less.

This tract of land lies on both sides of the Sand Clay Road and is well adapted to corn, cotton and tobacco. This tract will be sold as a whole and also in two divisions. A portion of 10 acres lying on the North side of the Sand Clay Road and the second division of 21 acres lying on the South of the Sand Clay Road.

Also that part of Lot No. 19 in the plan of the Town of Greenville beginning at a point on Pitt Street 56 feet and 4 inches from the corner of Lots Nos. 19 and 20 running from thence a Westwardly course parallel with Third Street 125 feet; thence a Northerly course parallel with Pitt Street to Third Street; thence an Eastwardly course with Third Street to Pitt Street; thence a Southerly course with Pitt Street to the beginning.

This lot contains a residence, two stories and basement, known as the Rountree Lot with a vacant lot adjoining said house and lot."

Both the Town property and the Country property will be sold on the following terms: 1-3 cash; 1-2 twelve months from date of sale and the remaining 1-3, 24 months from date of sale, with interest on the deferred payments at six per cent from date of sale.

This 20th day of February, 1915.
F. C. HARDING,
Commissioner
2-22-15d-21w

NOTICE

North Carolina, Pitt County.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County at their regular session assembled on Tuesday Mar. 9, 1915, ordered an election to be held in the following described territory:

"The District Known as Contentnea Township, District No. 3, White."

That the said election to be held on Tuesday, the 27th day of April 1915, at the School House in the above described territory for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the qualified voters of the above described territory as to whether there shall be levied and collected a Special Tax of 30c on the \$100.00, valuation of property and 50c on each Poll in the above described territory, and at said election those favoring the Special Tax shall vote a written or printed Ballot with the words "For Special Tax", and those opposed to said Tax shall vote a written or printed Ballot with the words "Against Special Tax."

And it was further ordered, that H. A. Pierce be, and he is hereby appointed Registrar for said election and that F. B. Rogers and Joe Summrell are hereby appointed Poll Holders or Judges of election.

And it was further ordered, that a New Registration is, and shall be required, and that the Registration Books of said District or Territory shall be opened on Friday, March 12, 1915, and closed on Saturday April 3, 1915, for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said territory or district.

This the 3rd day of March 1915.
S. A. CONGLETON,
Chairman of Board of Com. of Pitt Co.
Attest:—BRASCOE BELL, Clerk.
3-4-15d-31w 51m

ing the qualified voters of said district or territory.

This the 9th day of March 1915.
S. A. CONGLETON,
Chairman of Board of Com. of Pitt Co.
Attest:—BRASCOE BELL, Clerk.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Pitt County.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County at their regular session assembled on Monday, March 1, 1915, ordered an election to be held in the following described territory:

"Beginning at a line between S. G. Whichard and J. A. Whichard near the colored School House known as No. 3, Carolina Township, and running south to G. M. Moring Swamp field; then running with the road to F. M. Mooring; thence with the road leading to Whichard Station to fogk near Mrs. M. A. Whichard's; thence with the road to Whichard Station to the fork near Harriett Whitfield's; thence with road by J. F. Whitehurst to Post Oak colored church; thence with S. R. Ross' line to W. E. and H. B. Fleming's line; thence with Fleming's line to D. B. Carrington's line; thence up Carrington's line to B. D. Nelson's; thence with Nelson's and Carrington's line to W. E. and H. B. Fleming's line; thence a southerly course to the beginning."

That said election to be held on Saturday, the 17th day of April 1915, at C. P. Fagle's store in the town of Stokes, N. C., for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the qualified voters in above described territory as to whether there shall be levied and collected a Special School Tax of 30c on the \$100.00, worth of property and 50c on each Poll in the above described territory.

And at said election those favoring the Special Tax shall vote a written or printed ballot with the words "For Special Tax" and those opposed to said Tax shall vote a written or printed Ballot with the words "Against Special Tax."

And it was further ordered that C. P. Fagle be, and he is hereby appointed Registrar for said election, K. S. Woodard and E. B. Whichard are hereby appointed Poll Holders or Judges of election.

And it was further ordered, that a New Registration is, and shall be required, and that the Registration Books of said District or Territory shall be opened on Friday, March 12, 1915, and closed on Saturday April 3, 1915, for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said territory or district.

This the 3rd day of March 1915.
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Chairman of Board of Com. of Pitt Co.
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NOTICE

North Carolina, Pitt County.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Commissioners of Pitt County at their regular session assembled on Monday, March 1, 1915, ordered an election to be held in the following described territory:

"Commencing in Little Creek at the mouth of Black Swamp and with said Swamp to the late L. C. Barrett line, and with said line to the Falkland Township line, and with said line to the forks of the road at Toddy; then southward with Kirkwood road to E. C. R. R., then with Roanoke and Virginia Lumber Company, tramroad to the road at T. E. Feol's; then westward with said road to J. T. Lewis' Ward place line; then with said line to the run of Creek; then down said Creek to the beginning."

That said election to be held on Saturday, the 17th day of April 1915, at the School House in above described territory for the purpose of ascertaining the will of the qualified voters of the above described territory as to whether there shall be levied and collected a Special School Tax of 25c on the \$100.00, valuation of property, and 75c on each Poll in the above described territory, and at said election those favoring the Special Tax shall vote a written or printed Ballot with the words "For Special Tax", and those opposed to said Tax shall vote a written or printed Ballot with the words "Against Special Tax."

And it was further ordered, that R. F. Tugwell be, and he is hereby appointed Registrar for said election, and that Jack Wiggs and T. R. Allan are hereby appointed Poll Holders or Judges of election.

And it was further ordered, that a New Registration is, and shall be required, and that the Registration Books of said District or Territory shall be opened on Friday, March 12, 1915, and closed on Saturday April 3, 1915, for the purpose of registering the qualified voters of said territory or district.

This the 3rd day of March 1915.
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