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VIOLET RAYS
ON OUR WAYS

By H. M. Alley

Note: This column is written with malice toward none, but with the common good of all in mind.

Well, Fellow Citizens, cheer up. A news item in the daily press says the Income Tax Forms for filing 1955 Tax returns are now in the mails. According to this report these are the simplest Forms issued to date. Do not take this writer as an authority on it, for he humbly admits to getting worse confused and bewildered with the whole business of The Internal Revenue Department each passing year. However, it seems on these new Income Forms that Uncle Sam has it all simplified down to a minimum of questions and answers, which amount to something like this:

First, How much did you make in 1955? — Second, What did you do with it? — Third, Do you have anything left? — Fourth, If so, send it to the Director of Internal Revenue in your state at once. — Fifthly, (and this is important) In case you didn't have anything left after your Holiday spending spree, go ahead and borrow at least a hundred dollars and send it in anyway!

And speaking of high and handsome financing and such, here are some figures copied from a scrapbook made up of facts and fancies prior to World War II. In fact the following has to do with World War I, which some of its veterans resent being spoken of as a baby brother to the last one: "According to the best statistics obtainable the World War (that is the number one edition) cost 30,000,000 lives and \$400,000,000,000 in property. If that four hundred billion had been put to constructive use, it would have built a

\$2,500 house and furnished same with \$1,000 worth of furniture, placing it on five acres of land worth \$100 per acre, and given all this to every family in United States, Canada, England, Wales, Ireland, Scotland, France, Belgium, Germany and Russia.

"After this enough money would remain to give each city of 20,000 inhabitants and over, in all the above countries a \$5,000,000 library and a \$10,000,000 University.

"The balance left would be sufficient to set aside a sum at 5% which would pay for all time \$1,000 yearly each to 125,000 teachers and the same number of nurses.

"After all this was done, there would still remain enough of the original four hundred billion dollars to buy everything in both France and Belgium worth buying at its 1914 value."

Note: The above is a quotation from the writings of Dr. Nicholas Murry Butler, famous American Educator of the yesteryears.

And still speaking of financial problems, there was the man who found a pearl in his oyster stew in a New York night club on New Year's Eve, and almost broke even!

A news item says there are almost a thousand women who have taken up the practice of law. Humph! That's nothing. Just think of the tens of thousands of women who are just as busy laying the law down.

And this story must have emerged from one of the Holiday Cheer parties:

After examining the patient, the doctor inquired, "How in the world did you happen to drink that poison? Didn't you see that word 'poison' plainly printed on the label?"

"Y-y-yesir," replied the victim, "But then right under t-t-that word 'poison' I s-saw t-t-this other word, —'LYE.'"

And then there was the exasperated mother who found little Johnny cleaning up the last crumbs of a Christmas

JACKS CREEK NEWS
By Mrs. Katherine B. Anglin

Mr. Wade Honeycutt is ill at his home.

Misses Mary Frances and Judy Ann Reavis spent Christmas with their father, H. P. Reavis, of Newton, N. C.

Richard Briggs, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Briggs, was at home from the Navy. He is stationed in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoover Higgins and family of Alabama were here for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Higgins and family of Virginia were at home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Randolph

RIVERSIDE NEWS
By Mrs. Ernie Wilson

Naff, Whitson left on Dec. 27 for Detroit, Mich. after spending the Christmas holidays here.

A 3c James Landon Byrd is at home on a 15-day leave. He will report to Biloxi, Miss., on January 4.

John Ayers is still confined to his home due to illness.

Richard Briggs of Texas is at home for the holidays.

Clyde McIntosh of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Omega McIntosh is very ill and is undergoing treatment at the Yancey Hospital.

Jim Austin of Candler, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Austin last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glenn and daughters, Carolyn and Helen, visited relatives in Florida last week.

Master Kenneth Larry Wilson is confined to his home due to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden McKinney and family of Elizabethton, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Melton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brooks, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glenn of Asheville visited Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Wilson and Dave McKinney during the holidays.

Vernon and Calvin Roland of Jersey City, N. J. visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roland during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hensley of Detroit, Mich. visited relatives here during the holidays.

Cake she had left on the table to cool.

"Why Johnny," she exclaimed, "You naughty boy, eating all that cake up, without thinking of little sister."

"Nope," replied Johnny, "I was thinking of her all the time, and scarred to death she would get here before I finished."

NOTICE TO TAKE
DEPOSITION

In The Superior Court
NORTH CAROLINA
YANCEY COUNTY
Raymond Lee Bowditch,
Plaintiff

vs.

Mary J. Bowditch, Defendant
The Defendant, Mary J. Bowditch, will take notice that the plaintiff will, on February 15, 1956, at 10:00 A. M., or as soon thereafter as may be, take the deposition of SH3 Raymond L. Bowditch, Service No. 834-0795, USS Oak Hill (LSD-7) c, Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, California, before some Commissioned Officer of the said member of the Armed Forces of the United States; that the interrogatories of the said Raymond L. Bowditch have been filed with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County, North Carolina, at Burnsville, N. C., as provided by G. S. 8-71.

The said defendant will further take notice that she may file written cross interrogatories to plaintiff's interrogatories with the said Clerk of the Superior Court at his office in the Courthouse in Burnsville, N. C. at any time until January 30, 1956.

The said defendant will further take notice that the said deposition of Raymond L. Bowditch when taken and returned as provided by law will be opened by the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County at his office in the Courthouse in Burnsville, N. C., at 10:00 o'clock A. M., March 10, 1956, and the objections thereto, if any, passed upon.

This 2nd day of Jan. 1956
Bill Atkins, Attorney for Plaintiff
Jan. 5, 12, 19

and family of Virginia spent Christmas here.

Miss Hope Ann McIntosh, Lloyd Bailey, Beverly Silvers, and Gene Bailey have returned to Mars Hill College after spending the holidays here.

Mr. and Mrs. David A. Staley, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Honeycutt, have returned to Fort Worth, Texas where Mr. Staley is in the seminary.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laughrun and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miners visited Mr. and Mrs. Luke Laughrun during the holidays.

Mrs. Cecil Anglin's mother Mrs. Marion Brown, has been visiting the Anglin's during the holidays and will return to Washington, D. C. this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Roland, Miss Hilda Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley, and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hensley spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. Eula Hensley.

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vs.

Mary J. Bowditch, Defendant.

The Defendant, Mary J. Bowditch, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Yancey County, North Carolina, to obtain a divorce from the defendant upon the ground of two years separation, and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Yancey County by Feb. 24, 1956, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 2nd day of Jan. 1956
Lowe Thomas, Clerk Superior Court.
Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER
DEED OF TRUST
NORTH CAROLINA
YANCEY COUNTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a Deed of Trust executed by Clarence Ray, and wife, Marilyn Ray, to the undersigned, as Trustee for The Northwestern Bank of Burnsville, North Carolina, on December 30, 1952; and default having been made

in the payment of the same, the undersigned Trustee will, at the Court House door in Burnsville, North Carolina, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., on January 28, 1956, sell for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described tract or parcel of land in South Toe Township, Yancey County, North Carolina:

BEGINNING at a birch just below Clarence Ray's house and runs N. 47 1-2 degrees E. 430

feet to a stake on a ridge; thence S. 53 1-2 degrees E. 300 feet, S. 43 degrees E. 304 feet to a stake in Clyde Huskins' line; thence with said line about N. 80 degrees W. 815 feet to a stake; thence N. 9 degrees E. 87 feet to the BEGINNING, containing 4 acres, more or less.

This December 27, 1955.
Bill Atkins, Trustee.
Jan. 5, 12, 19, 26

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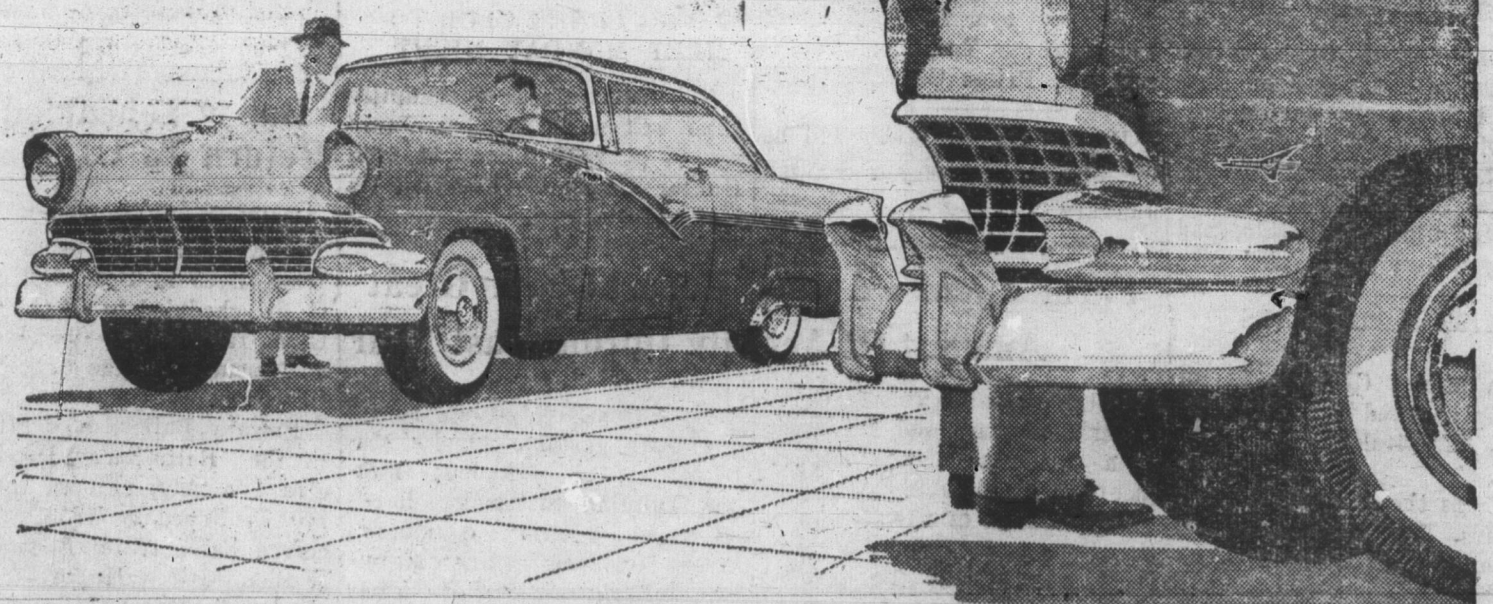
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