

RUSH STROUP
Attorney at Law
Office in Royster Building,
Room No. 8.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of D. P. Hamrick, deceased, late of Cleveland county, N. C., this is to give notice to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of March, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. And all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This the 31st day of March, 1923.
G. R. HAMRICK, Administrator of D. P. Hamrick, deceased.
Quinn, Hamrick & Harris, Attys.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of W. R. Harris, deceased, late of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to give notice to all persons holding claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned on or before the 31st day of March, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. And all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

This the 31st day of March, 1923.
V. D. McCRAW, Adm. of W. R. Harris, dec'd.
Quinn, Hamrick & Harris, Attys.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Catherine Harrill, deceased, late of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at my home on Mooresboro, N. C., route No. 2, on or before the 27th day of February, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment to me.

This the 24th day of February 1923
P. Z. HARELL, Administrator on the estate of Catherine Harrill.
Rush Stroup, Atty.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE

Having this day qualified as executrix of the will of Fannie Poston, deceased, late of Cleveland County, N. C., notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me properly proven for payment on or before the 3rd day of March, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to the undersigned. This March 3rd 1923.

SARAH MABEL POSTON, Executrix of the late Fannie Poston, dec'd.
Byburn & Hoey, Attys.

MR. PUTNAM HAS ALMANAC OF 47 YEARS AGO, OR 1876

Mr. Burgin E. Putnam has an interesting old relic in form of Blum's Farmer's and Planter's almanac for the year 1876 being Bisextile or Leap Year, containing 366 days. The month of July that year was the 10th anniversary of our Independence. The almanac was published and sold by L. Y. and E. T. Blum of Winston-Salem and sold also by Tidwell and Brothock, booksellers and stationers of Charlotte. The Tiddys of Shelby are related to the Tiddy family of Charlotte who at that time conducted a book store. Mr. Putnam prizes the almanac very highly because of its age and its contents and of course the years go by, the almanac will come more valuable.

PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS.

ried Evans McBrayer, et al., vs. one L. McBrayer, and Miriam E. McBrayer.
Eudene L. McBrayer and Miriam E. McBrayer, defendants in the entitled action.
You and each of you are hereby notified that the above action is a legal proceeding pending before the Clerk of the Superior court of Cleveland County for the sale for partition of the heirs at law and devisees of T. E. McBrayer, deceased, of lot owned by T. E. McBrayer, lying between North Lafayette and Washington streets in the town of Shelby, N. C., and that you have an interest in the subject matter of said action, and you and each of you are by notified to appear before me in my office in Shelby, N. C., on May 1923, an answer or demurrer to the petition on file in said cause, otherwise the relief prayed for therein will be granted.
This the 4th day of April, 1923.
W. P. WEBB, Clerk Superior Ct.

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THE CLEVELAND STAR, SHELBY, N. C.

LAWYERS AGREE TO CHARGE JUST \$25,000

Raleigh, April 3.—Adjustment of attorney's fees in the railroad suits, effected today by Governor Morrison, leaves the state and counsel in agreement on a \$15,000 fee for Judge W. P. Bynum, of Greensboro; \$5,000 for former Governor Locke Craig, of Asheville, and \$5,000 for Thomas D. Warren, of New Bern.

The attorneys had submitted charges aggregating \$55,000 for their services in the extended litigation between the Southern, Seaboard, Atlantic Coast line and Norfolk, Southern railroads over franchise and valorem and income tax levies. The suit resulted in a victory for the state in tax cases involving around a million dollars. The income tax phase of the suits is still pending in the United States supreme court, and it was announced Judge Bynum is retained for further service in this case. He is to receive an additional fee, should extra services warrant one, of more than \$10,000.

The full agreement between the governor and counsel, consequently, is on an aggregate fee of \$25,000 for service rendered in the case already concluded, with the retention of Judge Bynum to further represent the state if it is found expedient at a fee not to exceed \$10,000.

In announcing this evening adjustment of the attorney's charges, Governor Morrison expressed appreciation for the services of the lawyers, whom he considers among the ablest in the state.

A Billy Sunday Prayer.

When Rev. Billy Sunday finished preaching a sermon he does not announce that he is going to pray, but simply throws his head back and launches into prayer. Last Sunday following his sermon to 10,000 men he prayed thus:

"Say, Jesus, here's a great throng of men in this building. They must be hungry to hear the Word of God spoken. These men came here today, knowing when they came they would hear the gospel. I know they expected to hear it and I have tried to do my best to give it to them. Now, Jesus, if there is a single man in this great throng who hasn't been saved I want to find it out—I want him and all of them to come up and say, 'Here's my hand and heart for Jesus Christ,' so that when they go home tonight, they can tell their wives, their mothers and sisters that they have given their hearts and souls to Thee and it will bring untold happiness into the lives of all they love so dearly. This life isn't all there is to it and the next—we pass out of this world on into a further and fuller realization of what is beyond. It isn't all here. This is a great world, but what is here is nothing compared with what we have in the next—in heaven, it is so much grander—so God help this great throng, so that when their time comes to go into the great beyond, they will be ready and prepared to meet Thee.

Oh, there is an old man, with snow white hair—help him, Jesus, here are grandfathers, fathers and sons—here are husbands who will make their wives at home smile with joy and happiness, when they find out that they have given their hearts to Jesus. Here are young men with the dew of success on their brows; here are successful men and those who have not been so fortunate—men—I don't know which one of you will be the next that the hearse will come to your door; I don't know which one will be the next to hear the call—it may be that I will go before any of you; I don't know—but Lord whoever it is, I pray Thee that we all shall be prepared.

I thank you for these meetings for men only. They have been magnificent—I want to thank You for them, Jesus—they have been wonderful. Now, Lord I pray that there will be hundreds that will come down the sawdust trail and say, 'Here's my hand Bill, I believe in Jesus Christ I believe in religion, I believe in heaven, I believe in hell, I believe in the Bible, I believe in the devil—I believe in men serving God and I am going to do the best I know how to do'—that is all you can do—your best—that is all the angels can expect to do—is to do your best. There are men who make more success in serving Him but I am going to do my best to please You. Help this great crowd to say, 'I will, through the grace of God by Jesus Christ. Amen.'

Will you do it? Come on."
Messames Zollie Thompson and Jean Schenck spent several days in Lincolnton last week with Mrs. Schenck's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Crowell.

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De-linted cotton seed will come up 5 to 10 days sooner and give you a more regular stand and much healthier plant.
All we charge you is to retain the lint. You can deliver your seed any day before the 16th, but be sure to be on hand then to get your seed and help sack them.
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HOW TO RAISE COTTON SUCCESSFULLY UNDER BOLL WEEVIL CONDITIONS
"Prepare your land in October, by blowing it up with dynamite.
"Lay it off in rows, 12 feet apart, and plant your cotton seed in December.
"When your cotton comes up thin it to one stalk in a hill 23 feet apart.
"Spray each stalk twice a day with 'Hoyt's German Cologne.' Cover your cotton with mosquito netting when it is two weeks old—this netting to be stretched over poultry wire.
"Spread 'Tanglefoot' between cotton rows and replace it every day. Burn off all nearby woods and cut down dead trees and burn them. Dust the following mixture on your cotton twice a day: Epsom salts, calomel, cream of wheat and the white of an egg.
"Have two hired hands for every acre in cultivation. Furnish them with barber's tweezers to be used in pinching the heads off all boll weevils that show up.
"Mortgage your farm and buy nitrate of soda and spread plentifully around the roots of the cotton. If any of the bolls should get punctured have the punctures vulcanized at once. Any good automobile man can do this for you. Begin picking your cotton in February and try to have it all ginned and sold by March 15th. This will enable you to go to work and grow corn, potatoes and hogs for home consumption. This kind of 'consumption' does not need the services of a doctor. Pay your preacher. Trade for cash. Settle all your old debts. Buy "STAR BRAND" Shoes, and live happily ever afterward.
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HE WAS RIGHT.
Little Newsboy Had Correct Ideas of Business.
The homely freckle-faced little newsboy had not greeted the young woman who works in one of the downtown office buildings for several days. Instead she had to explain to a serious looking little fellow which paper she preferred. Soon she began to realize how much the cheery smile and "How are you, miss?" had meant to her when served along with the latest edition.
Then one evening he was back at his corner and the young woman stepped to tell him how glad she was to see him again and that she hoped he was there to stay.
"Yes'm, guess I'm here to stay sure 'nough. That other one was my brother. I thought I could lend him this corner and sell papers myself at another, but the business can't run itself and he never was no business man."
The young woman smiled and said: "He is not very old, perhaps he will learn."
"Not him; he never will learn. Twice I have tried to set him up in business for himself and he can't make it go. Papers won't sell themselves. You've got to be happy if you want to sell papers. You can't be a grouch. He don't know the first thing about a good business man. He just can't smile."
FOR SALE TWO REGISTERED Jersey bull calves. Also one three-year-old registered Jersey bull. T. C. Stroud, R-3, Ellenboro. 4-6p
ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
Notice is hereby given that I have this day qualified as administratrix of the estate of Sallie Hord, late of Cleveland county, N. C., and all persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to the undersigned and all persons having claims against said estate will present them to me properly proven for payment on or before April 4th, 1924, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. This 4th day of April 1924.
JOSSIE T. WILSON, Admrx. of Sallie Hord, dec'd.
Byburn & Hoey, Attys.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.
I hereby announce myself a candidate for Mayor, at the coming election.
Thanking the citizens for their past support and again hoping to receive their renewed confidence, I remain,
Very respectfully,
J. T. GARDNER.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
Having heard that Dr. Royster has stated that he was not going to stand for re-election as alderman, quite a number of my friends having requested me to run I hereby announce myself a candidate for Alderman from Ward 2.
I will appreciate the support of both gentlemen and ladies of the city.
J. FRANK JENKINS.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF W. D. LACKEY FOR MAYOR.
At the earnest solicitation of my friends I hereby announce myself as candidate for mayor and if elected I promise to be faithful and true to the trust reposed in me by my friends, the public. Very respectfully,
W. D. LACKEY.

ANNOUNCEMENT.
At the solicitation of a number of my friends I have decided to offer myself a candidate for Alderman from Ward 3. If elected I shall endeavor at all times to give loyal service and uphold the ideals which I think is to the best interest of our good town.
JOHN R. McCLURD.

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SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
Under and by virtue of an order of the Clerk of the Superior court of Cleveland county, made in this proceeding in regard to trustee's sale of land, where William McSwain and wife, S. M. McSwain executed their notes in the sum of \$2,000.00 to secure an indebtedness to Marimon P. Poston the September 3rd, 1921 and 1922, as appears of record in Book 117 at page 247 of the Register's office of Cleveland county, N. C., and said land having been sold under said deed of trust, and bid having been raised as by law required: I as trustee, will offer for re-sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Shelby, N. C., on
Thursday, April 19th, 1923,
at 12 o'clock M., or within legal hours, the following described real estate:
Lying and being in No. 3 township, Cleveland county, N. C., and adjoining the lands of L. J. Kendrick, R. B. Francis and Mrs. W. D. Lowery and lying on the west side of Buffalo creek, bounded as follows:
Beginning at a hickory on the north side of Camps branch, Hamrick's corner then with his line N. 56 W. 8 3-4 poles to a stone, Wm. Putnam's corner; thence with his line S. 25 W. to the junction of Camp's branch and up the South branch as it meanders 156 poles to a stake in the branch in the old line thence with said old line S. 18 W. 72 poles to a stone, Kendrick's corner; thence with his line S. 57 1-2 E. 61 1-2 poles to a stake in the creek; thence up the creek as it meanders 137 poles to the mouth of Camp's branch; thence up the branch as it meanders 36 poles to a stake in the branch; thence N. 31 E. 10 poles to beginning, containing 77 acres, more or less. This being the same tract of land conveyed to Charlie Putnam by D. C. Putnam and wife, Sallie Putnam, as shown by deed recorded in Book "GG" page 15 of the register of Deeds office of Cleveland county, N. C., and reference is hereby made to said record. Excepting from the above tract of land 32 3-4 acres of land this day deeded to Ida May Petty and Allbright Petty by William McSwain and wife, S. M. McSwain.
This the 2nd day of April, 1923.
RUSH STROUP, Trustee.