

FALLSTON BATCH SOCIAL-PERSONAL

Suprise Birthday For Mr. D. L. Martin. Personals Of Holiday Visiting.

Fallston, Jan. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Royster had as their dinner guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Falls and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Stroup visited Mrs. J. B. Stroup Sunday evening.

Misses Mary and Hermine Pegram and Minnie Katherine Allen of Shelby were the dinner guests of Misses Martha and Elsie Royster Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Plato Peeler and Mrs. Liza Mull of Belwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Clem Royster Sunday.

The children of Mr. D. L. Martin gathered at his home Sunday and surprised him with a birthday dinner.

Miss Ruth Dickson of Shelby visited Miss Nell Stamey Sunday.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of W. T. McSwain, late of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to present them to the undersigned at Shelby, North Carolina on or before the 21st day of December, 1930, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 21st day of December, 1929.

LEILA McSWAIN, Administrator of the estate of W. T. McSwain.

Peyton McSwain, Atty.

Publishing Of Summons.

North Carolina, Cleveland county. In the superior court, before the clerk.

The County of Cleveland, North Carolina, plaintiff, vs. A. U. Wall and wife, Affie Wall, and all persons claiming any interest in the subject matter of this action, defendants.

All persons claiming any interest in the subject matter of this action will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the superior court of Cleveland county, N. C., to foreclose tax sale certificates for Cleveland county for the tax for the years 1925 and 1927, owned and held by the plaintiff against real property in Cleveland county, the said real property, the subject matter of this action, being described as follows:

That 72 1-2 acres lying in No. 11 township, Cleveland county, described by metes and bounds in the deed made to A. U. Wall by A. N. Hunt and others on September 27, 1920, by deed recorded in "EE" page 489, of the register's office of Cleveland county, North Carolina.

That said unknown party or parties aforesaid are proper and necessary parties to said action and the relief demanded consists of in excluding the aforesaid defendants and all persons claiming any interest in the subject matter of this action from any actual or contingent interest in or lien upon said real property, and said persons will further take notice that they are required to appear before the clerk of the superior court of Cleveland county at the court house, in Shelby, N. C., on the 10th day of January, 1930, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiffs and within six months from the date of this notice to set up their claim in the subject matter of this action, if any, otherwise they shall be forever barred and foreclosed of any and all interest in or lien upon said real property and the proceeds received from the sale thereof.

This December 12, 1929.

A. M. HAMRICK, Clerk Superior Court, Cleveland County 44-13

There is a prior mortgage on the foregoing property for the sum of \$1600.00, and recorded in Book 150, page 79, of the register's office of Cleveland county, N. C., and the purchaser will buy said property subject to that or any other prior encumbrance.

This December 23rd, 1929.

R. L. RYBURN, Trustee.

Advertisement for Dr. D. M. Morrison, Optometrist. Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted and Repaired. Located Upstairs in Woolworth Building. Telephone 585.

Removal Announcement of DR. D. M. MORRISON TO WOOLWORTH BUILDING, SHELBY, N. C. I wish to announce the removal of my place of business from the Webb Building, to up-stairs at head of steps in the Woolworth Building, Shelby, N. C. In my new location I will be better prepared to give you better Eye service. For Eye Examination and Optical Repairing—See me in my new location. DR. D. M. MORRISON OPTOMETRIST—EYE SPECIALIST Woolworth Building (At Head of Steps) Shelby, N. C.

Misses Minnie Katherine Allen and Nell Stamey spent Monday night with Miss Eloise Royster. Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Stamey and little son James of Polkville were Fallston visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Pearson and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Pearson's mother Mrs. Kate Edwards.

Miss Rea Lattimore spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Lattimore of near Polkville.

Mrs. Leola Hoyle and daughter, Eulala, spent Christmas day with Mrs. Paris Martin.

Mr. Edney Willis and children of Toluca, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wilson Sunday.

Mrs. Hubert Simmons of Newton is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Yoder.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hoyle and family visited Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hole Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Stamey and family spend Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Elmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ware and little Billy Ware of Kings Mountain spent the week-end with Mrs. Ware's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hoyle visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hoyle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Royster and children, Ralph and Kathleen, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Ross.

Miss Minnie Royster is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Royster.

Miss Francis Edwards was a Gastonia visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Royster spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bovens of Double Shoals.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hicks visited Mrs. Hicks' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sain of Toluca Sunday.

Miss Pearl Jolly spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jolly of near Rutherfordton.

Miss Marie Hamrick visited relatives at Boiling Springs Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Elkins were Charlotte visitors Monday.

Mrs. Ida Allen of Shelby spent several days last week with her brother Mr. and Mrs. Clem Royster.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray of Virginia are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Murray.

Misses Elva, Annie and Mollie Lula Richard of Belwood, visited Mr. and Mrs. Olen Murray Saturday night.

Let George Do It.

Washington.—Mrs. Pearl Peden Oldfield, member of congress, hopes man will continue to dominate government 100 years from now. "There are so many things a woman can do that a man can't," she explained. "Why not do them and let the men do what they can?" Mrs. Oldfield has decided not to seek re-election.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a deed of trust executed by N. O. White and wife, to me as trustee, on January 28, 1928, and recorded in book 144 of deeds, page 290, of the register's office of Cleveland county, N. C., and default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, and having been called upon to execute said trust, I, as trustee, will sell for cash to the highest bidder at public auction at the court house door in the Town of Shelby, N. C., on—

Monday, January 27, 1930, at 12 o'clock M., the following described real estate, situate in No. 4 Township, Cleveland county, N. C., and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stone, J. R. Dovers' corner on the North side of a branch, thence North 78 East 103 1-2 poles to a stone, thence North 3 East 27 poles to a stone, thence North 73 1-2 West 19 poles to a sourwood, thence North 14 1-2 West 34 1-2 poles to a stone in Hendrick's line, thence with his line North 88 West 110 1-2 poles to a stone, S. R. Anthony's line, thence with his line South 5 1-2 West 48 poles to a post oak stump, Hogue's corner, thence with his line South 87 1-2 East 16 1-2 poles to a stone, thence South 2 1-2 West 58 poles to a White Oak in Dover's line, thence with said line North 61 1-2 East 28 poles to the beginning, containing 64 1-2 acres more or less.

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ITALY PLANS TO TRAIN BOYS THERE FOR ALL TRADES

Rome.—Italy is winning "The Battle of Grain." Annually she fights this battle, and once a year she decides who has won the struggle.

"The Battle of Grain," as Mussolini calls it, is the struggle of wheat growers in Italy against foreign farmers. In a nutshell, it is the battle of Menito Mussolini to make Italy independent of the wheat fields in the United States, Argentina, Canada and Australia.

The annual day of reckoning this year yielded these figures: In October, 1929, Italy imported 237,760 hundredweight of grain. In the same month of the preceding year she imported 1,944,753 hundredweight. This is a gain of 1,704,933 hundredweight. In the four months from July to October, Italy brought in 2,816,720 hundredweight. Last year for the period, she imported 7,072,697. This bettered the trade balance by \$30,000,000.

Italy hopes that next year she will be completely independent of foreign producers of wheat. This will conclude one phase of her struggle to make herself self-sufficient in the three great raw materials, wheat, coal and steel. She is rapidly becoming independent of coal by developing hydro-electric resources. She will probably never be independent in the case of iron and steel.

Mussolini is fighting "The Battle of Grain" with laws. One law says that a farmer may not abandon his farm without permission from the provincial government. This permission is rarely given. If he goes without permission he is liable to arrest.

Another law says that owners of wide tracts of land are to place a certain percentage of that land under cultivation. If they do not, their land is confiscated, or they pay fines.

Then six months ago the government, to aid the farmer, sharply increased the import duties on wheat.

The combination of all these efforts has given the desired result. And the price of bread, despite the increased import tax, has decreased.

APE TAIN IN MAN WIPED OUT

Des Moines.—Much of the ape taint in the ancestry of man was wiped out in an epochal address before the American Association of Science by its president, Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn, of New York.

He put man's origin back 50,000,000 years, all free from crossing with the ape family.

"I believe in the evolution of man," he said, "but I do not believe he came from apes. He came along a path of his own, and never passed through the ape stage.

"The human stock separated from the other animals when the first great plateau appeared on earth."

The plateau-making stage began about the time of a period which scientists call the eocene, and is considered 50,000,000 years and more old. Great forests are thought to have covered much of the earth in this eocene time.

In the picture drawn by Dr. Osborn it is as if in those forests existed a stock with a spark of intelligence and ambition that carried it out into the open plains and the uplands to fight a running battle for existence and develop into men. In the same forest was another stock, backward, forest-loving, lacking ambition, which remained in the trees and developed into the apes. What the origins of these two may have been, scientific data do not disclose clearly.

Taking Chances.

Baltimore.—The state racing commission has tabulated the total amount wagered through pari-mutuel machines this year at Pimlico, Laurel, Harve De Grace and Bowie at \$34,419,686.50.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to notify all persons concerned that the partnership of Mrs. Alice Boland and Mrs. Tom Abernethy, doing business as the Wayside Restaurant, Shelby, N. C., has been dissolved, the said Mrs. Alice Boland having sold her interest therein to the said Mrs. Tom Abernethy; notice is also given that the said Mrs. Tom Abernethy has assumed all debts of the Wayside Restaurant and bills against the same are to be presented to her; that Mrs. Alice Boland will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the said Mrs. Tom Abernethy or in the name of the Wayside Restaurant after this date.

This the 24th day of December, 1929.

MRS. ALICE BOLAND, Henry B. Edwards, Atty. 4t 27c

Thirteen-Year-Old Girl Champion Speller



Marie Densch, 13, of Brownsville, Pope County, is Illinois' champion speller for 1929. She won the title at the annual contest at the opening session of the Illinois State Teachers' Association, at the opening session of the Illinois State House in Springfield. The contestants spelled 225 words before winners were selected. (International Newsreel)

WAR TO DEATH ON IN LIQUOR BATTLE

Agents To Stay Within Legal Rights But To Use Soft Words, Gestures.

Washington.—A blunt statement that the coast guard "means business" and cannot stop liquor smuggling with "soft words and amiable gestures" has been added to the turbulent controversy on prohibition enforcement which has enlivened the holidays for official Washington.

This assertion was made by Rear Admiral Frederick C. Billard, the coast guard commandant, upon being informed that three men had met death at the hands of his service while attempting to run liquor into Narragansett Bay.

It came at a time when the ever present contention over prohibition was running high, with prominent "dry" members of the senate and governmental agencies issuing vehement statements criticizing and defending the enforcement of the liquor laws.

No Soft Job.

"The coast guard," Billard said "has the job of stopping liquor smuggling at sea. It is not a job that can be handled with soft words, and amiable gestures. The coast guard is used to carrying out any duty given to it to do, with vigor and determination.

"It means business about this matter and acts strictly within the law. If a liquor smuggler elects to defy the command of a coast guard craft to stop, he runs a serious risk of getting hurt through a course of action that the law has specifically authorized for a hundred years."

In some quarters, Billard's statement was interpreted as an answer to the demands of the last week for the justice department's renewal of an order that no prohibition cases are to be nolle prossed without the department's consent.

Expert Backfire.

Reverberations were expected from the announcement as well as from the most recent statement of Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, a scathing arraignment of enforcement personnel which charged that saloons were running wide open to the jurisdiction of "district attorney after district attorney."

With this, the Idaho senator, who campaigned for President Hoover on the prohibition issue, followed up the law, asserting at that time that "with the present personnel from top to bottom" a satisfactory condition can never be attained.

Meanwhile, those identified with the controversy looked forward to the publication of a report by the Hoover law enforcement commission making recommendations for better enforcement conditions. In general, this is to recommend unification under the justice department of all enforcement agencies by transferring to its jurisdiction those now in the treasury, a reclassification of prohibition laws, relief of congestion in federal courts and consolidation of all border agencies—the coast guard, immigration, narcotics and customs services—under one head.

Injured by a fall while hunting, M. C. Gayles of Palestine, Ill. crawled five miles to his home.

MORE PLAY THAN WORK IN AMERICA

Thirty-Nine Percent Of Population Keeps Up Remainder. Many Children Under Age.

New York.—Sixty-one per cent of Americans are in the fortunate position of being supported by the other 39 per cent, according to an expert calculation published by the national bureau of economic research. Of the 119,306,000 inhabitants of the United States on July 1, 1928, the bureau ascertained, 46,580,000 persons did the work and 72,726,000 others helped them to spend the proceeds.

Other figures showed that there are 29,069,000 children under the age of 15, and that the wage earners are getting a break because more and more persons in proportion to the total population are going to work.

PATRIOTIC ORDER TO SELECT NEW OFFICERS

All members of local camp P. O. S. of A. are requested to be present at the meeting Friday night, January 3, 1930. New elected officers will be installed, will also elect delegates to attend the quarterly meeting district association at Fallston on Saturday night, January 4. Visiting members welcome.

10 YEARS TROUBLE ROUTED BY SARGON

"I suffered ten years with indigestion and pains in my stomach after nearly every meal. Sometimes the pressure around my heart would make me feel like I was smothering to death.



MRS. MARY T. MANGUM

Constipation bothered me a great deal, and I'm sure it was caused by a sluggish liver. No medicine I could find would help me more than just temporarily.

"Recently my mother visited me and got me to try Sargon, which had done her worlds of good. It has done the same for me. I can eat anything I want, even cabbage, without a sign of indigestion. Sargon Pills put my liver to work and ended my constipation. I feel like a new woman."—Mrs. Mary T. Mangum, 1117 Wolf street, Durham, N. C.

Sargon may be obtained in Shelby at The Cleveland Drug Company.

Night Coughing Quickly Relieved

Famous Prescriptions Gives Almost Instant Relief.

Night coughs, or coughs caused by a cold or by an irritated throat are usually due to causes which cough syrups and patent medicines do not touch. But the very first swallow of Thoxine is guaranteed to stop the most stubborn cough almost instantly. Thoxine is a doctor's prescription, working on an entirely different principle, it goes direct to the internal cause.

Thoxine contains no harmful drugs, is pleasant tasting and safe for the whole family. Sold on a money back guarantee to give better and quicker relief for coughs or sore throats than anything you have ever tried. Ask for Thoxine, put up ready for use in 35c., 60c., and \$1.00 bottles. Sold by Suttle's Drug Store and all other Good Drug Stores. adv.

Best Purgative for Colds

Relieve the congestion, reduces complications, hastens recovery

Half Million To Baptists Given By John D. Rockefeller

Dallas, Texas.—A Christmas donation of \$500,000, presented by John D. Rockefeller, sr., to the relief and annuity board of the Southern Baptist convention on Christmas eve, was made public by Dr. Thomas J. Watte, executive secretary of the board.

In making the gift, Mr. Rockefeller said that, while there were no conditions attached, he was confident the board would raise an equal amount through individual and churches of the Southern Baptist convention, Dr. Watts said.

The new donation increases the total of the Rockefeller gifts to the Southern Baptist relief and annuity board to \$1,000,000.

Mice And Lions.

New York.—Lady Richmond Brown who confesses she is frightened to death at a mouse, but is not afraid of anything in the jungle, is a member of an expedition going shortly to unexplored regions of Central America.

Advertisement for CARDUI. "Run-Down" "About seven years ago, I was all run-down, worn-out and never felt good," says Mrs. Harry Cantrell, of Cape Girardeau, Mo. "A chair would be more welcome any time than my work." "I was so tired when I would arise in the morning. Instead of being rested, I felt terrible." "At last, mother told me to take Cardui, and I did. After the first bottle, I could tell a difference, and when I had taken five bottles the tired feeling was all gone. I felt like a different person, thanks to Cardui. I hope that other mothers will try Cardui. I have been wonderfully benefited by it." Try Cardui in your case. Take Thellier's BLACK-DRAUGHT for Constipation, Indigestion, Biliousness. Costs only 1 cent a dose.

COFFEE, PLUS—Delicious Taste and Health!

In other words—Coffee plus Chicory—as in our Gold Ribbon Blend is delightful to taste and it's praised by authorities for its health value. Double strength, too—that means twice as many cups from a pound.

Advertisement for Gold Ribbon Coffee and Chicory. Double Strength. USE ONLY HALF AS MUCH AS OF ORDINARY COFFEE. Gold Ribbon Coffee and Chicory. Double Strength. USE ONLY HALF AS MUCH AS OF ORDINARY COFFEE.

USED AT THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION

Advertisement for Carolina Made Superlative Flour. MADE IN CAROLINA. CAROLINA MADE. SHELBY, N. C. SUPERLATIVE FLOUR. EAGLE ROLLER MILL CO. SHELBY, N. C.

Eagle Roller Mill Company

Large advertisement for Enfield-Norfleet Inc. Don't Forget The Big AUCTION SALE 20 Used Cars At Your Own Prices 10 CASH Prizes Sat. Jan. 4th 2 P. M. Enfield-Norfleet Inc. DODGE SALES AND SERVICE West Warren Street SHELBY