

Talks To Parents

By BROOKE PETERS CHURCH
Grading Parties

Children's parties are always a problem. Some parents who have more means than imagination solve the problem by spending money and hiring entertainers. They will invest in expensive favors and prizes, engage magicians or moving pictures, offer lavish refreshments, and then feel that their duty is done because their purses are lighter.

But such parties are not necessarily the most successful. Children take more pleasure in parties where they are active participants and not passive observers. What the party cost, moreover, thought it may be evident to their parents, makes no difference to the average child.

For the tiny tots parties should be very short. Four to five-thirty is a good time of day, for the last three quarters of an hour may be devoted to eating, the refreshments taking place of nursery supper. Cereal, bread and butter, milk or weak cocoa, ice cream and a simple cake are quite enough. A five cent favor at each child's place will add to his pleasure, and send him home happy.

For children from six to ten there are treasure hunts, cob-web parties, paper chases, obstacle races of various kinds, all active games, for which it is well to prepare the place beforehand. One up and coming group of small boys suggested "Hunt the thimble" to an unsuspecting father. It sounded like a quiet game, but proved horse-wrecking.

From ten to fourteen or fifteen separate parties for boys and girls are better than mixed affairs, for the difference in taste between the two sexes is most marked at this time. Hat trimming, lamp-shade making, doll dressing contests, or progressive games are all in order for the girls. For the boys it is well to center attention on refreshments. They like to eat.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of A. Era Wolfe, deceased of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present them to me on or before the 13th day of March, 1937 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of any recovery thereof. All persons owing the said estate will please make immediate settlement to the undersigned. This 13th day of March, 1936.

C. F. WOLFE, Administrator of Estate of A. Era Wolfe. 43 Mar 20p

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Jim Schenck and wife, Lizzy Schenck, to the undersigned trustee on December 11th, 1926, securing an indebtedness therein described, said deed of trust being recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Cleveland county, N. C. in book 144 page 96, default having been made in the payment of said indebtedness, and at the request of the holder of same, the undersigned trustee will

Saturday, April 18th, 1936, at 12 M., at the court house door in Shelby, N. C., offer for sale at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lying in No. 8 township and being a tract of land known as the Frank Lattimore lot and sold by Ivey Willis to Jim Schenck. Beginning on a sourswood and runs thence south 23 east 46 poles to a Spanish oak; thence south 8 west 99 poles to a black jack, thence north 1/2 west 16 poles to a pine knot and post; thence south 83 east 2 poles to a pine, thence containing by estimation 2 1/4 acres more or less.

The said property will be sold subject to any unpaid taxes. This 17th day of March, 1936.

W. J. BRIDGES, Trustee.

Joseph C. Whitman, Atty. 41 Mar 20c

NOTICE OF SALE

In the Superior Court.

Mrs. S. M. Howell, Administratrix and Mrs. E. M. Howell, widow, heir at law of A. L. Howell, deceased, Ex Parte.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior court of Cleveland county, made in the special proceeding entitled Mrs. S. M. Howell, administratrix et al, Ex Parte, docket of said court, the undersigned commissioner will, on the 27th day of April, 1936, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. on the premises in No. 3 township, Cleveland county, North Carolina, and adjoining the lands of V. V. Wright and others, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a site in the Shelby road runs with the road S. 39 W. 16 1/2 poles to stake; thence S. 39 W. 14 poles to a stake; thence S. 69 W. 14 poles to a stake; thence a new line S. 3 E. of a gully; thence down the gully S. 8 1/2 W. 11 1/2 poles to a pine; thence S. 23 1/2 E. 5 poles to a black gum; thence S. 23 1/2 W. 32 1/4 poles to a poplar; thence S. 7 1/2 poles to a small pine on the east bank of the gully; thence S. 13 E. 44 1/2 poles to a white oak, now a sweet gum on the east bank of the creek, the old corner; thence up the creek as it meanders S. 12 E. 8 poles, S. 71 E. 5 poles; S. 88 E. 12 poles to a stake in the creek with a wild 11 1/2 poles; thence a new line N. 17 1/2 W. 22 poles to a sycamore; thence N. 88 E. 2 poles to a stake; thence N. 58 E. 10 poles to a persimmon on the S. 1/2 of a gully; thence up the gully N. 39 1/2 E. 8 1/2 poles to a black gum; thence N. 8 1/2 E. 16 poles to a pine; thence N. 13 W. 10 poles to the beginning. Containing 20 1/2 acres more or less.

This March 26, 1936.

DAVID P. DELLINGER, Commissioner. 41 Mar 27c

Education History Of N. C. Given By J. H. Highsmith

Highlights Of Education To Date Given By State Supervisor.

1705—Charles Griffin, the first professional teacher in North Carolina, was sent to Pasquotank county by the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Foreign Parts, through the Established Church of England.

1760—First academy established by Reverend James Tate at Wilmington. Crowfield Academy established in Mecklenburg county near the present site of Davidson college.

1772—A school for little girls established by the Moravians at Salem. This ultimately developed into Salem Female academy, later Salem college.

1776—Adoption of a constitutional provision for legislative establishment of schools and for a university.

1825—Establishment of the state literary fund.

1839—"An Act to divide the counties into school districts and for other purposes"—first Common School Law drawn by William W. Cherry. In the election of August 8, nearly every county voted favorably.

1852—Election of Calvin H. Wiley, first general superintendent of common schools.

1860—Plan of graded school system outlined at the annual meeting of the state educational association.

1864—Legislature passed graded school bill.

1865—Legislature recognized right of the negro to be educated. Establishment of: Shaw university, Raleigh, and Washington Seminary, Beaufort, the first institutions for negroes set up to offer courses above the elementary level.

1870—First public white graded school aided by money from a city treasury established in Greensboro.

1903—The Literary Fund set aside exclusively as a means of building and improving school houses.

1907—Legislature authorized the establishment of rural high schools and appropriated \$45,000 annually for their maintenance.

1914—The establishment of the first county training schools for negroes with the aid of the John F. Slater fund.

1915—By this date there was a public high school in every county. Publication of the first list of high schools accredited by the state university. The beginning of the Rosenwald Building Program for negro schools.

1917—State certification of teachers begun on a definite standard of training. Smith-Hughes act providing federal aid for the teaching of agriculture and home economics in public schools accepted. High schools declared by the supreme court to be a part of the public school system.

1918—Constitutional amendment passed setting up a minimum term of six months.

1919—The first accredited high schools for negroes, all attached to institution of higher learning—four state-supported and seven private. Aid on equipment in high schools from the general education board.

1920—First listing of high schools accredited by the state department of public instruction.

1921—The general assembly provided the first special building fund of \$5,000,000 to be loaned to the counties for building and equipping school houses. The establishment of the division of negro education in the state department of public instruction. The staff included a high school inspector of negro schools.

1923—Provisions made for county-wide organization of schools. The first public high schools for negroes were accredited by the state—Durham, Reidsville, Wilmington and Method.

1923—Beginning of Rosenwald aid on libraries and bus transportation in negro schools.

1931—Complete support for a term of six months of school assumed by the state.

1933—Complete support for a term of eight months of school assumed by the state.

Hopkins Not A Politician, But Important In Campaign

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The personality and policies of a youthful welfare worker who has never held—or even been a candidate for—an elective office bid fair to play a major part in the 1936 presidential campaign.

What Harry L. Hopkins says counts almost as much as what he does, and he's in the front line trenches of the "new deal war." Opposition attacks on him daily become more frequent and vigorous.

His friends and foes alike always remember that Hopkins has spent his entire life since college days as a social worker. But they sometimes forget he is not an ordinary social worker.

If he were he wouldn't have held an administration position—once called relief administrator, again director of the CWA, now termed works progress administrator—virtually second only to that of the president himself.

Eyes Still Flash
He's begun to get a trifle stout since the president summoned him here in May, 1933 to take charge of

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the first nation-wide relief program in history. His hair is a little thinner. But his eyes still flash when the work relief program is attacked, and he has yet to eliminate most of the un-social-worker words from his vocabulary.

Poker is his favorite recreation now that he hasn't time for tennis, and he told critics of "boondoggling" that they were "too damn dumb to appreciate the finer things of life."

Hopkins went to work with the Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor in New York City immediately after he was graduated from Grinnell college, in his native state of Iowa, in 1912. He had been director of the New York Tuberculosis and Health association for nine years when the governor of New York, Franklin D. Roosevelt, named him director of the state's new relief administration in 1931.

A cabbage weighing 20 1-2 pounds and measuring 51 inches in circumference was raised by Cohen Robertson of Lamar county Ala.

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Cherokee Hospital Board Is Selected

GAFFNEY, S. C., April 3.—Five of a board of seven to govern a proposed Cherokee county hospital have been selected by members of the county legislative delegation. The members already chosen are:

Dr. V. H. Lipscomb, former mayor; Mace Pennington, hotel man; Dr. R. C. Granberry, president of Limestone college; A. W. Love, Kings Creek merchant and member of the county sinking fund commission; and B. W. Humphries, Grassy Pond farmer and member of the county commission.

21 School Districts Have Longer Terms

RALEIGH, April 3.—Twelve North Carolina school districts are supplementing state school funds to the extent of around \$1,000,000 for the current term and several others

are considering tax supplements for next year. Raleigh township already has voted a special school levy, and Lloyd Griffin, executive secretary of the state school commission, said Greensboro, Salisbury, Reidsville, Goldsboro and possibly Guilford are considering elections.



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