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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1950

**Support TB Drive**

Only a short time remains for the County TB Seal Sale drive, and we urge local residents, who have not yet returned contributions to the county committee for the seals, to support this effort wholeheartedly.

The funds raised through this campaign are used to aid in fighting tuberculosis, which is still one of our worst diseases. Much progress has been made in combating TB, and funds you contribute this year will go a long way in helping to wipe out this killer.

Send in your contribution today and join your neighbors in the effort to stamp out tuberculosis.

**A Safety Measure**

Installation of a traffic light at Church and Grubb streets in Hertford last week, in our opinion, will solve a safety problem of long standing, and we hope will meet with approval of local residents to the extent there will be no complaints for removal.

In smaller towns there is often a desire on the part of motorists not to be hindered by such things as traffic lights; many complain there is no need for traffic control and controls work only to slow the flow of traffic.

We believe the situation to be the opposite insofar as Hertford is concerned. With most of our streets being narrow, and carrying a heavy traffic load almost constantly, we are of the opinion, for safety of pedestrians and motorists as well, that the town should take every step in providing sufficient traffic control to assure complete safety.

**A Price Plateau?**

Alan Valentine, chief of the new Federal Wage-Price Control Agency, observed to the Senate Banking Committee: "We must look for and find very soon a plateau where prices and wages are generally in balance . . . Once that point is reached, we must stabilize there and hold it."

He expressed the hope that the United States now is near such a point of balance.

John W. Snyder, Secretary of the Treasury, acknowledged before another committee that price and wage controls probably will have to be put into effect in order to prevent damaging inflation.

Mr. Valentine took note of the factor which most compels delay at the moment in imposing such regulations when he said the government has not yet mobilized a staff to carry out the controls if it wished to do so. The recruiting and organizing of such a staff should be pushed with greatest possible rapidity, for whether Americans like it or not, and whether a wage-price plateau can be found or not, it looks likely that such controls will be needed.

The very mention of the size of an administrative staff necessary indicates a major reason for wishing to postpone an economic freeze order as long as possible and to avoid it entirely if that can be done. As has been pointed out in these columns, willingness to bear heavy taxes, to cut non-defense spending, and to restrict sharply all kinds of credit are important contributions to this purpose.

Not only does that type of austerity help to avert direct wage and price controls if such controls can be averted, but it helps fundamentally to make price and wage controls workable if those controls have to be adopted.

—Christian Science Monitor

**SERVICEMEN VICTIMS OF ALLOTMENT RACKET**

New crop of bigamous women who victimize lonely, unsuspecting servicemen are at it again. Read how one girl married five sailors, without getting divorces, so she could collect their allotments, in "Allotment Annie's At It Again," in December 17 issue of

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**Legal Notices**

**NOTICE OF SALE**

Under and by virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of mortgage executed on the 8th day of January, 1941, by John Harrell, to Ben Harrell, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Perquimans County, N. C., in M. D. Book 22, page 96, default having been made in the conditions of said deed of Mortgage, the undersigned mortgagee will, on the 30th day of December, 1950, at 11:30 o'clock A. M., at the front door of Court House of Perquimans County, N. C., offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

First Tract: Bounded north by George W. Jackson estate and canal ditch, south by main road, west by J. B. Benton and canal ditch, containing 5 acres, more or less, the building lot. Second Tract: Beginning at and near a White Oak, said J. B. Benton and J. T. Wood's corner, thence north east by C. Umphlett's line to lead ditch, George Benton's corner, thence north west down lead ditch to another lead ditch running across the main line through the field; thence along said ditch in a southerly course to J. T. Wood's line and canal ditch to the White Oak, the place of beginning, containing 34 acres, more or less and being same land conveyed to W. M. Munden by deed from J. H. Harrell and wife. See deed recorded in deed book 12, page 59.

Third Tract: Also a small tract of woodland containing 2½ acres, more or less, situated on back of said J. H. Harrell's land, adjoining lands of Jesse Harrell, J. C. Wilson and the Henry Elliott land. For further description of all tracts see deed book 17, page 555, Public Registry of Perquimans County.

A deposit of 10% will be required of the successful bidder at the day of sale.

Dated and posted this 28th day of November, 1950.

BEN HARRELL

Mortgagee and holder of the note. By: CHAS. E. JOHNSON, Attorney for Ben Harrell.

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**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of J. T. Jackson, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at 608 Harding Street, Raleigh, N. C., on or before the 24th day of November, 1951, or this notice

will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 24th day of November, 1950. THOMAS U. JACKSON, Administrator of J. T. Jackson. dec1,8,15,22,29,Jan5

**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**

Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of R. L. Layden, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to exhibit them to the undersigned at 208 N. Road Street, Elizabeth City, N. C. on or before the 17th day of November, 1951 or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 17th day of November, 1950. RALPH LAYDEN, Administrator of R. L. Layden. Nov24,dec1,8,15,22,29

**PERQUIMANS COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION**

Notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held in the County of Perquimans, North Carolina, on January 6, 1951, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified voters of said county, the following proposition:

Shall the qualified voters of the County of Perquimans approve the bond order entitled "Bond Order Authorizing the issuance of \$175,000 School Bonds of the County of Perquimans," which was adopted by the Board of Commissioners on November 27, 1950, and which authorizes bonds of the County of Perquimans of the maximum aggregate principal amount of \$175,000 to finance the erection of new school plant facilities consisting of schoolhouses, physical education and vocational buildings and lunch rooms, and the erection of additions to and the alteration and reconstruction of such existing school facilities, and the acquisition of land, and purchase of furnishings and equipment required for such school plant facilities, in the Perquimans County School Administrative Unit, in order that the public schools in said County may be maintained as a part of the system of public schools of the state of North Carolina, and also authorizes the levy of an annual tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on the bonds authorized thereby; and approve the indebtedness to be incurred by the issuance of said bonds?

The polls for the election will be

open at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A. M., and will close at the hour of 6:30 P. M., Eastern Standard Time. The election will be held at the same polling places at which the last election was held in Perquimans County for the election of members of the General Assembly.

The Registration Books shall be opened for the registration of voters at 9:00 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, December 9, 1950, and shall be closed at Sunset on Saturday, December 23, 1950. On each day (Sundays excepted) during such period, the Registrar for each election precinct in the County will keep the book open between the hours of 9:00 o'clock A. M., and sunset for the registration of voters in such election precinct. On each Saturday during such period each Registrar will attend at the polling place in his election precinct between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M., and sunset for the registration of voters. By order of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Perquimans. Dated, November 27, 1950.

J. W. WARD,

Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Perquimans County, North Carolina Dec1,8,15



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**Notice of Sale**

The undersigned will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described chattels and farm equipment, at the farm of the late M. S. Smith, on the Durants Neck-Woodville Road, on Saturday, December 16, at 10 A. M. o'clock, rain or shine.

**FARM EQUIPMENT:** Including two horses, 1,100 and 1,400 pounds; 1 mule, 1,350 pounds; 1 International Riding Plow, complete with accessories; 1 Massey-Harris riding plow complete with accessories; 2 Haskett plows complete with cultivators, harrows and other accessories.

- 2 John Deere discs, 16-inch.
- 1 stalk cutter; 1 John Deere Weeder.
- 1 Combination Blackhawk planter, complete with seed plates.
- 1 Two-horse Hackney farm wagon.
- 1 Gates County cart.
- 1 John Deere 14-inch middle buster.
- 1 Moline 12-inch middle buster.
- 2 No. 8 turn plows; 2 small turn plows.
- 1 Cotton plow, with cotton works.
- 1 Hand seed drill, complete set of hoes shovels and rakes.
- 2 Small scalding pots; 1 large scalding pot and many other farm items too numerous to mention.

**HOUSEHOLD ARTICLES:** 1 maple living room suite, consisting of divan, two chairs and table; 1 steel utility cabinet; 1 walnut bedroom suite; 1 Sellers kitchen cabinet; 1 painted breakfast set, table and four chairs; 1 ice box, 50-pound capacity; 1 oak round center table, and many other household items too numerous to mention.

**MRS. M. S. SMITH**

Route 3—Box 173 Hertford, N. C.  
AUCTIONEER: S. D. BANKS