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"Our troubles will not be over tomorrow, but we are on our way and we are headed in the right direction."
—President Roosevelt.

THERE are those who claim that Prohibition brought "mean" liquor to the people and that repeal will bring back good liquor. The so-called good liquor will make a man just as drunk as any other kind, if we are to believe reliable citizens who lived in the good old days of "good" liquor.

AS NOV. 7 approaches the battle for votes between the Repealists and Anti-Repealists becomes more intense. Both sides are claiming the victory next Tuesday. Up and down the State from Manteo to Murphy the people are being harangued with arguments pro and con about the merits of Prohibition.

The one privilege that the average citizen has left is that of voting and every citizen should vote. No good citizen can escape the responsibility of casting his vote. There are two candidates on the ballot: one stands FOR repeal, and the other AGAINST repeal.

LAUREL SPRINGS NEWS

Miss Willie Reeves who was hurt in an auto accident recently, is not getting along very well.

Mrs. D. H. Fender entertained the Laurel Springs Bible Class with a Halloween party in her home Friday night. The home was decorated in true Halloween fashion and many games were enjoyed by all.

Believe it or not, Mrs. D. H. Fender has a rose bush set out last spring that bloomed last spring and now is blooming, and has several buds on it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jetter Jones, of Furches, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moxley Saturday evening.

Miss Becky Miller, who underwent an operation on her nose at Statesville, has returned home and is getting along as well as can be expected.

Robert Woodie of West Jefferson, visited in the home of Thelma Osborn over the week-end.

Mrs. Florence Myers, who has been disabled for a couple of weeks due to a bad fall, is somewhat better.

Mrs. Tommy Moxley sprained her ankle Saturday and is unable to get around very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fender visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Miller at Roans Creek Sunday.

Carolina And State Meet In Crucial Big Five Game

Fighting Brothers Clash On Home-Coming Program at Raleigh Saturday—Expect Fine Game.

Chapel Hill, Oct. 31—Football teams of Carolina and State clash at Raleigh next Saturday in one of the most crucial games of the present State championship race.

Since Carolina beat Davidson and State tied Wake Forest, the winner will be conceded the best chance of fighting it out with Duke for the title which the Blue Devils won last year when they registered their first victory over Carolina since 1893 by the score of 7 to 0.

In true brother fashion the teams of the two units of the Consolidated University save their best game and fight their hardest when they meet in their annual classic, and this year's contest, which finds them rated even in the pre-game forecasts, is not expected to be any exception.

Public Opinion

IS PROHIBITION A FAILURE?

Many people are questioning whether prohibition has been a failure or success. Let's consider a few facts. Prohibition was passed under the administration of one of our great political parties and handed over to the other great party to execute. Therefore many contend that it has not had a fair trial.

Another reason why prohibition may seem to be a failure is the increase in crime. This may be due to the fact that the population has increased. Also means of conveying news have become more prevalent. A few years ago the telephone and daily papers were considered rather a luxury.

Prohibition has not been a failure. Statistics show us that deaths from alcohol since prohibition, have decreased 42 per cent. General crime from drink has decreased 54 per cent.

Liquor, it is said, has caused more deaths, wrecked more homes, and blighted more lives than all the wars, pestilences and famines the world has ever known.

Give prohibition a square deal before repealing it. Think seriously and sanely before casting a vote. Think of the future of your loved ones and your country. Think of the prayer that pleads: "Lead us not into temptation."

"To every man there openeth a way, a ways and a way. The high soul climbs the highway and the low soul gropes the low. And inbetween on misty flats The rest drift to and fro. To every one there openeth a highway and a low.

And every man decideth the way his soul shall go." A CITIZEN.

GRID KNOTHOLE CLUB FORMED

McPherson, Kan., Oct. 21—A Knothole Club for youngsters up to the sixth grade has been organized here to eliminate "gate crashing" at college football games.

HARVARD STUDENTS SEEK JOBS

Cambridge, Mass., Oct. 21—Nearly 25 per cent of the undergraduate body of Harvard College have applied to Russell T. Sharpe, director of student employment, for work through which they might earn part of their expenses.

STONE STUNNED SHARK

Winthrop, Mass., Oct. 21—Arthur Sastonias saw a shark pursuing a school of smaller fish some distance off shore. He threw a stone at the shark, striking it on the head.

Sparta Hi School News

At the Chapel period on Friday morning, October 27th, the school was privileged to enjoy a contest conducted by Miss Lambert from her chorus classes of the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh grades.

Each class sang so exceptionally well and manifested a keen spirit of interest in its work that the contest was very close. The judges, three members of the high school faculty, decided to give the award for this month to the Seventh Grade.

Next week, Nov. 6-12, is American Education Week. The school has been very fortunate in securing the following speakers to address the student body at the Chapel hour.

HONOR ROLL FOR 2nd. MONTH

First Grade—Patsy Roy Burgess, Kathleen Byrd, Glen Duncan, Eva Edwards, Nada Landreth, Ruth Smith, Wynnagene Shaw, Thomas Zack Osborn, Alma Jean Blevins, Ruth Evans, Kathleen Harris, Irene Hendrix, Lorrene Hendrix.

Second Grade—Hattie Cook, Ruth Murray, Mary Ross, Annie Rose Reeves, Dorothy Truitt, Coy Chambers, Raymond Woodruff, Jack Sexton, Charles Tompkins, Clyde Wood, Ray Smith, Jr.

Third Grade—Dean Caudill, Aldean Shaw, John Underwood, Blanch Hendrix, Iris Poole, Doris Richardson, Clifton Edwards, James Settle, Virginia Gentry, Katherine McMillan, Ethel Poole, Bennie Spicer.

Fourth Grade—Emogene Choate, Anita Duncan, Margaret Sexton, Mildred Wagoner, David Easterling, Wanda Choate, Louise Miles, Elsie Wagoner, Jimmy Atwood, R. C. Mitchell.

Fifth Grade—Rose Wagoner, Lois M. Reeves, Monobelle Andrews, Guy McCann, Nellie Goodman, Texie Hoppers, Vern Smith.

Sixth Grade—Shirley McMillan, Emory Etta Reeves, Lewis Irwin, Bernice Andrews, Frances Wrench.

Seventh Grade—Alma York, Mary Underwood.

Eighth Grade—Sophia Choate, Lewis Jarvis, Pearl Besaul, Stella Billings, Jay Sexton, Ernest Edwards.

Ninth Grade—Ralph Evans, Kathleen Smith, Susie Osborn, Maxine Richardson, Imogene Miles, Lorraine Reeves, Madeline Wagoner, Reba Edwards, Grace York, Mary Cecil Higgins.

Tenth Grade—Everette Richardson, Edna Wals, Ernest Honaker, Madeline Smith, Jennie Hines, Leo Irwin, Ruth Hines.

Eleventh Grade—Bower Irwin, Johnson Sanders, Mildred Shores, Tom Black.

Auburn Favored To Stop Devil's Victory March

As Result of Last Week's Play, Duke Gets Role of Underdog in Game Saturday At Duke Stadium.

Durham, N. C., Nov. 1—As a result of the showing of the two teams last week, Duke University's undefeated Blue Devils will go into their game with Auburn's fine eleven in Duke Stadium Saturday as the underdogs.

It will be the second time this season that a team has been favored to defeat the Wademen. Last Saturday Auburn returned to form with a brilliant victory over a strong Tulane team while Duke was beating, but being outplayed, by Kentucky.

Duke's showing against the Wildcats was disappointing and was the first indication this season that the Blue Devils could be stopped.

That, coupled with the fact that three remaining foes on Duke's card—Auburn, North Carolina, and North Carolina State—will be playing inspired games when they come up to Duke means that defeat is hovering over the Blue Devil camp.

Auburn, Southern conference co-champions last year, will bring one of the finest teams in the Southeastern conference to Duke Stadium. After reverses by Georgia Tech, although Auburn outplayed them in every department of the game, and by George Washington, a strong eastern eleven, the Plainsmen showed for the first time this season the power that carried them to the heights of southern football last year by blasting Tulane's Green Wave, 13-7.

The Plainsmen will bring the greatest array of ball carriers that has ever been seen in this State.

WHY YOUR PAPER IS LATE

The management of The Times take this method of asking the subscribers to bear with us, owing to The Times' late appearance this issue. Due to handicaps with press which we are printing this issue "at home" with, we are a day late. But we hope to reach you on time next week.

Edwin Duncan Injured

About 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon Edwin Duncan received a serious injury in the left arm when he was struck by the rear of Vaughn's cattle truck on a curve near John A. Osborne's Store. Mr. Duncan was going toward Roaring Gap in his car and driving with his left arm resting on the car door.

Dr. Thompson said that he could not make a detailed examination on account of the suffering of the patient and that Mr. Duncan would be carried to a hospital for an X-Ray examination. Further details of the accident were not available as The Times went to press.

LAUREL SPRINGS ROUTE ONE

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bowers visited at J. S. Bower's Sunday.

Mrs. W. Bert Edwards, of Darlington, Md., is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. F. Thompson.

Miss Josie Petty has been visiting relatives at Independence, Va., for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Petty visited Mr. Emerson Petty over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tilley and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hendrix visited at G. A. Bower's Sunday.

Mr. C. M. Pruitt recently moved into his new residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Osborn, of Akron, Ohio, has recently been visiting his mother, Mrs. F. M. Osborn.

Those visiting Miss Josie Petty Sunday were: Misses Ida and Ina Edwards, Bradford Funk, Ralph Edwards, Sherman Jennings, and Miss Eva Bowers.

Fords Win In Mexican Automobile Race

The Ford cars—two V-8s and a 1931 "four"—won the first three places in the famous Laredo-Monterrey road race sponsored by the Mexican Automobile Association.

The two V-8s established the fastest time on record for the course. The third Ford won the same position in the class B event of the original road races which formally opened the new Pan-American highway between Laredo and Monterrey three years ago.

The race was won by Eddy Byers, a veteran figure in Texas and Oklahoma road race circles, in a Ford V-8, with an average speed for the 138.6 mile race of 78.25 miles per hour.

Byers staged a thrilling finish to win over Jimmie Davis, also driving a Ford V-8, who placed second, one minute and 14 seconds behind the winner. Jim Hall, of Houston, Texas, was third in a Ford Model A. Davis' average speed was 77.5 miles per hour, Hall's 73.1 miles per hour.

Speed Wagoner, a product of the eastern dirt tracks and a veteran of several years professional racing, was the only other driver to finish in the money, driving a Rockne Roadster to take fourth place. Other entrants including three Chevrolets, a Ford Model A, an Essex, a Chrysler and a motorcycle were disqualified or failed to finish.

Davis took second place after suffering a blowout 20 miles out from Laredo. Four minutes were required to make the tire change. Despite this Davis and his V-8 bettered all previous speed records for the course.

The performance of the three Fords in winning the first three places in the Mexican classic recalls the Ford victory in the stock car event at the Elgin National Road Races a month ago, when seven Ford V-8s took the first seven places in the famous event, Fred Frame, Indianapolis speed driver, in the winning Ford V-8 averaging 80.22 miles per hour for the 203-mile grind.

NOTICE!

NORTH CAROLINA, ALLEGHANY COUNTY—In The Superior Court Before The Clerk: J. K. Taylor, Administrator of Meridy Hill, Plaintiff, vs. John H. Hill, Mrs. Laura Spencer, Mrs. Margaret Eichell, Mrs. Louisa Pollock, and Harold Hill, Defendants.

The defendants above named will take notice that the action as entitled above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Alleghany County to sell the Meridy Hill land for the payment of debts of the estate.

The defendants, and each of them, is further notified that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County and answer or demur to the complaint in said action on or before the fifth day of November, 1933, or the relief demanded for the Plaintiff will be granted.

This October 28, 1933. A. F. REEVES, Clerk of the Superior Court.

SMITHEY'S The Place For Bargains VISIT OUR GROCERY DEPT. FOR SAVINGS IN GROCERIES
"QUEEN OF THE WEST" FLOUR (fresh, 100 lbs.) \$3.60
TWO lbs. PURE COFFEE, (fresh) .25c
FIVE lbs. SUGAR, .25c
EIGHT BOXES SODA .25c
ONE lb. LOOSE PEPPER .20c
100 lbs. SAUT, \$1.00

PRODUCE While the price of PRODUCE is very low, you have a better market here than in any town in the surrounding section. All you have to do is enquire. See for yourself that we have the best cash price on produce, and on the other hand you can save on all the MERCHANDISE you buy from SMITHEY'S! We have filled the Store full of new Merchandise at the lowest possible prices—Come in and look through our merchandise. Then figure up with your pencil just how much you can save!

WANTED Any quantity black walnut hulls. Must be absolutely dry. Will buy what You have. Smithey's Store SPARTA, North Carolina

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT

NORTH CAROLINA, ALLEGHANY COUNTY. Sidney Gambill, Administrator of the estate of J. W. Roup, deceased, vs. Mrs. Nannie Roup et al.

An upset bid having been made on the sale of the lands hereinafter described, which sale was made on the 30th day of October, 1933, I will, on Saturday, December 2nd, 1933, at the court house door at Sparta, N. C., at one o'clock P. M., sell to the highest bidder the following described land to-wit:

Lying and being in Alleghany county, said State, Prathers Creek Township, surrounded by the lands of Frank Roup, Floyd Roup, S. M. Caudill, Charlie Patterson, and others, being the old home place of the late J. W. Roup, containing 60 acres more or less.

Terms: One-half cash on day of sale. Balance on six months time. This November 1st, 1933. SIDNEY GAMBILL, Commissioner.

NOTICE OF SALE!

Under and by virtue of an execution issued out of the Superior Court of Alleghany County in favor of the Bank of Sparta as plaintiff and B. O. and Leif Choate as defendants, I will, on Monday, Nov. 13, 1933, at one o'clock P. M., at the court house at Sparta, N. C., to satisfy said execution, sell to the highest bidder for cash, the following real estate, to-wit:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning on a stake on Main Street of Sparta, N.C. running north 52 1/2 E. 100 feet to a stake; S. 42 1/2 W. 25 feet 10 inches to a wall; then N. 42 1/2 W. with wall 20 feet 2 1/2 inches to a stake; S. 51 1/4 E. through B. O. Choate's residence 74 feet 2 inches to a stake; N. 42 1/4 W. 41 feet 3 inches to the beginning; being the lot of land duly allotted to B. O. Choate as his homestead, the allotment being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in Book 6, Page 338.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning on a stake on Main Street of Sparta, running from the center of the walk leading to P. L. Choate's residence, S. 42 1/2 E. 52 feet east the street to a stake; N. 51 1/4 east 235 feet to a fence in B. O. Choate's line; N. 41 1/2 W. 52 feet to a stake in P. L. Choate's fence; S. 51 1/4 W. about 235 feet to the beginning; being the land allotted to B. O. Choate as his homestead, the allotment being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county in Book 6, Page 336.

This Oct. 16, 1933. R. B. McMILLAN, Sheriff.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA COUNTY OF ALLEGHANY.

Under and by virtue of authority contained in a deed of trust executed to the undersigned as trustee by W. Q. Higgins and wife, Docia Higgins, to secure the payment of \$752.46 payable \$100.00 per year until the whole is paid, with default in the payment of either installment or interest causing the whole to become immediately due and payable, which deed of trust is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Alleghany County in Book 16 page 281, and the payment of the said amount due thereon being in default, and demand having been made by the holder of the same for the sale of the said land conveyed therein, I will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the courthouse door at Sparta, N. C., on Monday, November 13, 1933, at one o'clock P. M. to satisfy the amount due and interest thereon the following real estate to-wit:

Being a certain tract or parcel of land in Gap Civil township adjoining the lands of J. W. Duncan, W. E. Collins, W. Q. Higgins, and others, containing about 55 acres. For a complete and full description reference is hereby made to a certain deed from W. M. Higgins to Quincey Higgins which deed is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Alleghany County in Book 39, Page 549.

This Oct. 16, 1933. EDWIN DUNCAN, Trustee.

TRUSTEE'S SALE

NORTH CAROLINA, ALLEGHANY COUNTY. By virtue of the power conferred in the undersigned, A. B. Steadham, Trustee, in a certain Deed of Trust executed by T. G. Richardson and wife, Annie Richardson, Jan. 13, 1930, recorded in Book 16, Page 90, in office of Register of Deeds, said County and State, securing the payment of a note in the amount of \$600.00 with interest, default having been made and demand for sale being made by the holder of said note, I will, on Friday, Dec. 1st, 1933, at 1 o'clock P. M., at the court house door in Sparta, Alleghany County, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate:

In Gap Civil Township, adjoining the lands of Bess Spicer, W. B. Estep, Ray Hampton and others, being the tract of land conveyed to T. G. Richardson by R. A. Wagoner and wife by deed dated Oct. 10, 1929, and registered in Book 39, page 143 in Alleghany County, to which record reference is made for a full and specific description; containing 67 and 56-100 acres, more or less.

This October 31, 1933. A. B. STEADHAM, Trustee.

NOTICE!

In The Superior Court—Before The Clerk NORTH CAROLINA, ALLEGHANY COUNTY. Verdie Pruitt, Plaintiff, vs. M. A. Pruitt, Defendant.

The defendant, M. A. Pruitt, in the above entitled action, will take notice that the action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior court of Alleghany County for support, alimony and divorce; the defendant will further take notice that a warrant of attachment has been issued in said action, and that his property in said county has been attached, and that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county and answer or demur to the complaint in said action on or before the ninth day of November, 1933, or the relief demanded in the complaint will be granted.

This Oct. 16, 1933. A. F. REEVES, Clerk of Superior Court.

See Castevens Motor Co. for radio batteries, tubes, and service.—adv.

BUY AT HOME!

RU-BALM for yours and baby's colds.—adv.

ROMAN CANDLES OUSTS BIRDS Independence, Mo., Oct. 21—Henry Totty, custodian of the courthouse here, is using a new weapon against public enemies. The weapon is a roman candle, the public enemy sparrows that invade trees around the courthouse.