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THURSDAY, JANUARY 28, 1926

IT'S UNFAIR COMPETITION

Newspapers, especially the smaller ones of the nation, are just now organizing a campaign to persuade Uncle Sam to refrain from printing return addresses on stamped envelopes at cost, in competition with the little printers. Under existing conditions, Uncle Sam hires salesmen in the persons of postal employees to solicit the business, write up the orders, transmit them to the printer, collect the bill and deliver the printed job at the consumer's postoffice for the small sum of 20c per 1000.

Why the smaller newspapers alone should be subjected to that kind of competition from their own government cannot be explained, and there is prospect that the printing service that the government has rendered practically free to users of the stamped envelopes, will be abolished by this session of Congress.

Other business enterprises that are perennially threatened with government competition below cost, if taxes and overhead are calculated, should join with the newspapers in the effort to get Uncle Sam out of the printing business for the general public, in competition with private enterprise; and thus strengthen the principle of confining government activities to the functions of government.

RAISING TREES BY REDUCING TAXATION

It has been stated on good authority that four times as much timber is consumed each year as is grown. Reforestation is the proper solution for our dwindling timber supply. But it is more easily preached than practiced, due to heavy taxes which consume all possible profits, long before the trees are marketable.

California is to vote at the next election on a constitutional amendment designed to relieve replanted timberlands from taxation until the trees are merchantable. This is a progressive move, and should be followed by other states.

RADIO WEEK—AROUND THE WORLD

International Radio Week is an annual event and is being held this year this week—January 24 to 30. Interest in it is more keen than usual, because it follows so closely upon the successful attempt made on New Year's to encircle the globe by radio.

On this occasion, music played in London was rebroadcast through nine stations in the United States to all parts of this country, Canada, Cuba, Bermuda, and South America; while a program from New York was picked up in England and Continental Europe and relayed to listeners abroad.

Perhaps the crowning achievement of this experiment, conducted by the Radio Corporation of America, was when engineers at the London station heard their own program rebroadcast from Schenectady, N. Y. The test was declared entirely satisfactory and demonstrated the ultimate possibility of uniting the world by radio.

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LUX 3 pkgs 28c	Aunt Jemima PANCAKE FLOUR 2 pkgs 25c	Esskay PURE LARD 17½c lb
PALMOLIVE SOAP 3 cakes 23c		Gibbs 3 glasses Assorted JELLY 25c
Log Cabin SYRUP Special 25c	Regular 25c Golden Sugar DATES Pound pkg 19c	M. B. C. Chocolate Fingers, lb 30c
MACARONI or SPAGHETTI 3 pkgs 25c		Santa Clara Sweet PRUNES 3 lbs 25c
Puree of TOMATO , 2 cans 11c		Mothers Joy ROLLED OATS 2 pkgs 15c

Mothers Joy SPECIAL BLEND COFFEE
Roasted Daily at Crook's Plant, 42c pound

CANDY SPECIAL Reg. 19c Broken Candy 2 lbs 25c
Reg. 23c Royal Mixture 19c lb

Choice Evaporated PEACHES 25c pound	Libbys Bulk PICKLES 30c dozen	Del Monte PEACHES (Halves) No. 2½ can 25c	Del Monte PINEAPPLE Sliced No. 2½ can 25c
Gorton's Clam Chowder 12c can	Heinz Tomato CATSUP 19c bottle	Kelloggs ALL BRAN 12c pkg	Wrigleys P. K. GUM New Package 4 pkgs 5c

FRESH FROM CROOK'S BAKERY

SATURDAY SPECIAL 3 layer Orange CAKE Iced with Frosted Cocoanut 49c ea	Extra Large WRAPPED BREAD 10c loaf

Fresh BREAD Large Loaf 7c	Real RYE BREAD 9c Loaf	Iced RAISIN BREAD 12c loaf	Butter BUNS dozen 16c

MONEY SAVING MEAT VALUES BELOW

Boneless Plate or Brisket ROAST 21c lb		FRESH LEG LAMB 39c
All cuts SIRLOIN STEAK 37c lb	SMOKED HAM Half or Whole 31c lb	All cuts Chuck ROAST 18c lb
Small Lean Smoked NECKS 35c lb		Fresh Liver PUDDING 20c lb

Try Our KRAUT 2 lbs per quart 12c

New Store Now Opening—ST. MICHAELS, Maryland

RIDGELY

Messrs. Frank and Fred Flounders, Orrell Saulsbury, Thompson and Mulford Swin and Harrison Holsinger attended the canners' convention held in Louisville, Kentucky, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Dean, son, John, and Mrs. Dean's sister, Miss Effie Samsel, have been spending a few days with their sister, Mrs. Helen Walston, Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Sparks and children, of Queen Anne, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Selby Smith.

Mr. Samuel Thomas lately visited friends at Wesley Collegiate Institute, Dover.

Mrs. Delaney, from Brooklyn, has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. T L.. Day.

Rev. George Fitz attended a special meeting of the Reformed Church Classes held in Baltimore last week.

Miss Mary Hobbs, of Denton, is teaching here in place of Miss Doterer, who resigned because of ill health.

Mrs. T. W. Jones has returned from a visit to Baltimore.

The cafeteria supper given by the finance committee of the Ladies Aid netted $50. The committee for March are arranging for a play.

Mrs. Frank Flounders is spending the week with relatives in Wilmington.

Miss Louise Gray, of Goldsboro, has been visiting Miss Margaret Swing.

Mrs. Alice Bennington motored to Chester recently and took with her Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bennington and sons, and Mrs. Lee Bennington and daughter. The party visited relatives.

Mrs. Mulford Swing has been visiting friends in Dover.

A card party for the benefit of the high school janitor was held at the home of Mrs. C. D. Lynch Tuesday afternoon.

Frederick G. Madara, law student at the University of Virginia, and son of Dr. J. C. Madara of Ridgely has been promoted from second to first lieutenant in the Reserve Corps, assigned to the 80th Division.

Mrs. Collins Brock national field secretary of the Wowan's Home Missionary society, made an address in the church house Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred H. Flounders is spending the week at the home of her uncle, Mr. Thomas Jarrell, Washington.

Mrs. Leonard McKnett and daughter have been visiting relatives in Oxford.

Miss Ruth Mitchell has accepted a position with duPont in Wilmington.

Miss Irma Imler, of Palmyra, New York, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Imler.

Mrs. Fred H. Flounders entertained the card club last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Holsinger were Philadelphia visitors last week.

A tractor school, illustrated by motion picture, was given last week by Mr. Calvin D. Lynch. The large crowd in attendance displayed much interest.

At the meeting of the stockholders of the Bank of Ridgely Mr. G. L. Wilson was re-elected cashier and Mr. H. E. Koeneman assistant. Two new directors Messrs. Ronald Lane and Roger Ringgold were elected to take the place of Messrs. H. L. Cooper and D. K. Crouse, resigned.

On Wednesday afternoon the Home Economics Department of the Ridgely high school had an exhibition of the work done during the year.

Dr. James P. Swing and Mr. Wilbur Clark, of Cambridge, were recent visitors at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Swing.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchell have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hubbard and daughter, of Federalsburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Percy, of Easton.

Mr. Keating Dever, of Hagerstown, has been visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. C. L. Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lane and Mr. Russell Swann made a motor trip to Baltimore last week.

Mrs. Mulford Swing reports over $61 from the sale of anti-tuberculosis stamps. These stamps were sold under auspices of the Woman's Community Club and Mrs. Swing had charge of the sale.

Mr. E. B. Carter and sister are touring throuh Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Clark are spending a few days in Baltimore.

Swing Bros. basket factory has closed until the first of March.

Our home talent players drew a large audience both Monday and Tuesday evenings to witness the drama "Mammy's Lil' White Lamb." All parts were well taken and much complimentary praise has been given this dramatic troupe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pelot, of Philadelphia, and Mr. Harry Simons, of Wilmington, have been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Simons.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

ORDER NISI

T. PLINY FISHER, Assignee
vs.
LULU B. FIFIELD and
NORRIS S. FIFIELD, her husband
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity, No. 2441

Ordered this 26th day of January, 1926, that the sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by T. Pliny Fisher, assignee, be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 2d day of April, 1926, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of four successive weeks before the 2d day of March, 1926.

The report states the amount of sales to be $6000.00.

GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk
True Copy—Test:
GEO. A. DEAKYNE, Clerk
28-4t

AUDITOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the matter of
LOLA V. REED, Lunatic
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County, in Equity

The undersigned, pursuant to an order of the Circuit Court for Caroline county, in Equity, hereby gives notice to all persons having claims against said Lola V. Reed, lunatic, to file their claims properly authenticated, with the Clerk of said court on or before the fifteenth day of February, nineteen hundred and twenty-six.

14-4t T. PLINY FISHER, Auditor

AUDITOR'S ORDER NISI

T. PLINY FISHER, Executor of the last Will and Testament of George R. Neal, Deceased, Assignee
vs.
JOHN W. WRIGHT and
HENRIETTA WRIGHT, his wife
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity No. 2405

Ordered this 28th day of January, 1926, that the Auditor's Report, made and filed in the above proceedings be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown within three weeks from the 28th day of January, 1926, provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of two successive weeks before the 9th day of February, 1926.

GEO. A. DEAKYNE,
True Copy—Test: Clerk
GEO. A. DEAKYNE,
28-2t Clerk

SPECIAL AUDITOR'S ORDER NISI

T. PLINY FISHER, Assignee
vs.
OSCAR CLARK and
CATHERINE CLARK, his wife
In the Circuit Court for Caroline County in Equity, No. 3002

Ordered this 28th day of January, 1926, that the Special auditor's second report made and filed in the above cause be ratified and confirmed unless good cause to the contrary be shown within three weeks from the 28th day of January, 1926 provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of two successive weeks before the 9th day of February, 1926.

GEO. A. DEAKYNE,
True Copy—Test: Clerk
GEO. A. DEAKYNE,
28-2t Clerk

VERNON

Mrs. Rebecca Jester has been very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William S. Smith.

Friends here have received word of the passing away of Harry Phleegor, husband of one of our former young ladies Miss Myra Hopkins. He was a farmer and resided near Wyoming.

Mrs. R. Wesley Ross was a recent Frederica visitor and attended the teachers' meeting there.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Ellers to Norman Walls has been announced. Both are popular young people and wishes are extended for a long and happy wedded life.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Frank Jester have been enjoying a visit to Wyanet, Ill.; Davenport, Ind., Niles, Mich., and St. Joseph, as well as Chicago, Ill. They are enjoying their trips immensely and have been sight-seeing every day.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Harrington have their second radio. Mr. Harrington, being very fond of music, is delighted with it.

The wedding of Miss Ann Smith of Wilmington and Byron Cade of Wilmington formerly of Denton, Md., has been announced. Miss Ann Smith has been residing with Mr. and Mrs. William S. Smith of Harrington. Both of the young people are very popular and have fine positions in Wilmington. Best wishes are extended.

The Parent Teacher Association of Laws school was held on Wednesday evening, January 20th, Mrs. Warrington presiding. A program of songs, recitations, dramatizations, a Swedish folk dance and a game by the pupils and a talk on "Improvement in Schools and Teaching," by Mrs. Ross were given. Seasonal work and colonial life were depicted on the blackboard, sand table, and bulletin boards, and posters on the library table. A large crowd was in attendance nearly 40 members having joined the association. Delicious refreshments were served. The date of the next meeting will be Wednesday evening, February 17 to which all are cordially invited.

The marriage of Miss Rella Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Brown and Stanley Wyatt, son of Robert Wyatt has been announced. Both are well like. Congratulations are extended.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

ASSIGNEES SALE —OF— REAL ESTATE

ON STATE ROAD NEAR GOLDSBORO

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage from Alexander Ross and Effa L. Ross to Fred R. Owens, dated December 3, 1907, and recorded in Liber L. B. T. No. 10, Folio 198, a mortgage record book for Caroline County, which said mortgage was by mesne assignments reassigned to Fred R. Owens the 20th day of May, 1925, which said asssignment is recorded at the foot of the aforesaid mortgage in the mortgage record book aforesaid; default having occurred in the terms of said mortgage, the undersigned assignee will sell at public sale in front of the Court House, in the town of Denton, Caroline County, State of Maryland, on

TUESDAY, FEB. 16

1926, between the hours of two and four o'clock P. M.

All that tract or parcel of land situate, lying and being on the north side of the County road leading from Hollingsworth Corner to Castle Hall, called by the name of Wright's Folly, beginning at a red oak, the original beginning of the whole tract, standing on the north side of said road three perches from the road, thence running north forty-three degrees east twenty-five perches, thence north twelve degrees west forty-three perches, thence north fifty-one degrees east ninety-one perches, thence south twelve degrees east eighteen and one-half perches, then south thirteen and one-half degrees west fifty-one perches to the aforesaid county road, thence with said road south fifty-six degrees west sixteen perches to the home line of said tract, thence south sixty-six degrees west three perches to the place of beginning, containing Five Acres of land be the same more or less. It being the same land conveyed by Catharine A. Kinnamon and husband to said Alexander Ross by deed dated March 2d, 1898, and recorded in Liber C. W. H. No. 64, Folio 10, etc., one of the land records for said county.

This proyerty is well located and is on the State Road leading from Goldsboro to Baltimore Corner.

TERMS OF SALE

One-half cash on day of sale and the balance in six months. Deferred payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured to the satisfaction of the undersigned; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Title papers and stamps at expense of the purchaser.

FRED R. OWENS, Assignee
L. F. Covey, Auctioneer 21-4t

Mrs. Publisher



Mrs. Gerald P. Nye, wife of the publisher Senator from North Dakota is visiting in Washington. Senator Nye gained his seat in the Senate in spite of vigorous opposition, which probably accounts for the smile of satisfaction Mrs. Nye wore when photographed.

Pop (to his bright infant)—What's wrong?

Son (12 years old)—I had a terrible scene with your wife.

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"Such curls your sister wears
How many maids have played for;
Now candidly, are they her own?"
"Oh, yes, they're hers and paid for."

—

Boy—Papa, what did prehistoric monsters look like?

Father—I don't know; ask your mother.

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He—Do you think you could learn to love me?

She—Well, I could tell better after the first lesson.

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Professor (in Zoo class)—We will now name all of the lower animals in their order, beginning with Mr. Jones.

Denton Cleaners & Dyers
WILL OPEN A
Cleaning and Pressing
Establishment
On S. Third St., DENTON, on
Saturday, Jan. 23d

In order to get you acquainted with this plant we are offering SPECIAL OPENING PRICES until February 1st, as follows

Suits Dry Cleaned and Pressed $1.00
Ladies' plain 1-piece Dresses, Dry Cleaned, Pressed 1.00

Spots removed from all clothing free of charge when pressed.

A Large Discount on all Made-to-Measure Suits and Overcoats. After February 1st all Prices will be as shown on Price List.

We are prepared to render the highest class of service in CLEANING, PRESSING, REPAIRING, ALTERATIONS, DYEING, PLAITING and REPLAITING.

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