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(By F. H. Williams.)

During the past few weeks considerable work has been done on the public roads of the county, which have improved them to a certain extent by placing them in a condition that will allow them to be traveled through the winter months. We do not wish to convey the idea that these conditions prevail over the whole of the county, but it is a fact that a considerable amount of work has been done on the roads in shape so they will be able to get away from home to market any time during the winter season when necessity demands. We had occasion this week to travel over a road in Providence that has been worked by Mr. J. M. Woodard as its overseer and were informed that this particular piece of road had not had any work done on it in the past twelve months, yet it was in good condition, proving beyond a doubt that the best working was well done. There is too much money spent on the roads of the county from which no benefit is derived. For instance, the last machine work done on the Carrollton and Reform road from the former place to Stansel. While the expenses to the county for this work would amount to something like ten dollars it was absolutely worthless. Some remedy is badly needed.

Rev. J. M. Wigley, recently assigned to the Reform circuit of Methodist churches, delivered his first sermon in Reform last Sunday and those who heard him seemed well pleased. Mr. Wigley came to this charge from Woodstock, where he served four years, and so well pleased was the Methodist of that place, the confer-

ence was petitioned to return him to that work. The Methodist of Reform are now raising a fund for the purchase of a parsonage. It is expected that at an early date the pastor and family will be housed in a residence located at that thriving city.

A small barn on the premises of John T. Allen in Reform was destroyed by fire last night. The barn was of incendiary origin. The fire was in close proximity to his dwelling, which was threatened by the flames, but heroic efforts on the part of the bucket brigade saved the home from any material damage.

Mr. E. L. Blissett returned Wednesday to his home in Tuscaloosa, after spending a few days in Carrollton with relatives and friends. Mr. Blissett resided in Carrollton for a number of years but moved to Tuscaloosa a short time since, and the ties of friendship formed while living in this county are not easily severed, hence his visits back to the old town.

Mrs. J. W. Cox returned to her home in Carrollton Wednesday afternoon from Columbus, where she attended the Golden Anniversary of the marriage of Col. and Mrs. C. L. Lincoln, which was celebrated in their home Tuesday. The Lincoln family is known to many in Pickens county to extend congratulations and best wishes.

A few days ago the writer was shown an ear of Baldwin corn raised on the farm of Mr. W. W. Beasley in the Dilburg section, which

weighed fourteen ounces and was planted on the nineteenth day of June. Mr. Beasley stated that he had eighty-five acres just as good as the one at exhibition.

Mr. T. T. Core, of Birmingham, has been spending this week in Carrollton, a guest in the home of his brother, Mr. C. C. Core, who is a clerk in the central office of Justice in the county and always enjoys a vacation rest from the arduous duties connected with his office.

Mr. S. M. Clark of Daney, is in Carrollton where he is attending the annual meeting of the Horticultural Association, which is in session in that city. Mr. Clark is interested in peach growing and is attending this meeting for the purpose of gathering information along these lines.

We are pleased to learn that the condition of Albert Hamiter is rapidly improving from a critical illness of the past week, and indications are that he will soon be enjoying his usual good health, which is very gratifying to the many friends of the family.

Mr. J. B. Summerville, of Cochrane, spent Thursday in Carrollton on business. Mr. Summerville has recently sold out his holdings in that section to parties in Memphis, Tenn., but has not fully made up his mind as to where he will locate after the transfer is made.

Miss Margaret Grogan, who has been holding a stenographic position with the Bank of Carrollton, has resigned and left Wednesday for Birmingham, where she will accept a like position. During her stay in Carrollton she made many friends who regret her departure.

Mr. R. S. Jones has been spending part of this week at his home in

the Pleasant Grove section, enjoying a stay with home folks and also putting in part of the time hunting.

Announcement has been made that Miss Katherine Walden, a charming young lady of Reform, will be married to Mr. Joe Phillips, of Jackson, on December 11th.

Not a prisoner is confined in the county jail at this time, five having been transferred to the state penitentiary last Tuesday to begin the sentences imposed by the court the past week.

Miss Katherine Walden and Miss Nancy Collins, popular young ladies of Reform, were pleasant visitors in Carrollton one day the early part of the week.

Miss Essie Phillips, who is teaching at Friendship, left Wednesday for Midway, where she was called to the bedside of a former schoolmate, who is reported to be dangerously ill.

Mr. D. C. Kirkland, of Aliceville, is transacting business in Birmingham this week. He was accompanied as far as Tuscaloosa by Mrs. Kirkland, who will spend the time in the Druid City.

Miss Nannice Spinks, of Reform, left Wednesday for Tuscaloosa, where she has accepted a position as stenographer in the garage of Mr. M. T. Harper.

Miss Lillian Clark arrived the first of the week from Nashville, Tenn., and is now connected with the Pickens County Auto Company as stenographer.

Messrs. W. W. Beasley and L. H. Beasley spent a part of this week with their parents at Kennedy, returning to their home in Carrollton Wednesday.

Mr. Sam Phillips, of Brooksville, Miss., came over Tuesday and spent a couple of days with relatives and friends in Carrollton, his former home.

Mr. George Collins, who is a student in the University of Alabama, spent the early part of the week with his parents in Reform, returning to his studies last Monday evening.

Mrs. Jane Latham left Monday for Columbus, where she goes to spend a time with her daughter, Mrs. John R. Laws.

The friends of Mr. W. G. Robertson are pleased to see him out after being confined at his home for a few days from an illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie H. Graham have returned to their home in Reform, after a pleasant visit to St. Louis.

Mrs. E. P. Neyman, of West Point, Miss., was a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Hugh W. Hill, the early part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Upchurch, Mr. and Mrs. Lauren Owings and Mrs. L. C. Funderburk spent Thursday in Columbus.

Miss Myrtle Williams has accepted a position with the Quality Shop and entered upon her duties Thursday.

Mr. W. F. Kilpatrick, of the State Line, was a business visitor in Carrollton Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Holmes left this week for Tennessee, where she expects to visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. J. M. Woodard, of Providence, was transacting business in Carrollton last Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. G. Cook, of Cochrane, have been spending a part of this week in Tuscaloosa.

Mr. A. H. Dabbs has been transacting business in Birmingham during the present week.

Mr. S. T. Shaw, of Aliceville, has been in Birmingham during the week on business.

Mr. W. L. Beasley, of Kennedy, is on a visit to relatives in Carrollton.

Mr. W. V. Curry is spending a few days in Tuscaloosa.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The State of Mississippi, Lowndes County. Letters of administration have been granted and issued to the undersigned upon the Estate of H. W. Savage deceased, by the Chancery Court of Lowndes County, Mississippi, on the 2nd day of Oct., A. D. 1919. This is to give notice to all persons having claims against said estate to probate and register same with the Chancery Clerk of Lowndes County, within one year from this date. A failure to so probate and register said claim will forever bar the same. MRS. M. A. SAVAGE, Administratrix. This Nov. 12, 1919. 11-16-4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

The State of Mississippi, Lowndes County. To Fire Association of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. You are commanded to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Lowndes in said State, on the 2nd Monday of November A. D. 1919, to defend the suit of The Independent Oil and Fertilizer Works, wherein you are a defendant. This 10th day of November A. D. 1919. B. A. LINCOLN, Clerk. 11-12-4w

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

The State of Mississippi, Lowndes County. Letters testamentary have been granted and issued to the undersigned upon the Estate of John Evans Thomas deceased, by the Chancery Court of Lowndes County, Mississippi, on the 7th day of Nov., A. D. 1919. This is to give notice to all persons having claims against said estate to probate and register same with the Chancery Clerk of Lowndes County, within one year from this date. A failure to so probate and register said claim will forever bar the same. DABNEY A. THOMAS, Executor. This Nov. 12, 1919. 11-16-4w

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

The State of Mississippi, County of Lowndes. By virtue of the power vested in me as Trustee in a certain Deed of Trust, made and delivered on the 11th day of July, 1917, by J. C. Hackleman & Son, a firm composed of J. C. Hackleman and Carroll Hackleman, to secure the payment of Edna Johnston of certain indebtedness therein mentioned and interest thereon, record of which said Deed of Trust is made in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County and State, in Deed Book numbered 107, Page 284, default having been made in the payment of interest on said indebtedness and a right of foreclosure thereby having accrued at the request of the said holder of said indebtedness, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the Court House Door in the town of Columbus, said State and County, on Wednesday, 26th day of November, 1919, within legal hours, the following property to-wit:

That lot in the City of Columbus, Mississippi, within the following bounds: A part of Square No. Three (3) North of Main Street, more fully described as follows: commencing at a point sixty-five (65) feet South of the North West corner of Lot ten (10) in said square (3) three and from this initial point running South along Market Street (now 5th street) twenty-four (24) feet, thence East (132) One hundred and thirty-two feet, thence North (24) twenty-four feet parallel with Market (now 5th street) thence West (132) one hundred and thirty-two feet to point of beginning. Said lot being part of Lots nine (9) and ten (10) in the said Square three (3) North of Main street and being leasehold property held by least two trustees of Franklin Academy for 99 years from August 1st, 1821, renewable forever. Together with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging and all rights of the said J. C. Hackleman and Son therein. The title to the above property believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as vested in me as Trustee under said Deed of Trust.

William Baldwin, Trustee. Columbus, Miss., Oct. 18, 1919. 10-19-4w

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

State of Mississippi, County of Lowndes. By virtue of the power vested in me as Trustee in a certain Deed of Trust made and delivered on the 22nd day of June, 1916, by Annie Davis and Florence Hunter to secure the payment to C. L. Ballentine of certain indebtedness there mentioned, record of which Deed is made in the office of the Chancery Clerk of said County and State, in Deed Book No. 107, page 24 and the conditions of said Trust Deed having been broken, and said indebtedness not paid, and having been requested by the owner and holder of said indebtedness, I, J. T. Roberson, Trustee, will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction within legal hours in front of the Courthouse door in the City of Columbus, on the 8th day of December, 1919, the following property to-wit:

The East half, commencing one hundred and ninety-eight (198) feet East from the Southwest corner of Block No. 2, running thence East one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet, thence North one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet, thence West one hundred and thirty-two feet, thence South one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet to point of beginning, being one half acre of land, as laid down and off on the map of Minters survey belonging to the estate of John Hall deceased, and being in section 15, Township 18, Range 18 West.

The title to the above property believed to be good, but I will convey only such title as vested in me as Trustee under said Deed of Trust. Columbus, Miss., November 7th, 1919. J. T. ROBERSON, Trustee. 11-12-19

NOTICE OF ELECTION.

Pursuant to the Proclamation of the Governor, Honorable Theo. G. Bilbo issued on the 15th day of November, 1919, and pursuant to law, notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held on Saturday, the Third Day of January, 1920, at the different voting precincts in Lowndes County, Mississippi, for the purpose of electing a Chancellor for the Sixth Chancery Court District, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Honorable A. Y. Woodward. At said election none but qualified elec-

tors will be allowed to vote and all the laws, rules and regulations pertaining to General Elections will apply to same. The following officers are hereby appointed to conduct said election:

District 1—Caledonia: C. L. Gaston, G. W. Myers, J. J. Andrews, Sr., Judges; J. T. Baxter and R. E. L. Smith, Clerks.

District 2—North Columbus: Battle Bell, J. A. Neilson, T. W. Belsher, Judges; W. C. Meek and John Wells, Clerks.

South Columbus: J. R. Randle, D. S. Cox, Sr., L. A. Vaughn, Judges; F. D. Ellis and W. M. Clark, Clerks. District 3—Old Zion: F. M. Vaughn, S. T. Sparks and John Golding, Judges; W. C. Boyd and Henry Davis, Clerks.

Mt. Vernon: R. M. Daves, R. B. Miller, G. A. Pullen, Judges; C. O. Shackelford and J. M. McCarty, Clerks.

Steens: T. W. Stinson, J. A. Dowdle, O. P. Brown, Judges; Ross Griffin and W. M. Smith, Clerks.

District 4—Trinity: J. L. Pratt, J. N. Bailey, J. T. Hairston, Judges; R. O. Hardy and Hugh Townsend, Clerks.

Crawford: G. W. Hairston, A. J. Erwin, Sr., J. O. Hinkle, Judges; M. B. Kemp, S. R. Ledbetter, Clerks.

District 5—Artesia: S. T. Pilkington, J. N. Roberts, J. V. Mitchell, Judges; Oscar McIlwain and F. R. Ragsdale, Clerks.

Mayhew: F. C. Smith, W. H. Castle, N. G. Fort, Judges; T. B. Thrower, T. A. Burgin, Clerks.

Thomas' Store: J. R. Thomas, R. W. Ervin, T. K. Swoope, Judges; J. D. Watson, J. M. Salter, Clerks.

The Judges of said Election are hereby authorized to appoint such officers to fill any place that may be vacant.

J. S. MARX, J. H. BRICKELL, A. H. KILPATRICK, Election Commissioners, Lowndes County, Mississippi.

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We are going to treat them, too, in order of timeliness, just as far as possible. For the aim of The Progressive Farmer, always, is to tell the subscriber just what he wants to know, just when he wants to know it, and in as few words as possible.

Here's the list of big problems we shall treat during the fall months, and the date on which each discussion will appear:

- November 1—Financing the Farmer: (Personal and Short-term Credit; Long Term Credit for Land Purchase; Avoiding "Time-prices," Utilizing National Farm Loan Association, etc.)
- November 8—Systems of Farming—Affecting Soil Fertility, Money Profits, Prosperity and Permanence of Rural Life.
- November 15—Arranging and Erecting Fences; Relative Values of Different Systems, Materials, etc.
- November 22—How to Reduce Land-washing to a Minimum. (Terracing, Ditching, Filling Land with Humus, Proper Use of Steep Hillsides, etc.)
- November 29—What Changes are Needed to Insure Better Health for Men, Women, and Children on the Farm?
- December 6—Winter Care and Feeding of Horses, Mules, Cattle and Pigs.
- December 13—Getting Rocks and Stumps out of the Land.
- December 20—How Farm Neighbors May Work Together for Greater Profits and Happiness.
- December 27—Business Methods on the Farm: (Inventories; Records; Accounts; Banking; Cost-keeping; Advertising; System in Correspondence and Making Sales, etc.)

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