

HIGHLAND COUNTY DIRECTORY.
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 Terms of Court—4th Tuesday in April, 2d Tuesday July, 2d Tuesday October.
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 Ben H. Colaw, Constable, Crabbottom, Va.
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 M. K. Simmons, Justice, Crabbottom, Monterey District.
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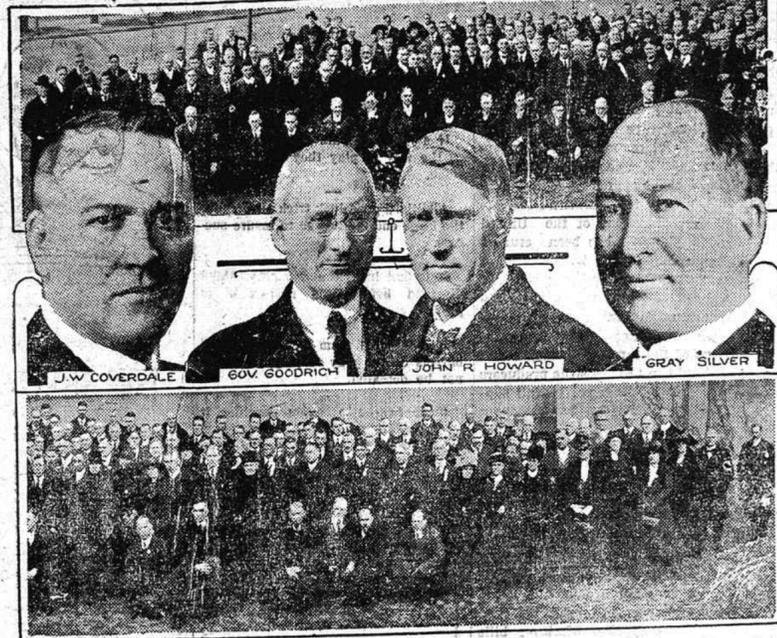
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FOR SALE
 Under authority of court decree I am offering for sale privately the following portions of the W. T. Alexander farm lying about a mile and a half south of McDowell in Highland county on both sides of the Bull Pasture River; First—526.79 acres on the east side of the river extending to the top of the mountain, and comprising a most valuable grazing tract. Second—90.4 acres of bottom land lying on the west side of the river, being excellent farming land. For further information apply to the undersigned at his office 9-11 Masonic Building, Staunton, Virginia.
 RUDOLPH BUMGARDNER, Commissioner
 Mention this paper in answering Adv.

FARMERS, TO FINANCE SELVES UNLESS FEDERAL SYSTEM CHANGES



Unless the government takes some immediate steps to finance the farmers in their pressing needs, the farmers may lay plans to create their own agricultural banks throughout the nation. This was the gist of proposed action at Indianapolis last week, when President James R. Howard called into convention the American Farm Bureau Federation, representing some thirteen million farmers. It asks that the federal reserve bank system be modified, which now loans money to dealers in farm commodities over which the producer has lost control and which glut the market due to the calling of his short-time loans. The total loss on farm commodities, including livestock, was estimated at ten billion dollars, as result of recent price declines. These first and exclusive pictures from Indianapolis show upper and lower panels, delegates to the convention: Center, left to right, J. W. Coverdale, national secretary of the A. F. B. F.; Governor Goodrich of Indiana; President, James R. Howard of the A. F. B. F., and Gray Silver, Washington representative of the American Farm Bureaus.

We have just received a large assortment of Aluminum ware—something useful that will make nice Xmas presents. Highland Mer. Co.

**CADDOCK AFTER MAT
TITLE AGAIN**



Earl Caddock of Iowa, former world heavyweight wrestling champion, the only American heavyweight matman to enlist and fight in France during the war, is on the warpath again. After a rest on his Montana ranch he has started out to regain his title, now held by Joe Stecher of Nebraska. Gene Melady, Omaha stockman, is still managing the former champ.

DETROIT VALUES ITS TREES

Newspaper Pays Tribute to Thoughtfulness of the Early Settlers Who Planted Them.

If a woman's crowning glory is her hair, a city's is its trees. Detroit is particularly fortunate in the preservation of its splendid tree-lined corridors, and it is a proof of the thoroughness of earlier citizens that they saw the beauty which nature had provided, and carefully preserved it for the glory of the metropolis to come.

Imagine, for one minute, Second boulevard, or any other prominent thoroughfare of your acquaintance, stripped of its curtain of leaves and boughs! It is too harsh even to contemplate.

If you could view the city from the top of one of its tallest buildings, you would obtain an even more impressive lesson in just how much of Detroit is sheltered and enhanced by its trees.

The department of parks and boulevards declares rescue work is imperative to save the elms; it is a matter on which every citizen can unite. The work should be done, and doubtless will be done, with the indorsement and eager co-operation of every citizen.

For Detroit to permit her handsome trees to perish would be nothing less than a crime against the bounty of nature.—Detroit News.

Keep on Planting Trees.
 As an asset to any piece of property, a tree or trees can not be overestimated. The moment a tree is planted the value of a piece of property is increased. As Mr. Kennedy says to the boys, "time goes on just the same," so why not plant some trees. The tree-planting campaign that is occupying the attention of the country right now has taken on many phases, and in each of these phases the value of the property is being increased whether it be a school yard or a "Road of Remembrance," such as is being planted with memorial trees in many parts of the country. A properly planted road means better transportation to or from or between towns. That all means better business, better living conditions, and a better country.—Sheldo, Ridsdale in National Property Owner.

BELIEFS ABOUT BIRDS

It is lucky to see a crow sitting on one leg.
 Rooks building in a house is a sign of prosperity.
 When crows forsake a flock it is a sign of famine.
 To see a crow flying alone is a sign of disappointment.
 It is bad luck to drive a dove or pigeon out of the house.
 Pigeons flying in a ring over a body of water give a sign of rain.
 There is a widespread belief in the ominous croaking of the crow.
 If the first crow you see in the spring is flying, you will soon take a journey.
 If rooks desert a rookery, it is a sign of the downfall of the family to whom it belongs.
 When you see crows flying and crying in the early fall, prepare for winter, for it is a sign of cold weather.
 When pigeons stand in a perfect row on the ridge pole of a house it is a sign of receiving a present within a week.
 When the doves around the dovecote make a more than ordinary cooing and pass incessantly in and out of their cootes, it is a sure sign that there is to be a change of weather.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

Forbear to judge for we are sinners all.—Shakespeare.
 Heaven never helps the man who will not act.—Sophocles.
 We enjoy thoroughly only the pleasure that we give.—Dumas.
 To be angry is to revenge the faults of others on ourselves.—Pope.
 We hand folks over to God's mercy and show none ourselves.—George Eliot.
 No one is useless in this world who lightens the burden of it for another.—Dickens.
 Accuracy is the twin brother of honesty; inaccuracy, of dishonesty.—C. Simmons.
 The fire you kindle for your enemy often burns yourself more than him.—Chinese Proverb.
 Act well at the moment and you have performed a good action for all for all eternity.—Lavater.
 The gem cannot be polished without friction, nor man perfected without trials.—Chinese Proverb.
 They who scatter with one hand, gather with two, not always in coin, but in kind, nothing multiplies so much as kindness.—Wray.

SENTENCE SERMONS

If laziness—physical, intellectual and moral—is not originally sin, it lies very close to the source.—H. C. King.
 There is something higher than happiness—the blessedness of being good and doing good.—Anon.
 If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye; for the spirit of glory and of God resteth upon you.—Saint Peter.
 Never to tire, never to grow cold; to be patient, sympathetic, tender; to look for the budding flower and the opening heart; to hope always; like God to love always—this is duty.—Amiel.
 Things which never could have made a man happy, develop a power to make him strong; strength and not happiness, or rather only that happiness which comes by strength is the end of human living.—Phillips Brooks.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

The principal ingredient in luck is common sense.
 No person is so rich that he can afford to lose a friend.
 Character, like gold, is acceptable currency in all countries.
 It is so easy to find fault that self-respecting persons ought to be ashamed to waste their energies in that way.

BEAR IN MIND

A two-faced man usually tells barefaced lies.
 If you want to make life a harmony, hit the note "Do!"
 Hot air is all right for a balloon, but all wrong for a man.
 Some good harvest hands could be found in the baseball camp.
 The Jersey is a butter cow, but she doesn't give buttermilk.
 Good stuff sells at a good price when poor stuff will not sell at all.
 Trimming the horse's toe nails is one of the jobs that should not be forgotten.
 When it comes to jumping, the toad has the college athlete beaten to a frazzle.
 In this great and glorious country everybody may be a candidate for president.
 Good legume hay—alfalfa, clover, soybeans, cowpeas—reduces the grain bill.
 Every man ought to have a wife, and if he treats her right he is not likely to need another.

WORDS OF WISE MEN

A hated government does not last long.—Seneca.
 A barley corn is better than a diamond to a cock.
 A new broom is good for three days.—Italian proverb.
 A rich bride goes young to the church.—German proverb.
 A little of everything is nothing in the main.—French proverb.
 That is a bad bridge that is shorter than the stream.—German proverb.
 The Persians say of noisy, meaningless talk, "I hear the sound of a millstone, but I see no meal."

**TWO NEW SECURITIES
ISSUED NEXT YEAR BY
U. S. TREASURY**

Will Complete Line of Government Savings Securities and Place Savings Movement on Peace Basis.

Completing the line of government savings securities and placing treasury savings movement on a peace-time basis, two new treasury securities will be issued during the coming year, says a recent announcement from Secretary Hoag. The new issues will be a \$1 Treasury Savings Stamp and a \$25 Treasury Savings Certificate. The \$1 stamp, which will be non-interest bearing, is to be bright red in color and to bear the portrait of Alexander Hamilton, first Secretary of the Treasury. The \$25 certificate will be similar in design and terms to the \$100 and \$1,000 Treasury Savings Certificates which will also be offered in 1921, to mature January 1, 1926.

The new securities will supply a \$2 unit for saving, and a registered government security in the \$25 denomination which can be conveniently purchased through the accumulation of the \$1 stamps. The small denomination war-time securities—the Savings Stamp, in a 1921 series, the 25 cent Thrift Stamp—will be offered during the coming year, the registered Treasury Savings Certificates in \$100 and \$1,000 denominations.

Demand Continues Strong. Notwithstanding the reaction of the armistice from habits of Secretary Hoag said that demand for savings securities continued strong in many countries, and that he believed the security markets begetted treasury savings securities interest at 4 per cent quarterly, exempt from taxes and from the normal come tax, and redeemable on demand, should probably be attractive, particularly to small investors.

With these considerations the Treasury is committed to the continued sale of government securities, and feels on sales of savings securities, at post-war, throughout the country, an increasingly important current financing of the government. To this end, the Treasury is committed to the continued work of the Savings Division, and in the several reserve districts. This organization endeavors to promote the government savings securities, and to protect the market for Liberty Bonds, Notes and other war issue securities. It also makes efforts of all helpful agencies, financial, industrial, commercial and broad savings campaigns, to maintain the habits of saving investment in United States securities. Its work along this organization for this division headquarters in Richmond, Virginia, and its activities in Maryland, North and South Carolina.

Organizations Continue Requests that the continued and offer of education in the movement received from national including the American Labor, nearly every nation of prominent States, and professional organizations, as well as successful in the schools. In response to the demands Savings Division will intensify its campaign to spread broad essential facts relative to war spending and investment continued development of the Treasury securities. The \$1 Treasury Savings Stamp and the \$25 Treasury Savings Certificate come as a result of work in the great industrial country. This campaign that workers like a 31 and that they are seeking security of the \$25 Treasury Savings Stamp. The 25 cent Thrift Stamp, War Savings Stamp, gained a strong foothold in schools of the nation, continued during 1921 in preparation American youth may have the opportunity to become an active part of the business of his government. The 1921 War Savings Stamp maturity value will be more than the 1920 issue, will be colored, and will bear the portrait of Lincoln. The 25 cent stamp will be unchanged.

Ask your employer to buy Liberty Bonds and take advantage of the present opportunity. Or save up until you buy a \$50 bond. War will help you save.

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HE'S MIGHTY GOOD OF BROTHER WARREN

Mrs. Carolyn Votaw

When President-elect Harding reached Washington for his last appearance in the Senate, one of the first to greet him was his sister, Carolyn. She is Mrs. Votaw, head of the Social Service Department in the U. S. Health Department. This picture was taken as she called at the McLean residence, where the Hardings stayed during the three days spent there.

Preparation of Annual Lawn.
 The annual lawn, which is necessary in some cases preparatory to the making of the permanent lawn, may be made by seeding with Italian rye sown either in fall or spring at the rate of two bushels per acre. When properly cared for this will make a beautiful green silt to eight weeks from seeding. It is imperative that this grass be cut when it has reached a height of three to four inches; otherwise the lawn will be unattractive.

Find Old Roman Tombs.
 Four Roman tombs, built in the third century and containing golden objects, urns, glass work, pottery and bones, have been found in a gravel pit near Heerlen in Dutch Limburg. Many of the things are of great scientific value and further excavations are being made.

Killing Flies With Formaldehyde.
 To kill flies with a solution of formalin or formaldehyde in water the method is: Put a teaspoonful of formaldehyde into a quarter of a pint of water and expose in the room. This quantity is enough to kill all the flies in one room.

NOTICE—I have a good sawing equipment for sawing your winter wood etc. and will be pleased to have your order.
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