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RATIFCATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County :
August Term, 1910.

Estate of Nicholas D. Norris, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 15th day of August, 1910, that the sale of Real Estate of Nicholas D. Norris, late of Carroll county, deceased, made by N. Dorsey Norris and Henry O. Norris, Executors, of the last Will and Testament of said deceased, and this day reported to this Court by the said Executors, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 3rd Monday, 19th day of September next ; provided a copy of this Order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll county, before the 2nd Monday, 12th day of September, next. The report states the amount of sale to be $3,400.00.

JOHN E. ECKENRODE,
WILLIAM L. RICHARDS,
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RATIFCATION NOTICE.

In the Orphans' Court of Carroll County.
August Term, 1910.

Estate of Nelson Mitten, deceased.

On application, it is ordered, this 16th day of August, 1910, that the sale of Real Estate of Nelson Mitten, late of Carroll county, deceased, made by Christiana R. Mitten, Administratrix, D. B. N. C. T. A. of said deceased, and this day reported to this Court by the said Admx. d. b. n. c. t. a., be ratified and confirmed, unless cause be shown to the contrary on or before the 3rd Monday, 19th day of September next ; provided a copy of this Order be inserted for three successive weeks in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll county, before the 2nd Monday, 12th day of September, next. The report states the amount of sale to be $2,045.00.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOME AT BIRD HILL AND 13 TIMBER LOTS NEAR SMALLWOOD

In Carroll County Maryland.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll county, in No. 4540 Equity, wherein Wm. B. Nelson et al. are plaintiffs and John F. Nelson et al are defendants, the undersigned, trustees, will offer at Public Sale, on each of the premises below described on

SATURDAY, September 3rd,

1910, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following properties of which John W. Nelson and Mary A. Nelson his wife, died seized and possessed, in the following order :

1st. All that parcel of Land containing 18¼ ACRES, more or less,

improved with a Two-story House, Barn and outbuildings situate in the Village of Bird Hill, in Woolery's district, adjoining the lands of Wm. Baker, John Davis and Laban Ogg.

2nd. At 2 o'clock P. M., the 13 Timber Lots will be offered for sale, on the lots, containing in the aggregate about

88 ACRES OF THE BEST TIMBER

in Carroll county. situate about 1 mile south of Smallwood, on and near the county road leading from Smallwood to Gamber, adjoining the lands of Wm. F. Frick, Harry C. Frick, Frederick Magins and George Mengel.

Two of the Lots lie on the west side of the roadway leading from said county road to Wm. F. Frick's, one containing

12 ACRES, 1 ROOD AND 26 PERCHES,

and the other 84 ACRES ; being part of the same land conveyed to John W. Nelson by Wm. H. Orndoff et. al. by deed dated September 13th, 1878, recorded in liber F. T. S. No. 50, folio 291.

The other 11 Lots lie on the east side of said roadway leading to Wm. F. Frick's, each containing from

5 TO 7 ACRES, more or less,

aggregating 68¼ acres, more or less, and being the same Timber land conveyed to John W. Nelson by Nicholas Ogg and wife, by deed dated April 20th, 1880, and recorded in liber F. T. S No 53, folio 248.

All of these Lots were surveyed and platted by the County Surveyor on August 1st, 1910, a copy of which plat will be given to any person applying to Ivan L. Hoff, Attorney. These Lots are all marked and numbered so that each Wood Lot can be easily located and seen by purchasers, a copy of which plat is also posted on the roadway leading through said lots.

The two Lots adjoining the county road will be offered separately and collectively and sold in the manner in which the greatest sum can be realized.

The other eleven Lots on the east side of the road leading to Wm. F. Frick's will be offered separately and collectively and sold in the manner in which the greatest sum can be realized.

TERMS OF SALE.—One third cash upon the day of sale or on the ratification of sale by the Court, and the residue in two equal payments of 1 and 2 years from day of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser ; credit payments to bear interest from day of sale and to be secured by notes of purchaser with approved security.

WILLIAM R. NELSON,
EDWARD O. WEANT,
Trustees.

Ivan L. Hoff, Attorney.
Elias N. Davis, Auct.
aug 12 4t

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

NO. 4333 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County, sitting as a Court of Equity.

Estelia Fox and McClure Fox, her husband, vs. John Trayer and ——— Trayer, his wife, if married, and the unknown heirs of John Trayer, if any, and The Manchester Bank, a body corporate of Carroll County, State of Maryland, mortgagee of Eugene Trayer, deceased

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for a sale of certain real estate situate, lying and being principally in Carroll County and partly in Howard County, Maryland, which is described in a deed from William L. Hammond and wife to Eugene Trayer, said deed being dated April 10th, 1902, and duly recorded among the real estate records of Carroll County, Maryland, in Liber J. H. B. No. 95, folio 381, &c.

The Bill states that Eugene Trayer died intestate, seized and possessed of the real estate mentioned in the above recited deed, said real estate being situate, lying and being principally in Carroll County, Maryland, and partly in Howard County, Maryland, and that the said Eugene Trayer left surviving him no lawful decendent or decendants or no wife or widow, and that the plaintiff, Estella Fox, is a sister of the full blood of the same Eugene Trayer, deceased.

That a brother of the said Eugene Trayer, named John Trayer, left the State of Maryland many years ago and has not been heard of for a long period of time, about fifteen years, and that the complainants do not know if the said John Trayer ever married or if he left any widow surviving him. if he is dead, or any decendant or decendants as heirs at law, if so, they and their residence are unknown to the complainants ; and that if the said John Trayer is living, he is a non-resident of the State of Maryland, and when last heard of was a resident of the State of Arizona.

That on the 7th day of April, 1908, the said Eugene Trayer executed a mortgage upon the said real estate to The Manchester Bank, a body corporate of the State of Maryland, having its principal office and place of business in Carroll County, Md. and which said mortgage as appears from record, is a lien upon said real estate.

The Bill further states —That the said John Trayer, if living, is above the age of twenty-one years ; that the real estate described in said mentioned deed is not susceptible of partition without material loss and injury to the parties entitled to interests therein, and it will be necessary that said real estate be sold in order to make division of the same amongst the parties entitled to interests therein.

Said Bill also states.—That if the said John Trayer is dead and left surviving him any infant child or children or infant decendents of said child or children, it will be to the benefit and advantage of said infants to sell the said real estate and to invest the proceeds thereof in some productive fund for his, her or their benefit.

And the Bill prays for the following relief:—

1st. That a decree may be passed for the sale of said real estate.

2nd. That the proceeds arising from said sale may be distributed amongst the parties entitled according to their respective rights and interests.

3rd. And for general relief in the premises.

It is thereupon this 17th day of August, 1910, ordered by the Circuit Court for Carroll county, Maryland, sitting as a Court of Equity, and by the authority thereof, that the Complainants, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper, published in said Carroll county, once in each of four successive weeks before the 19th day of September, 1910, give notice to the said absent defendants of the object and substance of this Bill, warning them to appear in this Court, in person or by solicitor, on or before the 5th day of October, 1910, next to show cause, if any they have, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

True Copy,—Test :
OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

au 19 5t.

NO. 4540 EQUITY.

In the Circuit Court for Carroll County sitting in Equity.

William B. Nelson et al Plaintiffs
vs
John F. Nelson et al. Defendants

Ordered this 18th day of August, A. D., 1910 that the sales of the properties mentioned in these proceedings made and reported by William B. Nelson and Edward O. Weant, trustees, be ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 19th day of September next. Provided a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Carroll county, once in each of three successive weeks before the 12th day of September next. The report states the amount of the sales to be $1705 00.

OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

True Copy.—Test :
OSCAR D. GILBERT, Clerk.

aug 19 3t.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

This is to give notice that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Carroll county, Md., letters Testamentary on the estate of

LEWIS P. MANNING,

late of Carroll county, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of March, 1911, they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 19th day of August, 1910.

EMILY J. MANNING,
Executrix.

aug. 19 4t.

ECONOMIC VALUE OF BIRDS.

H. A. Crafts, in Scientific American, August 27th, 1910.

California has just established a State bird farm near Hayward, Alameda county. Its first object is to breed game birds for the stocking of the forests. ranges and covers of the State, for the benefit of sportsmen ; but it promises to have other and more far-reaching effects.

The species at first to be propagated consist of pheasants, partrides, bob-whites and wild turkeys, but it is the intention of the State in time to breed song-birds as well.

As the State has an area of more than 153,000 square miles, and the bulk of this area being wild land, it may be plainly seen that the field is very large, and offers great possibilities in the line of bird culture.

Next to the sportsmen, the farmers of the State will become interested in the movement. In the first place it is the intention of the promoters of the scheme to have the game laws amended so as to permit the farmers to raise pheasants and other birds for commercial purposes.

But far and away beyond this interest comes that of a possible conquest of the insect-pest evils that afflict the State. By reason of its mild and equable climate California is a very favorable field for the rapid increase of insect life, and the wild birds being scarce, the injurious insects have in the past become a host, and have caused millions of dollars damages to the fruit growers.

And in order to keep these insect pests under anything like reasonable control the State is obliged to maintain one of the most extensive horticultural quarantine departments in the world ; to use vast amounts of sprays and fumigants and to maintain a parasitic system that is a wonder of modern industrial history.

Yet, with all the repressive measures employed, the losses from insect-pests are very large annually, and the propagation of wild birds should be hailed by the farmers of the State as a hopeful sign for the future.

Briefly, the bird farm is supported by funds derived from the State treasury, and is under the general supervision of the State Game and Fish Commission. It consists at present of forty-two acres, but will soon be enlarged to one hundred.

The breeding of young birds was begun last year, and it is expected that by another year the farm will be in a position to turn out from 4,000 to 8,000 annually. The young birds will be distributed over the State as evenly as possible, and will be given out to approved applicants, in bunches of fifty to one hundred. No applicant will be given any birds until his reliability has been established and not before he has pledged himself to care for and protect the fledglings previous to becoming established in their new abodes.

The farm has been fitted up with necessary buildings, including superintendent's residence, barn, water tank, etc., besides fifty pens in which to keep the breeding birds.

The pheasants used for breeding purposes were all imported from Europe, and the bird that seems destined to become most popular in the State is the Hungarian pheasant. The wild turkeys used are obtained from Old Mexico and consist of two species, one a small kind, not much larger than a common grouse, and another of the ordinary size.

The breeding females of the various species under care lay their eggs in the pens quite promiscuously, and the eggs are gathered by the keeper and placed under common hens for hatching. Of these hens the farm has a flock of 225, and they are of the White and Barred Plymouth Rock strains.

After hatching, the chicks are allowed to run with their foster mothers for a period of two months. Then they are taken away and placed in pens by themselves until ready to liberate.

Great care has to be exercised in the rearing of these young fowls. At first they are fed on maggots, and the grubs have to be propagated on the farm. They are also fed on milk curds.

Brooders with outside runs are used and the brooders are moved every day in order that strict sanitary rules may be observed. The birds, both young and old, are given fresh water daily, and plenty of it.

But the California climate is very favorable to bird life and it is expected that the work of stocking the State will go rapidly on.

Possibly a few farmers and gardeners will get the idea that so many wild birds will be a menace to their crops, but when the benefits to be derived by the farmers and fruit growers at large, in the way of insect-pest control, are weighed against the possible damage, it will be found that the latter becomes comparatively insignificant.

This truth has been no clearer shown than by a paper read by W. R. McIntosh of Fresno during the session of a recent fruit-growers' convention. Among other things, Mr. McIntosh set forth that:

"Nowhere in the material universe do we find a more interesting and beautiful law of balance and harmony than formerly existed in the lives of insects and wild birds. Insects are justly regarded everywhere as the enemies of agriculture. Their destroyers—the birds—must therefore be the farmers' best friends. So long as nature held undisputed sway our friends kept our enemies in check, and small damage resulted to growing crops, and the husbandman was fairly secure in his calling.

"In the destruction of the home of wild birds—the forests—by ax and fire, and the wanton and cruel slaughter of birds in the name of sport, the relations and harmony of nature have been undermined and the balance destroyed. Wild birds are decreasing to an alarming extent in every part of the United States. Injurious insects, as might have been expected, are therefore on the increase in a similar ratio. So striking has been the increase of insect depredations on fruit trees and growing crops of late years that the appeal of the farmers everywhere for relief is constantly on the increase.

"Scientists are searching every part of the known world for insect-destroying parasites, while millions of dollars are being spent yearly in a vain attempt to check the ever-increasing ravages of these enemies of agriculture, horticulture, viticulture and gardening.

"The menace to successful agriculture is not comprised in insects alone. The rodents and noxious weeds must engage the constant attention of the farmer. Here again the feathered friends of the farmer find ample scope for usefulness to mankind. The hawks, owls, shrikes, and eagles live almost altogether upon the rodent enemies of the farmer, while the seed-eating birds—the sparrows, finches, buntings and grosbeaks—comprise more than one-seventh of the North American species of birds.

"Data gathered by the United States Department of Agriculture show that the annual tax paid to insect depredations exceeds the annual expenditure of the National Government, including the pension roll and the maintenance of the army and navy. In one year a single species of insect—the chinch bug—caused a loss of $60,000,000 and the Hessian fly caused a loss of $24,000,000 in two States in one year.

"The average annual loss to apple-growers from the codling moth is $20,000,000 and millions of dollars are lost each year from attacks of boll weevil, corn-root worm, cotton worm, web worm, canker worm, bark beetle, plant lice, warble fly and hundreds of other creepers and crawlers, each multiplying after its own kind and at the rate of millions a minute and every one of them hungry from start to finish.

"Practically, we are told, every kind of plant has certain insects that naturally feed upon it and tend to hold it in check, and as man produces more of a certain kind of plant nature produces insects to destroy it. In many instances the withdrawal of the natural food of some species of insects forces them to take to another, which may be a cultivated crop.

"It is here that the birds if undisturbed come in to maintain the balance. To kill birds is to allow these insect pests to increase and destroy the cultivated crops to which they have been turned from their natural food."

Already the farm has received more applications for young birds than can be filled in years, and to show the benefits to be derived from them, in the anticipations of many of the farmers, a single instance may be given : Up in Marin County there is a big ranch company owning and operating 11,000 acres of land in a single body, and it is engaged in dairying, cheesemaking and apple growing. One man is employed to ride over the ranch constantly to see that all is running right.

This company was one of the first applicants at the State bird farm for fledglings and it pledged its good faith in caring for the fowls which should be placed under the special care of the overseer.

It is safe to say that this ranch outfit does not desire these birds as future food for the shotgun, but wishes them as friends and as protectors of its crop interests.

Prayer of a Horse.

The Acting Police Commissioner of New York came across the following prayer while he was in Pittsburg recently. He believes it will help to get better treatment of the horses by men who sometimes lose their temper and abuse the animals.

He had it posted in every stable in the department.

"To thee, my master, I offer my prayer :—

Feed me, water and care for me, and when the day's work is done provide me with shelter, a clean, dry bed and a stall wide enough for me to lie down in comfort. Talk to me. Your voice often means as much to me as the reins. Pet me sometimes, that I may serve you the more gladly and learn to love you. Do not jerk the reins, and do not whip me when going up hill. Never strike, beat or kick me when I do not understand what you mean, but give me a chance to understand you. Watch me, and if I fail to do your bidding see if something is not wrong with my harness or feet.

Examine my teeth when I do not eat. I may have an ulcerated tooth and that, you know, is very painful. Do not tie my head in an unnatural position or take away my best defense against flies and mosquitoes by cutting off my tail.

And, finally, oh ! my master, when my useful strength is gone do not turn me out to starve or freeze or sell me to some cruel owner, to be slowly tortured and starved to death. But do thou, my master, take my life in the kindest way and your God will reward you here and hereafter. You may not consider me irreverent if I ask this in the name of Him who was born in a stable. Amen."

Way to Win.

[Ohio State Journal.]

Suggestion to a young person who is waiting and longing for something to do, some course to take which will insure a successful life. Take a young woman, for instance, whose life is vague and vacant before her ; what should she do ?

We would say the answer is very easy, if she possesses determination and patience. If she would take up some branch of useful knowledge, and work upon it until she knew more about it than anybody else did, then she has attained success. The very fact that she excels in that one thing, makes her a person of value to the world.

The way for a young man or woman to reach this situation is to devote his or her life to one great thing and conquer it. There are among the rocks, the trees, the insects, the clouds, the birds, the fruits, somewhat that would engage a whole life of happy perseverance. That's the way to the stars. Why not take it ?

Or, if one does not incline to scientific knowledge and has a more practical turn, this is as sure a fact as there is in science, that a young lady who makes herself the best dressmaker in town will get rich soon and ride in an unmortgaged automobile. It is excellence that wins, and as the old adage has it, "there is no excellence without great labor." But dances, sports, whist, worrying, envying, complaining, impatience, disgust are not idling spots on the way to excellence.

To Swear or Not to Swear.

A woman was called before one of the New York police courts as a witness in a petty case.

"Swear the witness," said the judge.

"I don't want to," she protested.

"But you must."

"Must I swear ?"

"Certainly ; do not delay this trial."

"Well," she said, "if I must I suppose I must—Darn !.'

A good motto for the bridge player is "Never double trouble till trouble doubles you."

The faster a young man is the more difficulty he has in catching up with his running expenses.

Some men impress us as being successful in spite of themselves.

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