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## PEOPLE'S BARGAIN COLUMN

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You will need good heavy shoes for the rough weather that is sure to come in January, February and March. Remember we are selling heavy shoes as cheap as ever in spite of the heavy advance in prices. Thacker & Brockmann.

**TYPEWRITER BARGAINS**—No. 6 Remington, used slightly, for \$25. No. 23, Fox visible, nearly new for \$35. Cash prices. Guaranteed. Rev. L. P. Bogle, Reidsville, N. C. 1-21.

A big lot of men's and boys' pants to close out at a bargain. R. P. Gorell, 527 South Elm street.

**FOR SALE**—My eight-room residence corner of Forbis and Washington streets. Low price to cash buyer. J. L. Brockmann, at Thacker & Brockmann's store.

A big lot of men's and boys' felt hats at a great reduction. R. P. Gorell, 527 South Elm street.

**FOR SALE**—One good farm mare or will trade for young mule. Apply to R. L. Ramsey, Greensboro Route 3.

**TO LEASE**—26-acre farm, land is rich, will produce 75 bushels of corn per acre. Mrs. V. A. Brown, near Lee's chapel, 2 miles north of White Oak. 2-21.

**FOR SALE**—50 acres of land, all in oak and pine timber, wood enough to more than pay for the land, one-half mile of railroad station and macadam road. Very low price for quick sale. See R. O. Gamble, Summerfield, N. C. Phone 6420. 2-21.

175 pairs of men's and women's shoes to close out at cost. R. P. Gorell, 527 South Elm street.

**SALESMEN WANTED** to look after our interest in Guilford and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, O.

Fresh milk cows for sale. Apply to J. G. Hackett, Greensboro Route 2.

M. A. Lesser, manager of Lesser's Star store, announces a big shake up of goods and lowering of prices by the earthquake following the holidays. He explains why he can afford to sell real bargains and invites readers of The Patriot to take advantage of the special prices offered on all goods during the next few weeks. He calls attention to his large and select line of ladies' suits, ladies' and children's cloaks, shoes, blouses, sheeting, laces and embroideries. Everything in the store goes at knock down prices and those who come early get first choice.

**FARM FOR SALE**—Eighty-five acres 1½ miles east of Greensboro, on macadam road, two miles from McLeansville, one-half mile from Bethel Presbyterian church, 2 miles east of Mt. Pleasant Methodist church. Close to school in special tax district, six months' school. Good 7-room dwelling, tobacco barn, tenant house, all necessary outbuildings, on phone line, R. F. D. route. Good natural meadow, orchard and tobacco land. See A. L. McLean, 218 Summit avenue.

## REPLIES TO BISHOP KILGO.

Durham Pastor Comes to the Defense of Laymen's Missionary Movement.

According to a Durham correspondent Rev. John Jeter Hurt, pastor of the First Baptist church, of that city, in his sermon last Sunday morning on the "Religion That Will Conquer," referred to remarks made by Bishop J. C. Kilgo in the course of his sermon the Sunday before when the Methodist bishop is quoted as saying that the leaders of the Laymen's Missionary Movement were "religious hobbes going about the country bartering on oysters and ice cream, paid for with other people's money."

Mr. Hurt stated at the close of his sermon that he did not feel like letting such a statement go by without some comment, as he did not believe that this estimate of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, which has done a great deal for the missionary work during the past six years, expressed the sentiment of the people of that community, either the members or the majority of the Methodist church or any other church in the city.

The minister explained that while he did not always agree with the laymen in certain methods they used, that he was not always in full accord with the Salvation Army methods and some other religious movements, still he believed they did a vast amount of good and for one was willing to do all he could to aid their labors. "It is a little bit unfortunate that the most distinguished minister of this city, should make such statements as the report had it the bishop made in the course of his sermon last Sunday night."

## COUNTY COMMISSIONERS MEET.

Newly Elected Officers Qualify and Many Road Petitions Presented.

The board of county commissioners met in regular monthly session Monday and Tuesday, with all members present except the chairman, Mr. W. C. Boren, who was absent on account of sickness.

A number of important matters were brought to the attention of the board, among which was an offer from Mr. D. E. Thomas to give the county a site for a new court house on the corner of Davie and Sycamore streets. This offer was presented by Mr. Garland Daniel, representing Mr. Thomas, and was carefully gone over. The only thing in the way of Mr. Thomas' proposition as viewed by the commissioners, was that it had a string to it and Guilford county had already had some experience with donations of that kind—as instance the difficulty in disposing of the present court house site on account of just such provisions. The conditions of Mr. Thomas' offer were, that the site be used for a county court house for all time, and in the event of its discontinuance for such purpose it was to revert to the heirs of the Thomas estate. This was the string to which the commissioners did not take kindly. With that clause removed they indicated that the new site would be more seriously considered.

A number of petitions for new roads and discontinuance of old ones were presented and passed upon.

Mr. J. H. Clapp presented his bond as standard keeper and was qualified as such by the board, after taking the oath of office.

Mr. W. J. Weatherly, duly elected constable for Morehead township, presented his bond which was approved by the board, took the oath and was qualified for office.

T. R. Little was given a temporary order for \$150 per month for George Simpson, colored, for outside poor.

Dr. W. M. Jones, county superintendent of health, presented his report.

That births in the county during the past year exceeded deaths by between 500 and 600 was one of the facts set forth in the report of Dr. Jones. The report showed that during December one case of smallpox had been found and treated in the county, and that one case of diphtheria, five of scarlet fever, four of typhoid and two of measles had been reported. Dr. Jones made a favorable report upon the condition of the jail, convict camps, workhouse and the poorhouse. His report also gave in detail the more important works along county health lines which have been conducted during the year under the direction of the superintendent of health.

Mary York was allowed \$2 for January, the order to be made to W. H. Daily, for outside poor.

J. R. Edmunds, the newly elected county surveyor, appeared before the board and tendered his bond, which was accepted. He qualified as county surveyor by taking the oath of office.

The board drew the following for service during the first week of the civil term of court beginning February 10: E. P. Chrismon, J. S. Heath, J. P. Dick, J. P. Cagle, G. W. Wyrick, L. R. Greeson, J. S. Phipps, Sam L. McDonald, A. A. Florence, W. T. Bain, John O. Morrow, J. H. Smith, John Lasley, W. G. Wiley, J. A. Johnson, E. J. Stewart, J. W. S. Pegram.

For the second week the following were drawn: R. H. Stanley, E. P. Land, A. J. Coletrane, I. Stanley, G. Knight, Carl Glibreath, A. S. Clark, J. Lee Charles, A. S. Parker, Alfred Apple, J. M. Roney, J. M. Coble, L. A. Wyrick, W. L. Lindsay, R. B. Foust, J. B. Carter, J. C. Pierce and C. A. Shoffner.

Dora Wiley was allowed \$2 per month for two months, order to be made payable to James Sharp, for outside poor.

W. D. McAdoo appeared before the board and asked that the Public Service Company be required to repair North Elm street road and to place in same condition it was before car tracks were put in.

A petition to make public road beginning at Monticello and running to the public road from Greensboro to Reidsville, near J. F. Doggett's was granted. Request to work said road with county convict force was denied.

Dr. R. O. Dees appeared before

the board and presented bill for professional services.

M. T. Wagoner requested board to have worked a piece of road, which he thought needed attention.

A petition to open a public road from mail box at P. M. Gordon's to Snider's mill road near W. D. Lambeth's residence, was received and ordered advertised.

A petition to open public road out of present road from ford of Riddick's creek at William Wiley's house to Groome's road near Red Hill church, was received and ordered advertised.

Road commissioners of Washington township are allowed for road purposes \$15 additional to last year's allowance.

A petition for a public road from A. G. Pegram's to public road on N. W. Gordon's land to be discontinued was received and ordered advertised.

J. W. Matlock handed in his resignation as road commissioner of Deep River township. Resignation was accepted and Z. P. Campbell appointed as his successor.

A petition was presented to change the road in Friendship township through the lands of J. C. Cooper and W. A. Ector, according to survey, was received and ordered advertised.

Mr. Harrold Andrews, representing the Public Service Company, appeared before the board and stated that the company would make such repairs to North Elm street road as board should require, so far as same had been impaired by his company. The matter will be taken up by the road superintendent.

## DISTRESSING ACCIDENT.

Royal Battle Thrown From Automobile and Seriously Injured.

Young Royal Battle, the 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee H. Battle, was the victim of a most distressing automobile accident early Wednesday morning, when in company with Messrs. Frank Harrison and William Sides, he was returning from a pleasure ride to High Point shortly after midnight. Mr. Sides, who was driving the car, explains that in turning the sharp curve around the fence at the fair grounds they were struck by a large car going in the opposite direction which threw them against a telegraph pole, completely demolishing the car and throwing the occupants from their seats with great force. Mr. Harrison sustained slight injuries, while Mr. Battle's skull was fractured and his forehead badly lacerated. Mr. Sides escaped unhurt.

Medical assistance was hastily summoned and the unfortunate victim of the terrible accident rushed to St. Leo's hospital, where physicians and relatives began the fight for his life which was understood from the beginning to be hanging by a slender thread. Little hope is entertained for his recovery.

## GREENSBORO GROWING.

Increase in Postoffice Receipts Shows Rapid Progress.

If the next six years witness the same increase in postoffice receipts as was witnessed this past year in the last quarter ending December 31, the business of the Greensboro postoffice will have doubled. The percentage increase of the last three months of 1912 over the last three months of 1911 was 16.9 per cent. In 1911 for this quarter the total receipts were \$22,957.43. In the same quarter of 1912 the total receipts were increased to \$26,847.59.

The percentage increase in 1912 represents a great growth in the past year as compared with the receipts in the same quarter for the year 1906, when the receipts were \$19,548.40, representing an increase in the six years of 37.3 per cent. When considered that the increase of only one year, that of 1912 over 1911 is 16 per cent, the rapid growth of business in 1912 is represented, the postoffice receipts being regarded as a safe barometer of the business situation.

## Municipal Convention.

The annual meeting of the Carolina Municipal Association, embracing the mayors and other officials of the leading cities of the state was held this week in High Point. Mayor F. N. Tarr, president of the association, called the gathering to order. Uniform laws for the government of the cities and towns of the state, formed the chief subject of discussion.

## SCHOOL MONEY.

Apportionment to the County Schools for the Current School Year.

Following is the apportionment made by the county board of education to the different schools of the county on Monday. Those schools that have borrowed money from the state or have purchased desks or blackboards since last July will have charged to them the amount that is due the state and one-half of the desk or blackboard bill. The special tax is not printed in this list for the reason that the county auditor has not yet completed the abstract.

### Washington Township.

Busick .. 135  
Barber .. 130  
Thomas .. 140  
Summers .. 300  
Union .. 190  
Osceola .. 290  
Colored .. 120

### Rock Creek.

Gibsonville .. \$1,342  
Whitsett .. 250  
Brookfield .. 170  
Whitsett, colored .. 120  
Wardsworth, colored .. 130

### Greene.

Greenwood .. \$170  
Pleasant Union .. 150  
Pinedale .. 170  
Mt. Hope .. 320  
Brick Church .. 130  
Mt. Pleasant .. 450  
Colored .. 120

### Madison.

Merry Oaks .. \$160  
Smith .. 140  
Monticello .. 260  
Madison .. 130  
Jackson, colored .. 275  
Old Union, colored .. 130

### Jefferson.

Mill Point .. \$190  
Sedalia .. 160  
McLeansville .. 320  
Oak Hill .. 130  
Shady Grove .. 160  
Wamance .. 300  
Cross Roads .. 130  
Palmer Institute, colored .. 180  
McLeansville, colored .. 120  
Hickory Grove, colored .. 120

### Clay.

Patterson .. \$170  
Coble .. 285  
Staley .. 150  
Monnett .. 280  
Tabernacle .. 310  
Colored .. 100

### Monroe.

Brightwood .. \$320  
Brown Summit .. 170  
Glenwood .. 320  
Pray .. 170  
Mt. Vernon .. 130  
Poplar Grove, colored .. 170  
Brown Summit, colored .. 170  
Shaw, colored .. 190

### Gilmer.

McAdoo Heights .. \$300  
South Buffalo .. 1,610  
Bessemer, etc., .. 120  
Holmes, colored .. 120

### Fentress.

Fentress .. \$1,480

### Center Grove.

Hillsdale .. \$260  
Gethsemane .. 200  
Scalesville .. 170  
Longview .. 150  
Fairgrove, colored .. 150  
Bass' Chapel .. 150

### Morehead.

Morehead .. \$4,018  
Halls .. 246

### Sumner.

Concord .. \$175  
Shady Grove .. 130  
Center .. 300  
Rocky Knoll .. 170  
Groome .. 250  
Goshen, colored .. 110  
Groome, colored .. 130

### Bruce.

Summerfield .. \$510  
Elm Grove .. 310  
Massey .. 140  
Colored .. 170

### Friendship.

Friendship .. \$175  
Ridgefield .. 270  
Hickory Grove .. 180  
Guilford College .. 610  
Piney Grove .. 350  
Collin's Grove, colored .. 150  
Persimmon Grove, colored .. 120

### Jamestown.

Jamestown .. \$850  
Oak Shade .. 300  
Union Hill .. 180  
Hill Top .. 110  
Colored .. 170

### Oak Ridge.

Oak Ridge .. \$1,520

### Deep River.

Sandy Ridge .. \$130  
Colfax .. 500  
Millwood .. 130  
Davis .. 70  
County Line .. 110

## Colored .. 120

### High Point.

Deep River .. \$175  
DeLane .. 250  
Mechanicsville .. 743  
Welch .. 446  
Oak Hill .. 520  
Springfield .. 838  
Colored .. 130  
Greensboro .. \$10,239  
High Point .. 8,640

## GREAT DAMAGE BY STORM.

The Terrific Gale Last Week Sweeps the Atlantic Coast.

The storm which struck the Atlantic states Thursday and continued through Friday was the most severe experienced in this section for years.

The greatest damage locally was sustained by the electric light and telephone companies, the regular crews with extra men being kept busy the entire day Friday setting up poles, restringing wires, and repairing telephones. The North Carolina Public Service Company practically completed its repair work Friday, but the Southern Bell Telephone Company were kept busy all day Saturday.

The Public Service Company had eight or 10 poles blown down in various parts of the city. From 7.30 to 8.30 Friday morning the current was all off, and cars were unable to go beyond Revolution on the White Oak line. Small damages was sustained in High Point also by the company, and the total is estimated at from \$200 to \$300.

The telephone company suffered probably more than any one else. The damage being on both local and long distance lines. In the city it was estimated 200 poles were put out of commission. In the Greensboro district which includes Wilmington, Mt. Airy, Salisbury, and the sections north of the Virginia line at least 100 poles were reported down, and long distance communication was practically impossible all day. The most trouble was on the Raleigh line. Very slight damage in Virginia.

Limbs, trees and small houses were blown over in a number of places, fences suffered greatly.

A storage barn, belonging to the city, back of the city hall, was moved three feet by the wind. It was a frame building filled with straw.

In High Point a large plate glass window in the front of the People's Furniture Company was blown out, and also a window at London's.

From all the state come reports of damage done by the storm, which struck Virginia with especial fury, later passed up the Atlantic coast to the lower St. Lawrence valley. Storm warnings were ordered discontinue on the Atlantic coast, Eastport, Me., to Wilmington, N. C. The storm was remarkable, according to weather bureau officials, for both the rapidity of its development and for its abnormally low barometer readings. It had moved slowly across the country in the form of a narrow north and south trough with only moderate intensity until Friday when it developed into a terrific gale central over Virginia.

Newport News, Norfolk and Richmond suffered the heaviest damage from the storm. At Newport News shipping was considerably damaged, roofs of dwellings were lifted and the city cut off from communication with the outside world part of the day. Several small oyster schooners were unaccounted for Friday night and it was feared that they and their crews had gone down. Norfolk suffered some property damage and demoralization of wires and much damage was done to property in Richmond.

Reports that the gale was so terrific at Newport News that the water from the James river surged up into the lower streets of the city with the violence of a tidal wave, caused many inquiries to be made, but the rumor later proved to be unfounded.

Seven battleships after several hours battle with the storm advanced in Hampton Roads Friday morning. They were the Utah, Virginia, Ohio, Georgia, Nebraska, Minnesota and Idaho.

## Parcel Post Window.

The local postoffice has opened a new window to take care of the rush of new business. The parcel post window has been opened in the postoffice building just north of the stamp window and a clerk has been put in charge of the department.

## LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF FORM.

Matters of Interest to Readers of The Patriot Far and Near.

Mrs. Harry F. Watkins is ill at her home on Spring Garden street, extended.

Rev. R. E. Redding will preach at Bethel Presbyterian church Sunday at 3 P. M.

Aubrey Hanes, of U. S. N., who has been visiting his parents during the holidays, has returned to his post.

Mrs. Lizzie McFarland, of western Guilford, made in the year of 1912 928 pounds of butter and sold 743 pounds.

Mrs. J. F. Huffines, of Gibsonville, Route 1, underwent a surgical operation at St. Leo's hospital Tuesday and is reported as getting along nicely.

J. T. Harrison, after spending the holidays with relatives in Greensboro, has gone to Lancaster, Pa., where he will enter Franklin and Marshall College.

Dr. W. M. Jones, superintendent of health in Guilford county, was called to Sumner township Tuesday to investigate reports of a sudden epidemic of measles.

Mr. W. B. Devlin, for a number of years agent for the Southern Railway Company at Greensboro, has been transferred to Goldsboro, where his family will join him in a few weeks.

Mrs. C. M. Vanstory, Mrs. J. P. Turner, Mrs. W. B. Hunt and Mrs. Carrie Yates left Monday for New York. They will spend two weeks there and at other points of interest in the North.

Doub Carr, who has been spending the holidays with his parents, and who was unable to return to Davidson College last week, is reported as improving and expects to be able to resume his college work within a few days.

Friday a colored man discovered a telegraph pole blown across the railroad track between Greensboro and Winston. Being unable to remove the pole the negro followed the usual custom. Fortunately he had on a red flannel shirt, which he removed and flagged the train.

The office equipment of J. Hainen, Southern Railway superintendent of motive power for the northern and eastern district, has been shipped to Washington, where Mr. Hainen and his force will in future make headquarters. Superintendent Hainen, accompanied by his chief clerk, A. B. Taylor, and stenographer, Ed. Brockmann, left this week for their new home.

## In Case of FIRE

Your money will be secure if deposited with this strong bank.

And there are many other ways in which we can serve you to advantage. For instance: Paying your bills by check enables you to keep account of all expenses, avoids the trouble of making change, and when cancelled, is the best receipt to be had. And then, having an account here, will enable you to secure financial aid of this bank whenever your balances and responsibility warrant it. You'll find this a great help when the time comes to buy your farm supplies.

Come in and have a talk with us.

## American Exchange National Bank

GREENSBORO, N. C.

R. C. VAUGHN, Pres.

J. W. SCOTT, V.-Pres.

F. C. BOYLES, Cashier

F. H. NICHOLSON, Asst. Cashier

Branch: South Greensboro

W. F. TUTTOS, Cashier



## LOCAL NEWS.

Miss Sadie Trent, of Portsmouth, is visiting Mrs. E. A. Long, on South Elm street.

Miss Olive Abernethy, of Gastonia, arrived this week to become a student at G. F. College.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. A. Hammel have returned from Baltimore where they spent the holidays.

Mr. David Elkins was called to Bear Creek Friday on account of the death of his father.

Mr. R. L. Waynick left Tuesday for Columbia, S. C., after a visit to his mother in Greensboro.

Miss Annie Maude Coble left last week for Palm Beach, Fla., where she has accepted a position.

Mrs. W. J. Weatherly has gone to Cleveland county to be with her mother, who is ill at her home there.

Miss Irene Craddock, of Charlottesville, Va., has gone to Spartanburg, S. C., after a visit to Mrs. W. E. Allen.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Lanning, of Washington, arrived last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Long, on South Elm street.

Mrs. F. L. Groome and daughters, Misses Ruth and Huldah, have returned from Charlotte where they spent the holidays.

Miss Fannie Strauss and Miss Colby, left Monday night for Hartford, Conn., after a visit to Mrs. E. Sternberger, on Summit avenue.

Misses Mary Watson Vaughn and Elizabeth Scales have returned to Charlotte to resume their studies in the Southern Presbyterian College.

Mr. George A. Hughes, formerly of this city, but who has been living in Oklahoma City for some time, visited Greensboro this week.

Mr. O. F. York, who was called to Siler City, by the critical illness and death of his uncle, Mr. Scott Jordan, has returned to Greensboro.

Mrs. O. W. Kochitzky, who spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sparger, on Elandwood avenue, has returned to her home in Monroe.

A party from Texas made up of H. E. Spaldt and H. G. Moore, of Dallas, and M. D. L. Martin, of Houston, were in Greensboro last week looking over the town.

Mrs. H. L. Paylor and children, Margaret and Herbert, of Savannah, Ga., formerly of this city, arrived last week and are guests of Miss Elizabeth Adams, on West Washington street.

Misses Agnes and Eva Martin have returned from New York where they spent the holidays with friends.

Mrs. W. F. Clegg is back from Wilson, where she has been visiting relatives during the past week.

Booth's Hyomel drives out catarrh. No more blowing, snuffing or morning hawking. It kills the germs. Complete outfit including inhaler \$1. Extra bottles if needed 50 cents. Fariss-Klutz Drug Company and the Greensboro Drug Company guarantee it. adv.

Miss Clara Redding, of Asheboro, spent Monday in Greensboro as the guest of Miss Edna Millikan. She was on her way from Asheboro to Winston-Salem to resume her studies in Salem Female Academy.

Every woman can have charming hair full of life and lustre by using Parisian Sage Hair Tonic. Guaranteed by Fariss-Klutz Drug Company and the Greensboro Drug Company. To banish dandruff, stop falling hair and scalp itch or money back. 50 cents. adv.

Mrs. C. G. Harrison and children have returned from a visit to relatives at Enfield. They were accompanied home by Mr. Harrison's sister, Miss Lucy Harrison, who will be a guest in the Harrison home on South Park Drive.

No matter how upset or distressed your stomach may be Mi-o-na Stomach Tablets will make it feel fine in a few minutes. Guaranteed to banish gas, sourness, heaviness, and all distress. Guaranteed by Fariss-Klutz Drug Company and the Greensboro Drug Company for indigestion, dyspepsia and gastritis. 50 cents. adv.

Rev. R. Murphy Williams has been granted a three months leave of absence as pastor of the Church of the Covenant to conduct a campaign to raise \$50,000 for the Barium Springs Orphanage, a service asked of him by the finance committee of the orphanage. The Presbyterian Synod at its recent meeting in Charlotte resolved to raise \$50,000 for the improvement and equipment of buildings of the church orphanage at Barium Springs.

## Do Not Have Sore Feet.

An Allen's foot-ease powder in the foot-bath gives instant relief to chilblains and all foot aches. Then for lasting comfort, shake Allen's foot-ease, the antiseptic powder, in your shoes. All druggists, 25 cents. adv.

Thousands of men were out Monday night in an effort to save from further damage by cold weather southern California's orange and lemon crop, valued at nearly \$50,000,000. The freeze Sunday night did much damage.

## STATE CENTRAL WAREHOUSE.

One of the Biggest Things Yet Undertaken by the Farmers' Union.

A state central warehouse, to be owned and operated by the Farmers' Union, is to be erected in Greensboro at an early date and is one of the biggest things in contemplation for the present year. At a stockholders' meeting held Saturday in this city, the following well known citizens of Guilford county were chosen as directors:

J. G. Frazier, C. T. Weatherly and W. H. Stone, A. T. Fariss, of Moore county and Mr. Crowder, of Wake county, complete the board. Editor Joe Green, of the Farmers' Union publication, was present Saturday and addressed the meeting.

The Central Warehouse, which the state union some time ago determined to locate in Greensboro after examining sites in a number of cities of the state, is to be the hub of a circle of local warehouses in the various counties. Through this central warehouse the locals will buy and in large measure sell, the idea being that by handling all business through one large warehouse under the management of the state union a considerable advantage in buying will be gained. It is estimated that a million dollars will be saved the farmers of the state in the purchase of farm supplies and machinery during the early years of operation and that by the time the warehouses in the various counties are established and working larger saving will be made. The warehouse which has been operated by the Guilford local union is located on South Elm street and as soon as the Central Warehouse is established this will be merged with the larger enterprise.

## TAR HEELS HONORED.

Well Known North Carolinians to Take Part in Wilson's Inaugural.

In making up the committees to take part in inauguration day ceremonies, North Carolina has not been overlooked. Secretary Walker Vick, of the inaugural committee, has named the following well-known Tar Heels to serve on reception committees:

Wade H. Harris, of Charlotte; Robert M. Phillips, P. D. Gold, Jr., and Col. W. H. Osborne, of Greensboro; Josephus E. Thompson, of Wilmington; Robert B. Glenn and A. H. Eller, of Winston-Salem; W. C. Dewd, of Charlotte; Josephus Daniels, of Raleigh; Frank Stedman and Col. E. J. Hale, of Fayetteville; James Sprunt, Hugh F. MacRae, M. F. H. Goverter, of Wilmington; J. Allen Holt, of Oak Ridge; Col. Benjamin Cameron, of Stagville, and Col. J. S. Carr, of Durham. The above gentlemen will serve with Dr. Thomas Nelson Page, who is chairman of the committee.

## COUNTY TEACHERS' MEETING.

Superintendent Foust Urges Every Teacher in County to be Present.

To the White Teachers of Guilford County: As you know, the regular meeting of the Guilford County Teachers' Association comes on Saturday, January 11. We will assemble at the court house at 10 o'clock on that morning, and I hope that every teacher will be present because we have not held a meeting of the association since the schools opened in the fall.

I have discussed with a number of the teachers the advisability of a reorganization of the association and dividing it into three departments—the primary, the grammar school and the high school. I believe that more effective work can be done by such a division, and the plan that I have in mind is for these divisions to meet separately and take about two hours of the time in discussing matters which pertain directly to their work, and then meet for a general session of something like an hour. Please think this over and we will take it up the first thing when we meet on Saturday, January 11.

I hope each one has had a pleasant time during the holidays, and that you are ready to start the new year with renewed enthusiasm for the school work.

Very sincerely yours,  
THOS. R. FOUST,  
County Superintendent.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County—ss.  
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence this 6th day of December, A. D. 1906. A. W. GLEASON, Notary Public.  
Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.  
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by Druggists, price 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. adv.

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## FARM LIFE DEMONSTRATIONS.

District Superintendent Mellsaps in Guilford County This Week.

The first of three meetings for farm demonstration work in Guilford county by Mr. E. S. Mellsaps, district superintendent of the National Farmers' Co-operative Demonstration Work, was held Tuesday at Pleasant Garden high school, where one of the three farm life schools of the county is located. In response to a call issued several days ago a large number of farmers were present. Mr. Thomas R. Foust, county superintendent of public instruction, went from Greensboro to attend the meeting.

The farm life work is being done in Guilford county schools by Messrs. K. H. McIntyre, at Pleasant Garden; F. L. Ross, at Jamestown, and J. G. Kellogg, at Monticello. During the next two days Mr. Mellsaps will visit those other schools, giving demonstrations at each place before a gathering of farmers. By his request the farmers carry to each meeting pure bred pigs and chickens and samples of the corn grown.

Mr. Mellsaps expresses the hope that the experiments being carried on in this new work in Guilford and some other counties will prove the national program of the bureau of plants a highly successful one.

## Escaped After Fifteen Years.

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## Execution Sale.

By virtue of an execution from the Superior court of Guilford county directed to the undersigned, in an action entitled S. W. Davis vs. S. C. Bristow, I will expose for sale to the last and highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Greensboro, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1913, At 12 o'clock noon, all the right, title and estate said S. C. Bristow has had in and to the following described property since the docketing of said judgment—to-wit an estate for his life—a tract of land in Jamestown township, adjoining the lands of J. H. Johnson, S. O. Schaub and others, bounded as follows: Beginning at Benbow's (formerly Nixon's) corner; running north 40 poles to a stone; thence east 20 poles to a stone; thence north 16 poles to a stone; thence east 49 poles to a stone; thence south 27½ poles to a stone; thence east 22 poles to a stone; thence south 27½ poles to a stone; thence west 91 poles to the beginning. Containing 30 acres more or less.

This January 3, 1913.  
D. E. STAFFORD, Sheriff.  
By J. L. Parrish, D. S.

## MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by Nathan Gilmer and wife, Laura Gilmer, on the 18th day of December, 1908, to Benjamin Atkins, and duly recorded in the register of deeds office for Guilford county, N. C., in book 209, page 320, and default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest when due, the undersigned will sell for cash to the last and highest bidder, at public auction, on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1913, At 12 o'clock noon, at the court house door in Greensboro, N. C., the following described real estate embraced in said mortgage to-wit: Situate in morehead township, Guilford county, N. C., adjoining the lands of Weatherly, Weirs, Worth and others, and bounded as follows, viz:

Beginning at the corner of Ed Weatherly's lot, running thence south 11 poles to a stake Silas Weirs corner; thence west 8 poles to a stake on Hiram Worth's line; thence north 11 poles to a stake; thence east 8 poles to the beginning, containing one-half acre and 8 poles more or less.

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### Health and Hygiene.

#### Health Legislation—How to Get Good Health Work.

One of the biggest things coming before the next general assembly is the health of two and one-quarter millions of North Carolinians. For a long time these general assemblies have been buying more or less of that commodity known as public health. Just how much they got no one ever knew. Why? Simply because no one ever kept any books showing what the state or any of the towns or counties saved in needless deaths as a result of making these appropriations. Why should not health officers be made to show whether or not they are worth their salt? Doubtless many are, but what about the others? If a health officer is a paying officer to a town, county or state it should be known; if he is not, that fact should also be known. But how are the people to know, how can they tell whether or not a health officer is worth his salt? Easily enough. A health officer's business is to reduce sickness and prevent deaths. Now, if this coming legislature will pass a vital statistics law, in a very short time every intelligent citizen will know how the death rate in his town, county or state compared with death rates in neighboring towns, counties and states. Likewise he will know about the death rates for particular diseases. Then it will be easy enough to know when and where and how much to appropriate for, or when, where and how much to cut down on public health appropriations. Let's have a vital statistics law and know the facts.

#### Child Marriages.

After we have had birth registration for eighteen or twenty years there will not be so many boys and girls of fifteen, sixteen and seventeen years of age declaring that they are from eighteen to twenty-one years old, in order to get a marriage license. But we shall have to begin to head off this sort of thing by beginning the registration of vital statistics. The sooner we begin such registration the better. For many purposes it is already fifty years too late to begin a vital statistics law, but for the sake of posterity let's not delay another fifty years.

Health work in any town, county or state without vital statistics is like doing business without keeping any books. The health officer never knows where he is, and in all probability the only thing that keeps him from going bankrupt is the generosity of the public. If the dear public pays the bills, they certainly have a right to know how much good a health officer is doing them.

North Carolina is going to have some worth while child labor laws some of these days. What a blessing it would be in that glad day if we had been having birth registration for twelve or fifteen years. No one could declare that a twelve year old child was fifteen or sixteen years old when that child's birth certificate was on file at the capital.

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#### NEW INTERURBAN LINE.

Durham and Chapel Hill Alive to Their Opportunities.

An article in the current issue of the Traction Weekly—a paper devoted to the traction interests all over the country—has caused people in Durham and Chapel Hill to get busy. In the article it is stated, with apparent authority, that a contract has been let by the Southern Power Company for the construction of an interurban line from Winston to Durham by way of Greensboro.

Understanding that the work will be done in sections, Durham and Chapel Hill will ask that that end of the line be completed first, an interurban line between the Bull city and the University town having been for many years the cherished dream of both communities.

Since this was in type the rumor of the interurban line is denied, at least the immediate construction of the contemplated line.

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### NEWS OF THE OLD NORTH STATE

#### A Survey of What is Transpiring in the Commonwealth.

John Horne, the 15-year-old boy of Wilson, who was wounded recently while in a struggle with a boy named Wade for the possession of a gun, died from the effects of the injury and Wade is in jail.

Out of 135,867 persons in North Carolina who were examined last year, 42,132 were infected with the hookworm disease and 96,176 treatments were given by members of the staff. This is the gist of the annual report of State Director John A. Ferrell to the Rockefeller sanitary commission for the eradication of the hookworm.

In the "le home of Joan Bishop, in Jackson county, a few days ago, three children were left alone. One child played with matches and set the house afire. The two oldest ran out, leaving a 6-months-old baby in bed in the burning building. A little girl of less than five years heard her baby brother's cry and rushed back into the house and saved him.

The Lenoir News says Bart Little, colored, shot and killed himself in King's Creek township, Caldwell county, Saturday a week ago. He left home with a gun, saying he was going hunting. He had not returned on the following Monday and search was made. When his dead body was found the indications were that he had tied a string to the trigger of his gun and then to his foot, and fired the load in his body.

In 1909 James Wilson, of Wake county, bought license to marry Miss Kate Penny. A few days ago he called on the Wake register of deeds and exhibited the license, which he had held unused for three years. He wanted the papers renewed for another effort but was advised that a marriage license is good for only a year. Thereupon he bought a new license. The reason for the delay in the marriage was not explained.

Representing 411 subordinate lodges with a membership of 22,000 between 500 and 600 delegates are expected in Raleigh to attend the 126th annual communication of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons, which will meet there Tuesday night, January 14, and continue in session three days. W. H. McKoy, of Wilmington, grand master will preside. Grand Secretary Drewry reports receipts of the grand lodge for the year of \$21,000, and an income from all sources of \$75,000 a year.

News comes from Lexington that the big million dollar cotton mill which has been so much discussed for many weeks, is now a certainty. The contract for the machinery has been let to the Howard & Bullock American Machine Company, of Pawtucket, R. I., and as soon as an engineer can go over the ground, locate the mill and prepare specifications for the buildings, work will begin on it at once. The site of the new enterprise is on the South-bound railroad, just north of the city limits, and embraces 150 acres of land.

Mrs. James H. Van Ness, Jr., was found dead Sunday morning at 1 o'clock in the bathroom of her home in Charlotte. Death had resulted from asphyxiation. It was evident that Mrs. Van Ness had gone into the room and made preparation to bathe and it is believed, from the condition of the room, that she fainted and in falling dislocated the rubber tube with the result that gas filled the room. Mr. Van Ness returned home late and becoming uneasy about his wife made a search, finding her dead body in the bath room after the door had been forced. She was 34 years old and her husband and a young son survive.

#### To Eradicate the Cattle Tick.

Major W. A. Graham, commissioner of agriculture, and Dr. W. G. Chrisman, state veterinarian, of Raleigh, were in Washington last week and asked of the house committee of agriculture an appropriation of \$700,000 to be used in the Southern states for eradication of the cattle tick. Major Graham said that great work has been done in North Carolina in ridding the state of this destructive pest, but that there are still 35 counties which are infested with the tick. He wants the federal government to allow five additional men for the state to help in this work. The counties now bothered by the tick, for the most part, are in eastern North Carolina.

W. R. Fox, 195 W. Washington, street, N. C., says: "After suffering many months with kidney trouble, after trying other remedies and prescriptions, I purchased a box of Foley Kidney Pills which not only did me more good than any other remedies I ever used, but have positively set my kidneys right. Other members of my family have used them with similar results." You will save time and money, and avoid needless pain and suffering by taking Foley Kidney Pills at the first sign of kidney trouble. Try them. Refuse any substitute. Conyers & Sykes, adv.

#### Date of Forestry Convention.

As it now seems probable that the inauguration of Governor-elect Craig will be held on Wednesday, January 15, the day originally selected for the third annual convention of the North Carolina Forestry Association, it has been thought best to change the date of the forestry meeting to Thursday, January 16.

The Forestry Convention will therefore be held on the day following the inauguration unless the latter is still further postponed. If, as was originally thought, the inauguration is fixed for January 14, then the Forestry Convention will be held, as already announced, on January 15; but if a change is made and January 15 is decided upon by the legislature for the inauguration, then the Forestry Convention will be held on Thursday, January 16.

All who come to the inauguration should stay over and attend this important forestry meeting.

#### SUBSCRIBE TO THE PATRIOT.

#### Re-Sale of Valuable Land

Pursuant to a decree of the Superior court, of Guilford county, N. C., made on the 1st day of January, 1913, in the case of J. E. Lambeth, executor, et al. vs. R. F. Coble and wife, et al. for a re-sale of the property hereinafter described, a previous sale of said property having been made on the 7th day of December, 1912, at the price of \$5,250, and a ten per cent. bid placed upon the same, the undersigned will on

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1913,** At 12 o'clock noon, offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder, in front of the county court house door in Greensboro, Guilford county, N. C., what is known as the Edwin T. Lambeth farm east of the city of Greensboro, and bounded on the south by John Barker's property, on the west by Mike Clapp's property, on the east and west by Bob Schofield's property, on the north by Joe Schofield's property, the estate of Fer Curtis and the property of Henry King et al. and more particularly described as follows:

First Tract—Adjoining the lands of Emsey, Donnell, Daniel Schofield et al.: Beginning at a rock and running thence south 40 poles to a rock; thence east 88 poles to a stump; thence north 40 poles to a cherry tree; thence west 14 poles to a rock; thence up the branch as it meanders to an ash on the east side of the branch; thence east 18 poles to a dogwood; thence north 104 poles to a rock; thence west 176 poles to a poplar on the bank of a branch; thence down said branch to the beginning, containing 151 acres, more or less.

Second Tract—Adjoining first tract: Beginning at a black oak, running thence east 146 poles to a stake on Hamilton's line; thence north 54 poles and 7 links to a stake; thence west 146 poles to a stake; thence south 54 poles and 7 links to the beginning, containing 50 acres more or less.

Being the same land conveyed by John W. Kirkman and wife, Nancy E., to Edwin W. Lambeth on the 25th day of August, 1874, by deed recorded in book 48, page 225 of the register of deed's office of said county.

Terms of Sale—One-third of the purchase price to be paid cash; one-third in twelve months; balance in two years; deferred payments to bear 6 per cent. interest from date of sale, payable semi-annually, and to be secured by notes and mortgage on premises sold, with privilege in purchaser to pay larger amount cash, or to reduce deferred payments at any interest payment period.

This January 1, 1913.  
R. C. STRUDWICK,  
JOHN E. LAMBETH,  
Commissioners.

## Mid-Winter Clearance Sale of Suits, Dresses, Coats

If such a sale as this were to occur in February there would be a good reason for you to come for these bargains with a rush. Yet this is only the middle of the winter, with real suit and coat weather ahead of us, and we want to remind you that these are not bargain garments, made up at haphazard for sale purposes, but every one is from our regular stock and was carefully selected with a view to meeting every requirement of good taste, good style and good service. More than 300 garments in the sale for your selection.

After Christmas Sale of Mussed and Soiled Merchandise. You will find the Aisle Tables full of bargains. No room here for the list, but this will give you an idea what to expect:

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## DISGRACE TO NORTH CAROLINA.

The country boys and girls of North Carolina today have a poorer chance for an education than children anywhere else in the United States except New Mexico. That is the fact—the startling, alarming fact—brought to light by an official diagram just published by the United States government. Our city schools, the schools for city boys and girls in North Carolina, are about up to the American average; but for our country boys and girls, as this startling official table shows, the average school term in North Carolina is yet the lowest in the American Union with the single exception of wild and woolly New Mexico. Only New Mexico, the land of Indians and Mexican "greasers," saves us from being at the foot of the whole list.—Progressive Farmer.

And yet some people still insist that they are opposed to compulsory education.

The Patriot would like to hear from the county people on the subject of moving the county court house. We invite every reader of this paper to write us what he thinks and give his reasons for thinking so. Shall we continue to put up with the old building on the present site, or shall we have a modern up-to-date court house in a more convenient and desirable location? Write us your views.

It is related in the dispatches that President-elect Wilson went into a hardware store the other day to buy a ball of twine, and that he waited his turn to be waited on, just like any well bred man or woman would be expected to do. But then the newspapers must print the news and correspondents must earn their salaries.

Now that the Porter heirs have agreed to give a clear title to the strip of land adjoining the site of the present county court house, that obstacle in the way of its sale and removal has been entirely overcome and can no longer be used as an argument by those who are satisfied with present conditions.

County correspondents are requested to interview the tax payers in their communities in regard to moving the county court house, and help The Patriot to get the public pulse in regard to a matter in which every man, woman and child in Guilford county is equally interested.

With the big Farmers' Union state central warehouse and the large fertilizer plant coming to Greensboro this year Guilford can emphasize her claim as the most prosperous and progressive county in North Carolina.

Senator Joe Bailey, of Texas, has concluded that it is better to be a prosperous and contented private citizen than a criticised and abused public servant—even for one who has trod the path of glory.

The Patriot endorses the action of the county commissioners in not considering gifts with a string to them. If we can't own property outright, to dispose of as we see fit, we had better not own it at all.

People having court house sites to offer the Guilford county commissioners will observe that they must be gifts outright or not gifts at all.

The less Mr. Gompers has to say in defense of the convicted dynamiters the better for the cause of union labor.

The widely divergent views entertained by senators in regard to the Panama canal controversy shows that statesmanship, like medicine and a few other things, is not a true science.

Raleigh is taking no chances on having a crowd next week, with the inauguration of Governor Craig, the Grand Lodge of Masons and Forestry convention on all at the same time.

Guilford county must keep pace with its county towns—Greensboro and High Point in their march of progress. Don't be a back number.

## LEGISLATURE MEETS.

## North Carolina Law Makers Assembling This Week in Raleigh.

The present session of the North Carolina state legislature, which convened yesterday, will be asked to consider a number of important bills—many of them of more vital interest and more far-reaching than any which have come before our law makers for a long while.

Corrections in the law providing for better court procedure, better tax collections, school government and various other phases in the administrative affairs of state are proposed. There will, too, be a return of the trust and railroad question and thousands of purely sectional bills. Then there is the child labor bill, the bill to amend the constitution so that women can serve as school trustees and on school boards, and others too numerous to mention.

It may be that a special session will be necessary to finish the business begun during the regular term.

Guilford this year sends three representatives to the house, E. J. Justice, a former speaker; Dr. J. R. Gordon, who has held the chairmanship of important committees; Thomas J. Gold, a new member. Col. F. P. Hobgood, who two years ago made a notable record in the senate goes back to that body. The Guilford delegation, it is understood, leans toward George Connor, of Wilson, for the speakership. Mr. Justice having made it plain that he is in no sense a candidate for that honor. Last week the local representatives met jointly with the county commissioners, when legislation affecting the administrative and financial welfare of the county was discussed and a number of bills of a local nature agreed upon.

The assembly will be overwhelmingly Democratic, the joint membership of 170 being composed of 148 Democrats, 21 Republicans and one Independent. This body will, in its early days elect F. M. Simmons to succeed himself in the United States senate, carrying out the primary instructions of the people of the state.

In the senate the membership will be 47 Democrats and three Republicans, the latter coming from the 27, 28th and 35th districts.

In the house there will be 101 Democrats, 19 Republicans and one Independent. The Republicans come from Alexander, Burke, Cabarrus, Cherokee, Clay, Davie, Madison, McDowell, Mitchell, Sampson, Surry, Stokes, Swain, Transylvania, Washington, Watauga, Wilkes and Yadkin.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner, in his annual report to Governor Kitchin, makes the following recommendations:

I recommend the passage of a conservative compulsory attendance law for children between the ages of eight and fifteen, covering the seven years work of the elementary schools, and requiring attendance annually during the entire term of the public school of the district in which each child resides, with adequate provision for truancy officers to enforce the law, and with provision also for committing the incorrigible truants to the Jackson Training School or some school established for this purpose in the county. Without the machinery for its enforcement such a law will be ineffective. Compulsory attendance seems to me now absolutely necessary to eliminate illiteracy, to guarantee to every child his inherent right to make the most of himself through development of his faculties by education in spite of the ignorance, indifference, selfishness or thriftlessness of his parents, and to guarantee to every taxpayer the protection for which he pays in his school tax against the ignorance of every child in his school district, the danger of life, liberty, property, and to all that men hold dearest and best, known to accompany ignorance.

To further emphasize the urgent necessity for a compulsory attendance law in North Carolina, I need to mention here only the following facts:

The United States census of 1910 shows 12.3 per cent of white illiterates and 31.9 per cent of negro illiteracy in North Carolina; one white person out of every eight and one

negro out of every three in the state can neither read nor write—the lowest test of literacy. While illiteracy has been reduced 7.1 per cent and negro illiteracy 15.7 per cent since 1900.

The statistics of this biennial report show that in 1912 only 72.52 per cent of the white children and only 61.1 per cent of the negro children of school age in the state were even enrolled in the public schools, and only 47.1 per cent of the white school population and 36.2 per cent of the negro school population were in daily attendance. Only by compulsory attendance can the percentage of illiteracy be largely reduced and the enrollment and average daily attendance largely increased in the future. Most of the children that do not attend school now, and most of those who are habitually irregular in attendance are the children of indifferent, ignorant, thriftless or selfish parents, and can only be reached and saved by a properly enforced compulsory attendance law. Compulsory attendance is necessary, not only to bring into school the children that are now out of school, but also to keep all the children in school regularly, and to hold them there long enough to acquire a reasonable degree of intelligence beyond the mere ability to read and write, and thereby raise the general average of intelligence and efficiency.

Legislation providing for co-operation between county boards of commissioners and county boards of education for the employment of competent whole-time health officers for the sanitary inspection of school-houses and school grounds and the medical inspection of school children, and for aiding the teachers and county superintendents in providing simple, practical instruction of all children in the laws of hygiene and health, for the information of healthy habits of living, for increasing the efficiency of all school work, for the prevention of preventable diseases, and for the preservation and prolongation of life.

## Hints For Housekeepers.

Keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound always on hand, and you can quickly head off a cold by its prompt use. It contains no opiates, heals and soothes the inflamed air passages, stops the cough, and may save a big doctor's bill. J. P. Higgins, Stanton, Wis., writes that "one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound cured me of a bad cough. I find it a sure cure for coughs and colds." In a yellow package. Conyers & Sykes, adv.

The Women's National Democratic League, of which Mrs. Woodrow Wilson is the honorary president, began its first annual convention in Washington Tuesday with headquarters at the New Willard hotel.

## Wood's Seeds

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## Sale of Valuable Land

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior court of Guilford county made in the special proceedings entitled Mrs. M. J. Greene, executrix of E. G. Chilcutt, deceased, and Mrs. M. J. Greene, individually, against Nannie Greene and Carrie Greene, devisees of F. H. Chilcutt, deceased, the undersigned commissioners will on

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1913, at 12 noon, in Greensboro, at the court house door of Guilford county, offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following tracts of land: TRACT NO. 1—A lot or parcel of land in Morehead township, Guilford county, N. C., in the city of Greensboro, on Greene street, on which is situated a two-story residence and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stake in the northern margin of Greene street, fifty feet west of the intersection of Greene and Keogh streets, and running thence northwardly, parallel with Keogh street, about 140 feet to Weatherly's line; thence westwardly with Weatherly's line fifty feet to a stake; thence southwardly, parallel with the first line, 135 feet to a stake in the margin of Greene street; thence eastwardly with Greene street about fifty feet to the point of beginning, being a part of the land contained in a deed from the Southern Life and Trust Company to F. G. Chilcutt, recorded in book 174, page 456, in the office of the register of deeds of Guilford county.

TRACT NO. 2—A lot of land in Morehead township, more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a stake in the northern margin of Greene street, which said stake is the southwest corner of the first tract of land described in a deed from the Southern Life and Trust Company to F. G. Chilcutt, bearing date of March 27, 1903, and recorded in book 174, page 456, and running thence north with the west line of said tract above described 102 feet to Weatherly's southwest corner; thence eastwardly with Weatherly's line 50 feet to a stake; thence southwardly, parallel with the first line, to a stake in the northern margin of Greene street; thence westwardly with the northern margin of Greene street about 50 feet to the point of beginning.

TRACT NO. 3—A vacant lot in Morehead township, and Guilford county, state of North Carolina, in the city of Greensboro and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at an iron spike on the northern margin of Greene street, the southwest corner of tract No. 2; thence north 5 degrees 2 minutes east 102 feet to Weatherly's corner; thence continuing in the same line 51 feet with Weatherly's line to a stake or stone; thence westwardly 75 feet to a stone, Lewis' corner; thence southwardly with Lewis' line to a point on Greene street; thence eastwardly with Greene street about

82 feet to the point of beginning. TRACT NO. 4—A lot of land in Guilford county, Morehead township, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of lot No. 5 of Keogh and Florence street on the east side of Keogh street and running thence eastwardly with Florence street 153 feet to the old Fisher line; thence northwardly 50 feet to a stake or stone in said Fisher line; thence westwardly parallel with Florence street 153 feet to a stake on Keogh street; thence southwardly with Keogh street 50 feet to the point of beginning.

TRACT NO. 5—A lot of land in Guilford county, Morehead township, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point 110 feet north of the northeast intersection of Keogh and Florence streets on the east side of Keogh street and running thence east parallel with Florence street 153 feet to the Fisher line; thence northwardly parallel with Keogh street 40 feet to an iron in Fisher line; thence westwardly, parallel with the first line, 153 feet to an iron in Keogh street; thence with Keogh street south 40 feet to the point of beginning.

TRACT NO. 6—A vacant lot in the county of Guilford, state of North Carolina, in Morehead township, the same being lot No. 15 in block No. 2, plot of land of Hardie and Jordan, recorded in plot book No. 2, page 35, in the office of the register of deeds of Guilford county.

TRACT NO. 7—A vacant lot in the county of Guilford, state of North Carolina, in Morehead township, the same being lot No. 16 in block No. 2, plot of land of Hardie and Jordan, recorded in plot book No. 2, page 35, in the office of the register of deeds of Guilford county.

TRACT NO. 8—A vacant lot in Guilford county, N. C., in Morehead township, the same being lot No. 17 in block No. 2, plot of land of Hardie and Jordan, recorded in plot book No. 2, page 35, in the office of the register of deeds of Guilford county.

TRACT NO. 9—A vacant lot in Guilford county, N. C., in Morehead township, the same being lot No. 18 in block No. 2, plot of land of Hardie and Jordan, recorded in plot book No. 2, page 35, in the office of the register of deeds of Guilford county.

This January 3, 1913.  
A. WAYLAND COOKE,  
THOS. C. HOYLE,  
Commissioners.

## Notice by Publication.

North Carolina, Guilford County, In the Superior Court. Stewart Fentress and wife, Stella Fentress, et al., vs. M. M. Rhodes and wife, Mary T. Rhodes, T. C. Bond and wife, Milie Bond, Martin Bond and wife, Lizzie J. Bond, W. H. Beattie

and wife, Lula H. Beattie, W. B. Christy and wife, L. Allice Christy, L. J. Brown, Samuel Phillips and wife, Mary Phillips, Harland Swank and wife, Emma Swank, Fred R. Peoples and wife, Annie Peoples, Frank Goslee and wife, Willa Goslee, heirs-at-law of Louis Bond.

The respondents above named will take notice that a special proceeding entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Guilford county for the sale of land for partition among the petitioners and respondents, said land being situated in Fentress township; and the said respondents will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the clerk of the Superior court for said county on the 16th day of January, 1913, and answer or demur to the petition in this cause, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This December 18, 1912.  
JAS. W. FORBIS, C. S. C.

## Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of S. V. Young, deceased, late of Guilford county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his home in Guilford county, N. C., or to his attorney, Thomas C. Hoyle, at his office in Greensboro, N. C., on or before the 18th day of December, 1913, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This December 18, 1912. 51-6t.  
DAVID W. YOUNG,  
Admr. of S. V. Young, Deceased.

## ROAD NOTICE.

A petition having been presented to the board of county commissioners asking that the line of the road in Friendship township heretofore granted, running through the property of J. C. Cooper and W. A. Ector, be changed so that said road be made to run on the line between the property of Cooper and Ector, as surveyed heretofore by order of the board of commissioners, said road beginning at Cooper's corner and running on line between Cooper and Ector to northeast corner of Cooper's land; this is to notify all persons objecting to same to appear before said board at the next regular meeting on Tuesday, February 4, 1913, and state said objection.

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## Neighborhood News.

Matters of Interest Reported by Our Corps of Correspondents.

### RANDLEMAN R. F. D. 1.

Christmas has come and gone, and the duties of another new year are before us.

Mrs. J. G. Farlow, who has been quite sick, is improving.

Mr. Julian Teague, of near Tabernacle church, visited at the home of Mr. S. N. Wall, recently.

Mr. Eugene Rockett spent last week in Thomasville on business.

Mr. Charlie Hodgkin, of Greensboro Route 1, and Miss Hazel Stanton, of this route, were married December 30.

Mr. John Newby and Miss Lonnie Adams were married December 22.

Mr. Vergil Siler's little son is critically ill with diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vickery, of High Point, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Vickery, during the holidays.

Mr. Vance Wall, of Gifton, visited his mother, Mrs. Nancy Wall, recently.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Miller died last Sunday morning.

Mr. K. G. Coltrane is making preparations to have a telephone put in.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Roberson, of Jamestown, visited at Mr. C. V. Gamble's last Sunday.

Mr. J. L. McCandless is smiling over the arrival of a fine boy at his home.

### PLEASANT UNION.

Mrs. John Brothers, who has been sick for some time, is able to be up again.

There were two burials at Pleasant Union church the past week—Mr. William Goley and the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Rid Freeman.

There will be a box party at Pleasant Union school Saturday night, January 18. Ladies bring boxes and gentlemen come and buy them. The proceeds are to purchase a library for the school. Everybody invited.

Miss Georgia Moore, our teacher, visited her parents at Whitsett last Saturday.

### VANDALIA.

Mrs. D. W. Ramseur visited at Hickory recently.

Misses Vivian and Cathlene Huffman, of Elon College, spent last week with Mr. Ramseur.

Mrs. George Petty is visiting her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Anthony.

Mr. Elven Barnes is spending the winter with Mrs. G. L. Anthony.

Mr. Bynum Taylor and Miss Lillie Taylor spent the holidays with their mother, Mrs. M. J. Taylor.

Mrs. Ferguson, of Liberty, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Moses, and other relatives.

Mrs. Florence Kirkman and baby visited in Greensboro recently.

Capt. M. Jordan is on the "ck list."

Mr. J. C. Coe and family visited Mr. S. F. Coe recently.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, who was seriously ill, is improving.

Miss Pearl Coltrane, of Greensboro, visited her sister, Mrs. Maude Taylor, recently.

Col. and Mrs. W. H. Osborn, of Greensboro, visited in the neighborhood last week.

Mrs. J. C. Hanner is improving after having the chills.

### Family Reunion.

Mrs. M. C. Sikes gave an enjoyable house party Christmas week at her home in Guilford county, when a family re-union was held.

Several large dinners were given in honor of the guests, and riding and driving were indulged in. Among those present were Mrs. Lou Ferguson, of Long Beach, Cal.; Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Sikes and little daughters, Margaret and Ruth, of Newton; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Sikes, Miss Alma Sikes, Mr. George Sikes, Miss Fannie Paisley, of Greensboro, and two other guests, Miss Dodson, of Greensboro, and Miss Emma Dallas, of Reidsville. Rev. and Mrs. Oldham, of Greensboro, were among other special guests at dinner. The piano solos by Mrs. W. M. Sikes were an added feature. The guests expressed much pleasure in their stay which was described by all as being delightful.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

### Sunday School Convention.

A Sunday school convention was held at Concord church in Sumner township last Tuesday, the morning session opening with devotional exercises.

The convention was called to order by President Newman. Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. Interesting short talks were made by Sunday school workers followed by general discussion as to the best plans for carrying on the work.

After a short recess for dinner the convention was again called to order for a song service. Music for the occasion was conducted by Prof. A. M. Fentriss, of Pleasant Garden. The feature of the afternoon session was an address by Mr. W. C. Shaw on the importance of thorough teaching of the Scripture in Sunday school work. This was followed by short talks, and the convention adjourned to meet the first Sunday in April.

### A Silver Tea.

Everybody is invited to a "silver tea" that will be given at the Methodist church at Summerfield for the benefit of the parsonage on Saturday night, January 11. Come by early candle light. Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, coffee, hot chocolate and tea will be served. Come spend a social hour and help a good cause. As you enter the door you will please pause long enough to leave a silver piece.

Don't forget the date—Saturday night, January 11, 1913. Come and bring your family or your best girl.

### Pie Sale at Mill Point.

At Mill Point school Friday night, January 10, there will be short exercises by the school children and the presentation of the United States flag and Bible by the Junior Order of Greensboro.

After the exercises the ladies of the Betterment Association will sell pies for the benefit of the school. The public is cordially invited.

### THE SOUTHERN SWEET POTATO.

Encouraging Truckers to Grow it as a Money Crop.

The Southern sweet potato was given effective exploitation as a table delicacy on Wednesday, December 18, when the Southern Railway, the Cincinnati New Orleans and Texas Pacific Railway, the Alabama Great Southern Railroad, the New Orleans and Northeastern Railway and the Mobile and Ohio Railroad, joined in advertising the day as "Southern Sweet Potato Day," serving the sweet potato in various styles on their dining cars.

The delicious and wholesome qualities of the Southern sweet potato and the many ways in which it may be prepared was brought prominently to the attention of all dining car patrons on that day and henceforth the potato will be regularly included on the menus of these lines, which are working with the idea of enlarging the market for this valuable product of the South, thus encouraging farmers and truckers to pay more attention to growing sweet potatoes as a money crop.

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Mr. J. F. Harrison will leave in a few days for Houston, Tex., where he will manage the Coca Cola works.

### FOR DIVERSIFIED FARMING.

Railway Companies Co-operate With Farmers For Mutual Benefit.

President Finley, of the Southern Railway Company, in announcing further railway co-operation for the development of agriculture and horticulture, said recently:

"In the efforts which the Southern Railway Company and the companies associated with it are making to encourage diversified farming, we find that the man who takes up the growing of new crops or the raising of live stock may be discouraged in his first season by the failure to market his products satisfactorily. We frequently receive requests for information as to marketing, and, in some cases it has come to our knowledge that perishable products have spoiled because producers did not know how to market them.

"Our companies, in pursuance of their general policy of helpfulness, have arranged to appoint, on January 1, four market agents to devote all of their time to collecting and giving information as to markets, methods of packing and shipping, etc., to producers who may seek their co-operation in the territory traversed by the lines of the Southern railroad, Augusta Southern railroad, Blue Ridge railway, Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific railway, Danville and Western railway, Georgia Southern and Florida railway, Mobile and Ohio railroad, Northern Alabama railway, Southern railway in Mississippi, Tallulah Falls railway, and Virginia and Southwestern railway. The four market agents, who will report to the traffic department of the companies, will be appointed as follows:

Mr. J. M. Seaborn, with headquarters in Southern railway office building, Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. E. M. Lane, with headquarters in Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific railway general freight offices, Cincinnati, O.

Mr. E. L. Robison, with headquarters in Mobile and Ohio railroad general freight offices, Fullerton building, St. Louis, Missouri.

Mr. M. M. Emmert, with headquarters in Southern railway office building, 1300 Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, D. C.

### Magazine For Boys and Girls.

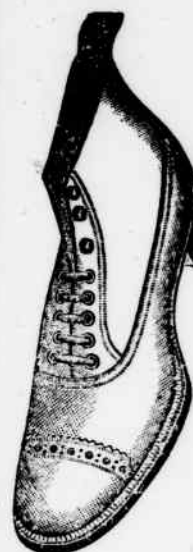
Beginning on Sunday, January 12, 1913, the Philadelphia Record will make a new departure in the publication of its Sunday issue. Besides the regular general and special features that make up this excellent newspaper, a step will be taken for the benefit of the boys and girls. This will take the form of a magazine for boys and girls, covering about eight pages of excellent story matter, and will carry such stories as usually appear in publications like St. Nicholas, Youth's Companion, etc. The cover of this additional magazine will be printed in color.

The departure should be of interest to thousands of boys and girls. No increase in the price of the paper will be made, it remaining at three cents as usual.

By reason of the probable increased demand for next Sunday's Record, it would be well for prospective subscribers to place an advance order with newspaper carrier or dealer.

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## LAND SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale vested in A. G. Kirkman, executor of the estate of Booten Bohanon, deceased, I will expose for sale at the court house door in the city of Greensboro at 2 o'clock P. M., 'to the highest bidder for cash, on

**MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 1913,** The following tract or parcel of land in Deep River township, Guilford county, N. C., bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stone in the Friendship road, Susan Harris' corner, running north 85 degrees west 102 poles and 6 links to a stone Smith's corner, thence south 1 degree west 77 1-2 poles to a stone on the north side of the Sandy Ridge road, Smith's corner, thence south 82 1-4 degrees east 102 poles and 10 links to a stone, G. W. Gray's corner, thence north 2 degrees east 53 poles to a stone Alfred Sheld's corner on the north side of the Sandy Ridge road, thence north 72 degrees east with said road 29 1-4 poles to a stake on the road marked by a stone on the north side of said road, thence north 85 degrees east with said road 14 poles to a stake in the road marked by a stone on the north side of said road, thence north 2 degrees west 19 1-4 poles to a stump, thence north 88 degrees west 41 poles and 16 links to the beginning. Contain-

two (2) poles more or less. Same being what is known as the home place of said Booten Bohanon. S. A. KIRKMAN, Executor of A. G. Kirkman, Deceased.

## Administrators' Notice.

Having qualified as administrators of Dora Shaw, deceased, late of Guilford county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of December, 1913, or this notice will be plead in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This December 5, 1912. 50-61.  
HENRY HUNTER,  
G. R. SHAW,  
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## What the Earthquake Did in Greensboro

The earthquake surely shook up our State. Lucky, only with little damage, but we actually believe that after the wind came along, he did the damage, smashed windows, downed the big electric poles, chimneys, trees, also played a nice part in the business district. Specially in Lesser's Star Store, in what we call an after Christmas Earthquake. Some of the Shoes got scattered, together with the Underwear. Clothing mixed up. Some Dry Goods soiled, also a lot of Clothing soiled, and before he got through we found the big plate glass in front broken. Also the wind played litter with the Star Sign, but did not try to do away with it. After all that happened, everybody looked full with the blues—as it is after Christmas—big stock of merchandise, broken boxes, odds and ends, but when Mr. M. A. Lesser, manager of the Lesser's Star Store, came, after looking over everything carefully, seeing the damage, broken and soiled parts of the goods, he came out with a laugh. Why? he said, it's no use to worry. We don't pay very high prices like others for merchandise, as we bought the goods mostly for cash, and we had a prosperous year. As it is now so much left, broken, soiled, etc. Go ahead, sell everything at cost, below cost, I don't care. Let the people have the benefit. Sell it out, I don't care. Mark down, kill the price. We can't lose, as the plate glass is insured. If you do sell a few thousand dollars below cost you will have more cash to buy again goods cheap enough. Turn your stock, give the people a bargain, so they will remember the great Earthquake Clearance Sale at Lesser's Star Store. So here it goes. The entire stock of Lesser's Star Store is to be disposed of as quick as possible. We want you to come, get whatever you need. It will pay you and your friends. You will save many dollars and cents.

The main goods that Mr. Lesser is anxious to sell out first is the many Shoes, which consist of Ladies', Men's, Boys' and Girls, some have broken boxes and no boxes at all, but you don't wear boxes, you want the shoes; also the dry goods, such as Bleaching, Sheetings, Lawns, Flannels, Outings, Lining, Embroidery, Laces, some are soiled, some clean, but it will sure pay you to buy it as long as it lasts. Now come Ladies' Suits, Ladies' Cloaks, Children's cloaks, priced for all their needs. You may rest easy that never in history was sold such bargains. Come get your extraordinary bargains. With best wishes.

LESSER'S STAR STORE  
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Greensboro, N. C.



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In portions of Germany potato vines are harvested and used for forage purposes, their value being considered about one-half that of clover hay.

There is now and then a horse which needs a gag bit, but it is a mighty slim substitute for more oats and hay to give an appearance of ginger and life.

If there are any farmers who failed to get their corn in crib in the fall before the bad weather set in it cannot be charged to not having a long and favorable season for husking.

From a manuscript found in the ruins of the city of Philadelphia, Egypt. It is evident that the high cost of living and exorbitant freight rates were live and stirring issues 1,800 years ago.

It is a very sensible idea during the winter months, when fires are kept going at a pretty lively pace, to keep a close watch on the stovepipes and flues to see that there is no danger of the house catching fire from them.

It is with the dual purpose cow a good deal as it is with the dual purpose hen—that such a breed is not so good as is either extreme. Beef excellence is had at the expense of milk production, and size of bird means a loss in egg production.

Some idea of the factor that the Argentine is coming to be in the world's beef trade is indicated in the figures, which show that the value of her exports of dressed beef for the year 1910 was \$25,480,000, while the exports of the United States totaled but \$12,106,000.

At the New York land show there was considerable surprise when exhibitors from New Jersey walked off with the bulk of the best prizes. Folks had somehow got the idea into their heads that about all that New Jersey was good for was the incubation of mosquitoes and trusts. Such will have to revise their opinions.

Belgium has 164 head of cattle per square mile, Denmark 144, Netherlands 135, while the United States has but twenty-three head of cattle for the same area. The figures show the extent that the cattle business might be developed in this country were anywhere the same number raised that are to be found in the countries named.

The writer recalls with mixed pleasure and regret the days in the fall a good many years ago when the barrel of sorghum molasses was got from the nearby cane mill and stowed away in the cellar. The taffy and molasses cakes that the children had following the arrival of this barrel will remain very bright spots in the memory of childhood days.

The advantage of keeping no hens over a year lies in the fact that if the pullets are hatched by the 1st of May they will be laying before cold weather sets in and with proper care keep at it through the winter, while the hen that is in her second year seldom gets through molting until late after a summer's laying and usually takes more or less of a layoff during the winter months.

A new rat trap has lately been put on the market that is quite different from anything in this line heretofore invented. It is of good size, is self setting, and the rat is flipped into the cage at one side of the runway upon putting its foot on one of the two little plates which are on either side of the depression which holds the bait. The trap is relatively high priced, but it looks as if it were a winner and well worth the money.

Agricultural land is considered worth far too much in old world countries to squander hundreds of thousands of acres of it to the production of roadside weeds, as is the practice followed in this country. In many sections of France the fences are done away with, and no more land is set apart for a road than is actually needed for it, and this road is a road and not a continuous mudhole or streak of sand which is too often the condition of many of our so called roads.

A friend who has recently returned from one of the northwestern Canadian provinces tells of seeing thousands of acres of wheat that was burned over without any attempt being made to cut it. In some cases this wheat did not get ripe; in others it was ripe enough, but no help could be got at the right season to cut it. This is a feature of the Canadian wheat growing situation that any farmer who is under the stars and stripes would do well to look into thoroughly before he pulls up stakes and moves to the Canadian northwest.

## SILAGE FOR PREGNANT EWES.

While corn silage has been recognized as an excellent as well as economical ration for the beef steer and dairy cow, not until recently has it come to be viewed as a valuable part of the ration for breeding ewes. Some feeding experiments conducted by the Iowa station along this line during the winter of 1911-12 will be of interest to farmers who have a flock of sheep and silage, but who have not yet got the two together in a feeding trough. In the experiments conducted forty-eight ewes were divided as to general condition, including breeding, thrift and weight, into four equal lots. Lot 1 was fed clover hay and shelled corn; lot 2, alfalfa hay and shelled corn; lot 3, clover hay, corn silage and shelled corn; lot 4, corn silage and shelled corn. All the ewes had a blue grass pasture in the fall and were given besides a fairly liberal allowance of corn and cottonseed meal. They were divided into the separate lots on Nov. 15 and given the rations mentioned above. At the end of the feeding period it was found that the ewes in the four lots had made practically identical gains. It was found that, while the lot of ewes fed corn and corn silage produced fewer lambs than the other three lots, the lambs weighed more at birth and were also stronger. It was found that the alfalfa combination produced stronger lambs than the clover and that silage and clover fed together did not give as good results as either one alone. The chief advantage of the silage-corn ration given to lot No. 4 seems to be found in its cheapness, as it cost 1.66 cents per ewe per day, while the ration given lot No. 1 cost 2.47 cents; lot No. 2, 2.74 cents, and lot No. 3, 2.03 cents. Those in charge of the experiments are of the opinion that the corn-silage ration might be made more efficient and economical if a small amount of oil-meal or cottonseed meal were added to it. The modified ration would also tend to produce stronger lambs.

## TO GET CAPACITY OF ROUND CRIBS.

Some of our readers may have round slat cribs, the contents of which they would like to measure. The first step in getting the desired result is to ascertain the contents in cubic feet. This is got by multiplying the diameter by itself, this by the decimal fraction .7854 and the product by the depth of the crib in the crib. For illustration, suppose one wished to find the number of bushels in a circular crib having a circumference of sixty-four feet and a depth of nine feet. To get the diameter divide the circumference by 3.1416, the result being 20.3 feet. Squaring or multiplying this by itself gives 412.09 square feet, and multiplying this by .7854 gives 323.65 as the area of the crib. The contents are then obtained by multiplying the area by the depth, nine feet, which gives 2,912.85 cubic feet. A bushel of corn containing a good deal of moisture is usually estimated at 2.5 cubic feet, and dividing the total contents in cubic feet by this figure gives 1,165.15 as the number of bushels in the crib. The same formula will give the contents of any circular crib where the circumference and depth are known.

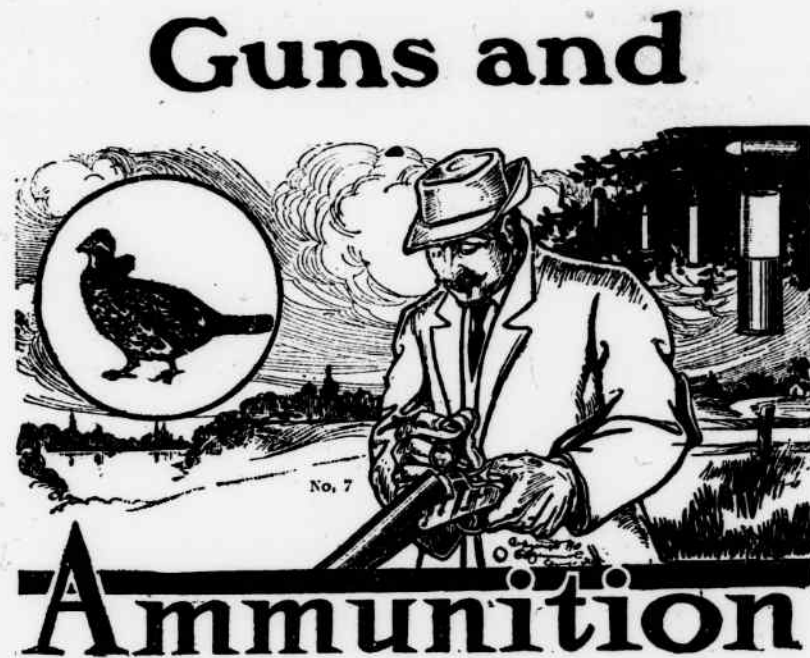
## BALANCED RATIONS FOR FOLKS.

We hear a good deal about balanced rations for cattle, hogs and sheep, but mighty little about balanced rations for human beings, yet the question is one of vital importance. There are thousands upon thousands of folks in America—and the number is immeasurably greater in Europe and the Orient—who lack in strength and vitality and power to work simply because they do not have a sufficient amount of food of the proper nutritive elements. In many such cases folks are listless and lifeless and do not realize what is the matter with them. Likely the trouble is due to too much fat and heat producers and not enough bone and muscle formers. The writer knows of a number of families in which members are dumpy or unstrung and nervous when what is needed is not more tonic, but more eggs, fresh milk, beef, beans, cheese and fish, all of which articles are high in protein content. These foods cost money, but in the long run they are cheaper than too much in the way of sweets and pastries of one kind and another, with doctors' bills tacked on.

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Francois Villon—France's  
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THIS is the story of a man who won immortal fame, and yet whose real name is not known; a man whose reputation has endured for nearly five centuries, yet much of whose life is shrouded in mystery. It is the story of an angel-devil, an inspired blackguard, a slum-hero, a pickpocket-poet, a thief and murderer whose poetical genius was scarce short of sublime.

In the low taverns of Paris, about the middle of the fifteenth century, the riff-raff of the local underworld raised for themselves an idol, in the shape of a brilliant youth of high education, who preferred to choose his chums from the sordid criminal class rather than from among his equals. He fought, stole, caroused and killed with ruffians, then wrote wondrous poems that were so musical that even his besotted comrades loved them. The slang of the Thieves' Kitchen was his. So was a flow of the most beautiful language known to man.

This youth was variously known by a string of aliases. Among these names were Corbier, Piton, De Montcorbier, Des Leges, Corbeuil and Francois Villon. Which, if any, of the names was really his own is uncertain. It was almost surely not "Villon." Yet by that alone he is known to history. Some say he borrowed the name "Villon" from his rich guardian, Guillaume de Villon. Others claim that it was merely a nickname, and that it was whimsically chosen by him because it was a French term for "crook," or "blackguard."

Villon had wealthy, influential friends. First and last, he needed all their influence and appropriated not a little of their wealth. His earliest known clash with the law was in 1455, when he was twenty-four years old. He was at that time a college graduate and a master of arts. Returning from a drunken revel one night he met a priest. A quarrel ensued and Villon stabbed the priest to death. Then he fled to some kindly shelter in the slums where the law's grip could not reach him, and hid among his criminal admirers until family influence could win a pardon for him.

A year or two later he was in trouble again. This time it was a tavern brawl. Villon did not figure very favorably in the affair. In fact, after a severe beating he ran away from Paris; more to avoid ridicule than to escape punishment. In the early spring of 1456 he became a student at the College of Navarre, near Angers, France. A few weeks later the treasure chest in the college chapel was robbed. A band of student thieves was arrested. One of them confessed that Villon was the ringleader of the gang who had broken into the chapel, and that the poet was even then planning new robberies.

Villon was put to the torture and then sentenced to be hanged. As he lay in prison, waiting for execution, he wrote one of his greatest poems; a grim, wonderful bit of verse, entitled, "Ballade of the Hanged." Again his friends' influence, coupled with his own wit, came to the poet's aid. His death sentence was commuted to banishment.

Villon then drifted from one European capital to another; sometimes living in doubtful fashion by his wits, sometimes hobnobbing with such princes and nobles as could appreciate his rare genius. Of his life during these wanderings little is known. But, four years later, he was cast into prison once more. This time, it is said, for the crime of sacrilege. He spent the summer of 1461 in a cell, but was set free in a general fall delivery in October of that year.

His old spirit of wild, reckless adventure seemed gone. Soon afterward he wrote his famous "Grand Testament," a work that breathes of weariness, regret and utter despondency. Broken by prison and by dissipation, he is said to have died of consumption at the age of thirty. (One or two historians believe he lived to be an old man; but, from his thirtieth year no record of him can be found.)

Villon's poetic genius stands out like a gem in a mire. The strange twist of brain that made him a criminal also enabled him to write such verse as no man of his time had attempted. His poetry has served as example for many a later bard and has found hosts of—usually unsuccessful—imitators.

Of the man himself, nothing good can be said. His writings live in spite of his personal career.

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## Senator Overman's Birthday.

Senator Lee S. Overman was 55 years old Friday. He is improving rapidly and said to friends who called that he expected to leave the hospital within the next few days. The senator received many telegrams and letters congratulating him upon his rapid recovery.

## Cut the High Cost of Living.

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## DEATHS.

Those Who Have Answered the Summons During the Past Week.

The sudden death of Mrs. Jane McCulloch at her home near Pleasant Garden early Sunday morning brought sorrow to many hearts. "Aunt Jane," as she was affectionately called by a large circle of friends throughout the county and state, being one of the best known and most universally loved and respected women in Guilford.

Mrs. McCulloch was 83 years of age and at times suffered from heart trouble, though immediately preceding her death had been in unusually good health. Sunday she was to have accompanied her son, Mr. J. R. McCulloch, to a neighbor's for dinner, and all Saturday she seemed in fine health for one of her years.

His mother failing to rise at her usual early hour Sunday morning, the son went to the room about 7 o'clock to see if she was ill. During the early morning hours death had ensued and the body was cold in death when the son reached it. Wherever she was known she was loved and admired for her many noble qualities and her kind and gentle disposition. She was the mother of Mr. J. R. McCulloch, of this county; Messrs. Sebe and Robert McCulloch, of Bladen county, the latter a former member of the state assembly, and Mrs. Daniel Kirkman, of Guilford.

The funeral services conducted from Tabernacle church Monday afternoon, were attended by a large gathering of sorrowing friends who met to pay their last tribute of love and respect to one whom to know was to honor and esteem.

## Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn.

Col. W. H. S. Burgwyn, died in Richmond, Va., at the home of his nephew, Dr. H. B. Baker, Friday. Colonel Burgwyn was 67 years old, was a veteran of the civil war and commanded the Second regiment in the Spanish-American war. He was actively interested in the national guard. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Margaret Dunlop, of Richmond, and several brothers. He was a member of the Episcopal church, of Weldon, and was interested in the banking business. The funeral was held in Raleigh.

## Mrs. R. B. Langley.

Mrs. R. B. Langley died at St. Lee's hospital, where she was taken about a week ago to undergo surgical treatment, but the operation was not performed. She was the young wife of the caretaker in charge of the Masonic Home, near Lindley park, and had been married only a short time. The body was taken to Staley for interment Tuesday.

## Mrs. A. T. Smith.

Mrs. A. T. Smith died Monday afternoon at her home at Proximity. The funeral was held Wednesday, conducted by Rev. C. H. Christenbury, of the village Methodist church. Mrs. Smith is survived by her husband and ten children, six sons and four daughters.

## Death of an Infant.

John Wesley Hunt, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hunt, died Tuesday at the home at 227 North Spring street.

## SEWS AT 101.

Supports Herself and Niece by Doing Fine Needle Work.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 4.—"You the most distinguished visitor this court has ever had," said Judge McKenna in Deserion court Saturday as he grasped the hand of "Auntie" Morgan, aged 101 years, of McKeesport. "I don't remember ever having the pleasure of talking to a person 101 years old."

"Everybody thinks it's funny about me," said "Auntie." "Why, my mother lived to be 111 and my father 112. That was over in Wales. I was born there."

"It was testified that the old woman actually supported her niece, who is not strong enough to work. The niece aged about 28 years, was in court asking an order that her husband be compelled to pay her \$5 a week, as had been decreed by the court two years ago. Sidney Fleming, the husband, was committed to jail in default of bond."

"Sure I work," said "Auntie." "People have to work as long as they live. I knit and do fine needlework. I sew for people, darn socks and mend clothes. As long as there is breath in this old body I'll work to keep this little girl. By the help of God, I'll not let her suffer."

The New Year Resolution is always short lived—and so you may be if you do not keep a bottle of Gowans, king of externals, always in the home. All druggists sell it, so you can help yourself from your own drug store. Three sizes—and guaranteed.

## BACON FOR ARBITRATION.

Democratic Senator is With the President in Panama Canal Controversy. Washington, Jan. 4.—President Taft's declaration that he intends the Panama canal controversy with Great Britain shall be submitted to arbitration "as soon as we get down to the point at issue," again brought out the sharp division that exists in the senate over the obligation of the United States under its arbitration treaty.

Senator Bacon, the leading Democratic member of the foreign relations committee; Senator Hitchcock, Democratic member of that committee, and other prominent members of the senate expressed their conviction that the United States was bound by its treaty with Great Britain to submit to arbitration.

Senator Root, of New York, holds the same view. Senator Southerland, Republican, also a member of the committee has previously expressed the belief that the subject is a domestic one, and not one the United States is compelled to arbitrate.

Senator Bacon, in a statement based on President Taft's announcement, suggested that the United States, if it submitted to arbitration, could properly ask for a special tribunal so constituted as to insure an impartial judgment.

"I think the question Great Britain raises," said Senator Bacon, "is one that arises upon interpretation of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, and we have a treaty with Great Britain which specifically provides that we will submit to arbitration any question growing out of the interpretation of treaties, provided they do not affect the vital interests, the independence or the honor of the two contracting states and do not concern the interests of third parties."

"The question of free tolls for our coastwise vessels does not affect the vital interests of the United States and does not fall within either of the other exceptions. 'Vital interests' means something affecting the life of the nation. I voted against the Hay-Pauncefote treaty because I thought it did bind us to do what Great Britain now claims the treaty requires us to do, and I was unwilling for the United States to be bound in that way."

"While I think we are bound to consent to arbitration, I also think we could properly ask for a specially constituted board of arbitration upon ground that it would be difficult to find a strictly impartial tribunal organized as is the permanent court of arbitration at The Hague."

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In order to clear our store of what few remaining coats and suit suits we have left, we will sell them to you at prices you have never heard of before on such merchandise. Never before and probably never again will such low prices exist. All through our store you will find unusual bargains. We have a lot of sample shoes that we can save you big money on. We have a nice vic Goodyear woe shoe in misses at 98 cents, that is positively worth \$2. Lots of other bargains just as good. If you will always remember when you think of buying anything that A. V. Sapp "Sells it cheaper," you will save lots of money on your purchases this year. 318 South Elm street. adv.

Greatly Reduced Rates to New Orleans, La., Mobile, Ala., and Pensacola, Fla., on Account of Mardi Gras Celebration, January 30, to February 4.

On account of the above occasion, the Southern Railway will sell round trip tickets from Greensboro as follows: To New Orleans, La., \$25.85; to Mobile, Ala., \$21.65; to Pensacola, Fla., \$21.20.

These tickets will be on sale January 28 to February 3, inclusive, with final limit to return February 14, with privilege of an extension of final limit to March 3, by depositing ticket with special agent and upon payment of \$1 at time of deposit.

Low round trip rates from all other points on same basis.

For further information, Pullman reservation, etc., call on any agent, or write

O. F. YORK, P. & T. Agt., adv. Greensboro, N. C.

That definite announcement may be looked for in the next few weeks about Greensboro's new railroad proposition, the Greensboro, Northern and Atlantic, was the announcement of Capt. J. W. Fry, who addressed the group of business men at the Y. M. C. A. last night. Capt. Fry said he believed that by the first of April at least, and probably sooner, the definite announcement would be made that Greensboro is to have a new railroad.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## MARRIAGES.

Cupid Continues His Activities in Season and Out of Season.

## Cobb-Mills.

Wedding announcements have been received by friends in Greensboro reading:

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Mills announce the marriage of their daughter, Catherine, to Mr. Edsall Cobb, Wednesday, January 1, 1913, Boise, Idaho.

The groom is a son of the late John A. Cobb, Route 2, Greensboro, and has many friends in Guilford who extend congratulations.

## Brown-Rudolph.

At the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Shenk Tuesday night Miss Emma A. Rudolph, of Greensboro, was united in marriage to Mr. W. A. Brown, of Concord. The wedding was a quiet one, witnessed only by a few close friends. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Brown left for Winchester, Virginia, where they will visit Mrs. Brown's relatives before going to Concord to make their home.

## Engagement Announced.

A wedding looked forward to with unusual interest, because of the popularity of both parties, will occur February 12, 1913, in Centenary church, Greensboro. Miss Bertha Jones, the bride elect, is a daughter of ex-Sheriff and Mrs. B. E. Jones, of Asheboro street, and she has been prominent in the church and social work of Greensboro, especially of the Southside. Mr. Earber is a successful young merchant in Gibsonville.

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## ROAD NOTICE.

A petition having been presented to the board of county commissioners asking to make a public road out of the present neighborhood road in Oak Ridge township, running from the ford of Riddle's creek at the William Wiley place by way of the Sullivan place to a point on the Greensboro road near Red Hill church, said road to take the place of the public road (now abandoned) leading from the above ford to the Hannah Anfield place on the Freeman mill and Groom road, this is to notify all persons objecting to same to appear before said board at the next regular meeting on Tuesday, February 4, 1913, and state said objection.

W. C. BOREN, Chm. B. C. C.

## ROAD NOTICE.

A petition having been presented to the board of county commissioners asking to open and make public and grade the road in Madison township passing through and over the lands of P. M. Gordon, C. R. Gordon and W. D. Lambeth, beginning at the mill box at P. M. Gordon's on the road leading to Monticello, and running south one half mile to Snider's mill road near W. D. Lambeth's residence, according to land owner's survey; this is to notify all persons objecting to same to appear before said board at the next regular meeting on Tuesday, February 4, 1913, and state said objection.

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