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There are numerous complaints of chickens injuring neighbors' gardens. This is an important matter that deserves consideration and people who have chickens should be considerate enough of their neighbors' welfare to keep their chickens at home. It is bad enough to have one's own chickens scratch up the garden and it is too much to expect your neighbor to tolerate it. No one wants to kill his neighbors' chickens, but the law gives him this right after giving the owner three notices to keep them off of his premises.

A negro woman was haled into court the other day and taxed with the costs for permitting a little poodle dog to run at large without a muzzle on. This is nothing short of the rankest injustice and a specimen of littleness of which an enlightened people ought to be ashamed. There are hundreds of unmuzzled dogs to be seen on our streets every day, large, vicious dogs, belonging to people who know the law and are perfectly able to purchse muzzles and. if the law is to be enforced, all should be treated alike, or it should be repealed. This thing of dragging some Negro into court and taxing her with costs while the more able and "diliberate guilty" are allowed to go free is a blot on our civilization We think very lettle of an officer who will show such unjust partiality.

Four Houses Burned VesterdaY.

A rather serious fire on the east side of the southern Railway's main line on Chestnut Hill yesterday morning completely destroyed four cottages and a barn The fire originated in the residence occupied by a Mr Keith and owing to a high wind spread quickly to the adjoining houses on each side, one of which was occupied by Mrs John Trexler and the other by Mrs Morris. The flames then crossed a narrow street and consumed a cottage occupied by Charlie Hartman and also destoyed a barn near by All were burned to the ground. The occupants saved a part of their household " goods Other nearby homes were endangered by sparks fanned along and at great distance by the high winds

The nearest hydrant was on South Main street about two blocks or more from the scene of the fire. The location of the fire was at a point between the Yadkin railway just where it leaves the main line roadbed and the Goodman Lumber Company's plant and first reports coming to the city were that it was the lumber plant burning and a great crowd flocked to the scene. The barn destroyed belonged to Mr Link.

DR. DUTTERA PRESIDENT P. O. S. OF A.

W. A. Daniel of Salisbury Secretary. Goldsboro Gets Next Meeting of this Organization.

Lexington, May 15.—The state camp Patriotic Sons of America began its two day session here this morning with upward of a a hundred delegates and officers in attendance. Vice President J C Kesler, of Salisbrry, presided in the absence of President M F Hatcher, of Salisbury, who was called Sunday to Fort Oglethorpe to enter training. Major Young and Major Wade Phillips delivered the welcoming addresses and the response was by past President T Ivey, of Carey. Devotional exercises were conducted by Dr W B Duttera, of Salisbury, and Dr J C Leonard, of Lexington. The report of the officers showed that the order now has a membership of over 2,000 in the state, having made a gain of more than 600 during the past year. During the past year an insurance department with funeral benefits by each member has been chartered and put into working order. The state camp was organized here in 1911.

This afternoon the annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Dr W B Duttera, Salisbury; vice-president, Fred O Sink, Lexington; master of forms, M W Allen, Watts X Roads; secretary, W A Daniel, Salisbury; treasurer, H H Koonts, Lexington; conductor, Daniel Barton, Winston Salem; inspector, J E Frazier, Swepsonville; guard, J M Branock, Spencer; trustee, Jethro Almond, Albemarle; directors, E A Timberlake, Lexington, and W A Hersham, Concord; delegates to national camp, J C Kesler and C M C Barger, Salisbury; H H Koonts and R C Harris, Lexington. Goldsboro was chosen over Gastonia as the next meeting place.

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Destroys Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.

Ever see a $ Mark on a Tombstone.

In glancing over a dailey paper the other day, we found the notice of a farmer's death and in the obituary a paragraph that seems worth passing on:

"For twenty years Mr. Mitchel has been chairman of the local school committee, giving his whole-hearted support to the school, the education of the youth of Rolesville being his one great ambition. It is generally conceded that to him is due the credit for the fact that the school is the social center of the community that it is today."

And the gratifying fact is that all over the South we have an increasing number of men and women who, when their obituaries are written, will likewise have it said of them that they didn't live for self alone, bnt did something worthy and specific for the good of the community. There has always been a desire among our people to help the community, but until lately it hasn't found adequate means of expression. "A dollar mark is something you never see on a tombstone," says Dr. D W Daniel. "A man may give his life to making money, but he wants something better said of him when he dies." And now, with all the new forward movements in the South, a man may easily work so that this something better may be said. Ask yourself what unselfish movements you are helping forward.—The Progressive Farmer

Quite a number of Salisburians attendid the State convention of the Baracas and Philatheas at Asheville last week.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

DON'T WAIT

Take Advantage of a Salisbury Citizen's Experience.

When the back begins to ache,
Don't wait until backache becomes chronic;
"Till kidney troubles develop;
Till urinary troubles destroy night's rest.

Profit by a Salisbnry woman's experience.

Mrs. D. A. Holbrooks, 213 S. Lee St., Salisbury, says: "Some years ago I had attacks of lumbago that nearly put me down and out. My back ached constantly. Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended to me by a friend and I began taking them. They helped me at once. Whenever my back causes me any misery now, I use Doan's Kidney Pills and get prompt relief."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Holbroks had. Foster Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

City Election.

The city election, which was a very quiet affair, only 200 votes being polled, took place here yesterday, the voting being done at the usual polling places and as there was no opposition to the Democratic nominees they were elected unanimously, to wit;

Mayor, Walter H. Woodson.

Alderman, West Ward, J. E. Conley, J G Crowder; North Ward, J E Hennessee, C M Henderlite; East Ward, H E Rufty, R L Julian; South Ward, J D Norwood, J F Ludwick.

Get Rid of Your Rheumatism.

Now is the time to get rid of your rheumatism. You will find Chamberlain's Liniment a great help. The relief which it affords is alone worth many times its cost.

St. Matthew's Chnrch S. S. Picnics.

On Ascension day, May 17, the pupils of St Mathew's Sunday School, had a delightful picnic at Wyatt's ferry on the Yadkin river. There was an address by Rev. H. A. Trexler and a delighful sociable time was had by the pupils of the school and visitors from other parts of Rowan and Davidson counties.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System—The Old Standard general strengthening tonic GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c

The old wooden building on North Main Street adjoining the railroad has been torn awayand an oil supply station will be erected in its place.

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It will also be found most satisfactory as a tonic following an attack of illness.

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wherever you go. Travelers and others compelled to take long drives in the cold and anyone whose occupation subjects him to the danger of sudden colds may use it as a preventive with the assurance that the tablets made are from the same formulary as the liquid medicine with its 44 years of success before the American Public.

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Women's and children's rubber-bottom Tennis Slippers ..... **48c.**

Women's boys' and men's better Tennis Shoes at **75c and 89c.**

Our 89c Counter.

Big lot of odd pairs, closeouts, etc., in women's and children's white Slippers, patent Mary Jane Pumps, Oxfords, etc., worth up to $1 98, choice..... **98c.**

Women's or Misses white rubber bottom Sport Oxfords for **$1.48**

Women's Stylish white Pumps for ..... **$1.48 and up**

Women's Kid Oxfords and Slippers for ..... **$1.25 and $1.50**

Women's Stylish patent Pumps, also Mary Jane styie for.. **$1.98 up**

When in Salisbury, make our Store your headquarters. We are always glad to be of service to you.

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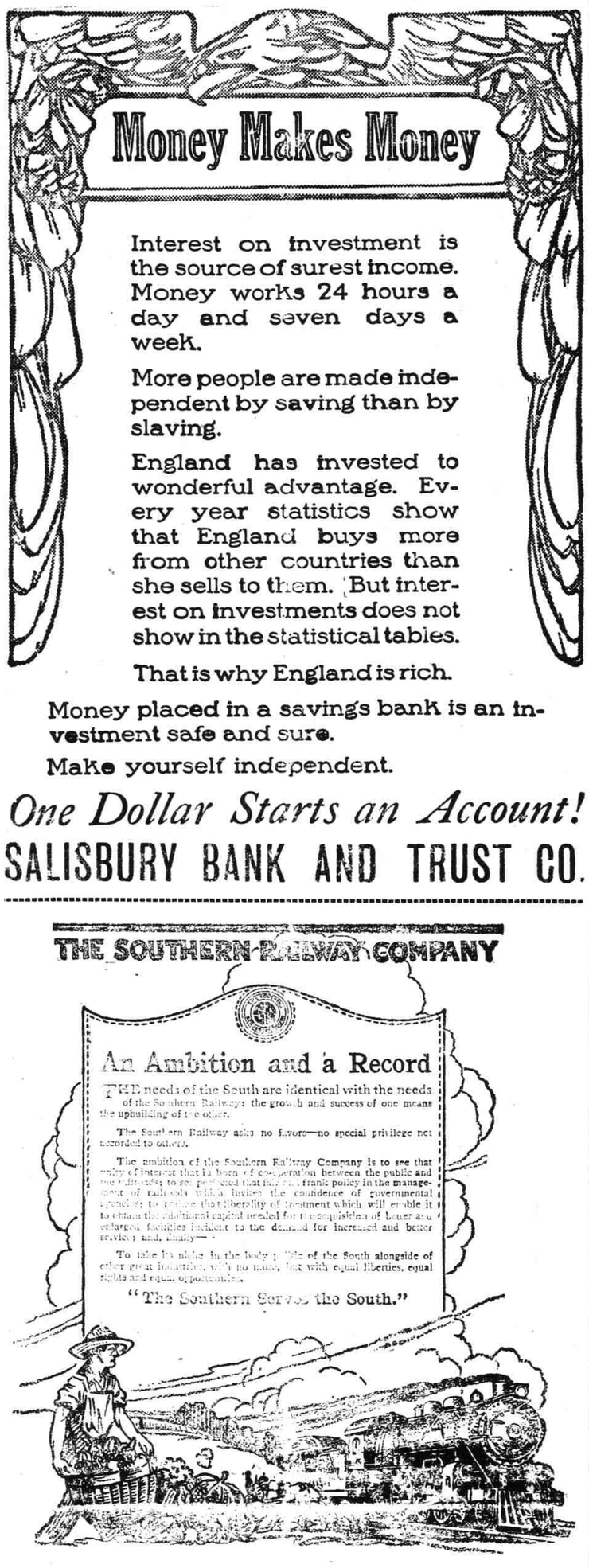

List Your Poll and Property for Taxation.

All poll's and property must be listed for taxation during the month of May. 1917.

Any person, firm or corporation not listing within the prescribed time will be subject to the fines and penalties provided by law.

By order Board of Commissioners

E. B. NEAVE,
County Auditor.

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Sale of Valuable Farm

Pursuant to an order and decree of the Superior Court in the matter entitled Margaret C Gaither Robert Safriet Martin Safriet, John S Safriet June Safriet, Martin Safriet, Jr, Bessie Safriet-West, Edna Safriet-West, Dora Safriet, Arthur Safriet and Louise Safriet, heirs-at-law of D M. Campbell, deceased, appointing the undersigned commissioners to sell the estate of the late D. M Campbell, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on THURSDAY. JUNE 21, 1917, at 12 o'clock M., on the premises, at the late home of D M Campbell, the following described real estate to-wit.:

One tract of land in Scotch Irish Township, on South Yadkin River, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stone on the bank of South Yadkin River and runs S. 11 deg E 260 poles to a stone, Cartner's corner; thence S: 88½ deg. E 110 poles to a stone; thence N. 50 deg E 6 poles to a stone on the bank of the river; thence with the meanders of said river to the beginning, containing 209 acres more or less This is a valuable tract of land, in a high state of cultivation, and has several thousand dollars worth of timber on it, a great deal of which can be used for building purposes

If it is desired, the land will be made into several tracts and sold as such, and then as a whole. Terms of sale one-third (⅓) cash, the balance in six months with approved security, with interest from date of sale.

Now is the time to purchase a valuable farm, and prospective purchasers may confer with W A Bristol. Esq, Statesville, N. C., or Jones & Clement, Winston-Salem, N. C., or R. Lee Wright, Salisbury, N. C. Title perfect and the purchaser will get a court title

Sale will be left open for an increase bid as now provided by law

This May 12, 1917.

J H CLEMENT,
W. A BRISTOL,
Commissioners.

E. B. JONES, Winston-Salem, N. C.,
R LEE WRIGHT, Salisbury N. C.,
Attorneys.

Notice to Creditors.

Having qualified as administrator upon the estate of Wincie Fisher, deceased, notice is hereby given to all person having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned on or before May 18, 1918, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery

Any person indebted to the estate will call and settle with the under-signed at once.

This May 18, 1917.

J. D. A. Fisher, Administrator,
R F D No. 3, Salisbury, N. C.