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"I have taken Cardui for run-
down, worn-out condition,
nervousness and sleeplessness,
and I was weak, too," says
Mrs. Silvie Estes, of Jennings,
Okla. "Cardui did me just lots
of good—so much that I gave it
to my daughter. She com-
plained of a soreness in her sides
and back. She took three
bottles of
CARDUI
The Woman's Tonic
and her condition was much
better.
"We have lived here, near
Jennings, for 26 years, and now
we have our own home in town.
I have had to work pretty hard,
as this country wasn't built up,
and it made it hard for us.
"I WISH I could tell weak
women of Cardui—the medicine
that helped give me the strength
to go on and do my work."
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**Tired
aching feet?
MENTHOLATUM
soothes, cools and
relieves.**



**Take a box
with you.**
If you have headache,
backache, toothache, neu-
ralgia, rheumatism, sciatica
DR. MILES'
Anti-Pain Pills
will give you quick relief.
A package of these pills
in your pocket or in your
shopping bag may save you
hours of suffering.
Your druggist sells them
at pre-war prices—25 doses
25 cents. Economy pack-
age, 325 doses \$1.00.

**NOTICE OF SERVICE OF SUM-
MONS BY PUBLICATION.**
In Superior Court, Aug. Term, 1923.
North Carolina, Chatham County.
Morris Brooks
vs.
Alma Brooks
The defendant above named will
take notice that an action entitled as
above has been commenced in the Su-
perior Court of Chatham County,
North Carolina, to secure for plaintiff
an absolute divorce from her; and the
said defendant will further take no-
tice that she is required to appear on
or before the 6th day of July, 1923, at
the office of Clerk of Superior Court
for Chatham County, North Carolina,
at his office in the court house and
answer or demur to the complaint in
said action, or the plaintiff will apply
to the court for the relief demanded
in said complaint.
This June 6th, 1923.
J. DWEY DORSETT,
Clerk Superior Court.
R. F. PACHAL,
Attorney
July 5-c

HISTORY OF COAL MINING.
(Continued from Page Three)

mostly because Peter Evans raised
corn enough on his river bottom
plantations to feed the entire section.
But he little dreamed of the wealth
that was underneath the earth and
the millions of dollars that may yet
be taken from it. Nobody pretends
to think that the field is going to
rival the great coal areas of the North
and Middle West, but there is enough
coal there to supply a railroad or two
and there is an advantage of \$3.50
in freight rates that will make pos-
sible a reasonable profit to the opera-
tors.
Neither of the companies is asking
for anything more than to be let
alone. They have no stock selling
scheme, and from the way the field
is being developed, it is unlikely that
any such eventuality will come out
of the field. They have discovered no
oil wells, although they occasionally
strike an oil-bearing shale. They have
gone at it on a business-like scale.
Whether the old iron mines will
ever be re-opened and car wheels and
rifles be manufactured there again,
whether to river will ever be cleared
of its fish traps and made navigable
by the Governor's ambitious scheme,
or whether the gold of the Uwarrie
will ever again tempt the fortune hun-
ter, Deep River has its mines, and just
the going down in one of them pro-
vides the layman with about as keen
a thrill as he need want.

—THOUGHT THEY WERE BLIND.—

**How a Pittsboro Joker Played It on
Two Farmers.**
By Rambler.
"They" tell a good one on our
friends, Willie Ward and Dock Gun-
ter. "They" do say that Willie and
Dock came over to Pittsboro a few
nights ago on a visit to a friend who
had kindly invited them. And "they"
do say that the friend had gathered
into the fold a quart of mountain
dew, not Hickory Mountain.
Now everybody that knows Mr.
Ward and Mr. Gunter know that they
are almost total abstainers from the
ardent, but not to disappoint the
friend they did partake of a drink or
two and probably several more.
Now this friend of the two is quite
a joker. For some time the three
sat and talked farming, because the
two visitors are first class farmers,
and they talked city talk, because the
hostess is a city man.
When things began to get mellow
the joker excused himself, leaving
Willie and Dock to talk politics. In
a few minutes after mine host had
gone out the electric lights gradually
became dim. Then they went out en-
tirely, leaving the two men in the
dark.
"What's the matter with my eyes,"
asked Mr. Ward. "I can't see a wink."
"Something's got wrong with mine,"
said Mr. Gunter.
"Wonder if that is wood alcohol we
are drinking," asked Mr. Ward.
"I 'spect it is," replied Mr. Gunter.
"Where is John gone?" asked Mr.
Ward. "He'd better send for the doc-
tor. I am blind as a bat."
"So am I," replied Mr. Gunter.
Just then the joker came in and the
two stricken and blind men began to
moan their fate to him. The thoughts
of being blind the balance of their life
almost paralyzed them.
"Get a doctor quick, John," said
Mr. Ward.
"Yes, get him as quick as you can,"
replied Mr. Gunter.
John went out and in a few min-
utes Dr. Chapin came rushing in. The
house was all dark, but he could hear
moans and groans of Mr. Ward and
Mr. Gunter.
"Oh, Lord," cried Mr. Ward and Mr.
Gunter together, "save my eye-sight
and we'll never drink another drop."
Just then the lights were turned
on. There stood Dr. Chapin, his mouth
full of handkerchief and John near
the door with a grin on his face that
would have thrown the Pittsboro fast
express from the track if it had hit
it, and there stood Mr. Ward and Mr.
Gunter in another part of the room,
wondering what had hit 'em.
"Doggone it," said Mr. Ward.
"What's the matter with you all. Are
you drunk? and what's Dr. Chapin do-
ing here?"
Of course Mr. Ward and Mr. Gunter
did not feel their dram. Of course
they did not know that the lights had
been turned off and of course they
both enjoyed the joke after they had
been told all about it, but you had bet-
ter not say anything to Mr. Ward or
Mr. Gunter about their being blind a
few minutes.

LEARN TO SWIM.

As a sport and recreational diversion
there is no form of exercise more
conductive to physical development
more healthful or wholesome in ev-
ery way, than is swimming.
But regardless of that, everyone
should learn to swim, if for no other
reason than to add to his capacity of
compliance with the "first law of na-
ture" which is self-preservation.
Every year thousands of persons in
this country drown because unexpect-
edly precipitated into water, or acci-
dentally getting into water "over their
heads," they find themselves helpless
and beyond the reach of companions
able to assist them.
No person, boy or girl, man or wo-
man, knows at what moment an occa-
sion may arise when his or other hu-
man life may depend upon his ability
to swim.
"Pittsboro has some very inquisi-
tive people," remarked a citizen the
other day. "One half of them don't
know how the other half lives, and it
worries them considerably, and I'll be
doggoned if they don't find out if
there is any possible chance."

"COLD IN THE HEAD"

is an acute attack of Nasal Catarrh.
These subject to frequent "colds" are
generally in a "run down" condition.
HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a
Treatment consisting of an Ointment,
to be used locally, and a Tonic, which acts
quickly through the Blood on the Mucous
Surfaces, building up the System,
and making you less liable to "colds."
Sold by druggists for over 40 Years.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

BRIEF, INTERESTING FACTS

**Figures and Historical Mention
Of Interest.**

Dearborn Independent.
Grandfather clocks are being made
by old established firms at Furtwan-
gen and Lenskirch.
One hundred and fifty families are
to be brought into British Columbia
and settled under private enterprise
in the valleys east and southeast of
Fort George.
The price of bread in Paris and the
Seine Department is the highest that
has been known since the siege of Pa-
ris in 1870. Bread is the chief food-
stuff of the French population.
Raising queen bees brings a Calla-
len, Texas, man an annual revenue of
more than \$50,000, most of which is
clear profit. Breeding queen bees is
done partly by artificial means.
Steam heating in England is scarce-
ly known. Even in the large hotels a
guest wanting heat lights his own fire
and pays the management from 50
cents to \$1 for the privilege.
Emmet Dalton, the last of the fa-
mous Dalton brothers' gang which ter-
rorized the West a generation ago,
says, "A dollar honestly earned is
worth \$10,000 obtained by fraudulent
means." He spent 14 years in prison
to expiate his crimes. He is a resid-
ent of Los Angeles.

Constantinople is said to be the
noisiest city in the world. At frequ-
ent taking her to the city he operat-
with long thick clubs beat heavily up
on the stones of the street. Cats, dogs
and wandering drunks make it almost
impossible to sleep. Just before day-
break an army of food peddlers begins
to fill the air with their clamor.

A Kentucky mountain girl, crippled
with infantile paralysis, crawled on
her hands and knees to school over a
mountain more than a mile and a half
away. The sharp rocks, despite pads,
cut her knees so she could not make
the trip more than a few times. A
Louisville physician heard of the case
and taking her to the city her operat-
ed on her. By breaking and resetting
the bones in her legs he made it pos-
sible for her to walk in a year's time.
She learned to read and write in the
hospital and was taken to Berea Col-
lege to finish her education. A man
whose name is withheld deposited \$1,
000 to her credit in a Louisville bank.

N. C. INCREASED ALLOTMENT.

Mr. Albert A. Cox, of Raleigh, State
Aide to the Secretary of War for
procurement of candidates for Citiz-
ens' Military Training Camps has re-
ceived the following wire from Mr.
Clarke Howell, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga.,
who is the Corps Area Aide to the
Secretary of War:
"Additional quota assigned South-
ern States of six hundred by War
Department for Citizens' Military
Training Camps. Three hundred more
qualified applicants needed from your
State before July 10th. Please give
all additional publicity possible thru
newspapers and local representatives.
The old Southern States head the
country, let's show the War Depart-
ment we can produce the needed ap-
plicants."
Application blanks and informati on
can be obtained from Mr. Albert A.
Cox, Raleigh N. C.

Airplane Passes Over Town.

An airplane passed over Pittsboro
last Saturday morning about 9:30
headed due north. It was several hun-
dred feet high.
A negro boy, standing in a wag-
on on the street watching the plane
remarked "You can't fool me; dat's
nothing but one of dem South Caro-
lina buzzards." And it did look like
one as it smoothly sailed through the
air.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE.

By virtue and authority of a certain
deed of trust executed by Lonnie
Williams and Mary Williams, his wife,
on the 14th day of April, 1920, to the
undersigned trustee, securing certain
indebtedness to W. J. Williams, and
the same having been duly recorded
in the office of the Register of Deeds
for Chatham County in book "F. S."
pages 253-254, and the same having
been transferred to Vincent Warren
Co., who are now holders of said deed
of trust, and default having been made
in the payment of the principal and
interest on the same, I will on
**Monday, July 30th, 1923, at 12 o'-
clock, M.,**
at the court house door in Pittsboro.,
Chatham county, North Carolina, sell
for cash to the highest bidder, all the
right, title and interest that the said
Lonnie Williams and Mary Williams,
his wife, may have in the following
tract of land, situated in Williams and
Baldwin townships, Chatham county,
North Carolina, adjoining the lands
of R. L. Ward and others:
Beginning at the fork of Fayette-
ville and Pittsboro road; thence with
the Fayetteville road in a Southly di-
rection 80 chains to the corner of the
public school lot; thence west with
said school lot 3 chains; thence with
said school lot South 23 degrees East
3 1-3 chains; thence with said school
lot East 3 chains to the Fayetteville
road; thence with said road in a
Southly direction 21 chains to a stake;
thence East 23 1-2 chains to a stake;
thence 10 1-2 chains to stump; thence
West 45 chains to a Sourwood; thence
North 28 chains to a poplar on the
bank of branch; thence down said
branch as it meanders 13 chains;
chains; thence west 3 1-2 chains;
thence South 70 degrees, West 10
chains; thence North 5 degrees West
5 1-2 chains to a pine on the Pitts-
boro road; thence with said road 33
1-2 chains to first station, containing
about 100 acres and being lot No. 2,
in the division of the Mary Smith land
devised to Annette Kirby and others.
This June 21, 1923.
A. C. Ray A. J. RIGGSBEE,
Attorney, Trustee.
July 19-c.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of the powers of sale
contained in two certain trust deeds,
one bearing date of December 8th,
1917; the other of April 24th, 1919,
executed by Luther M. Riggsbee and
Tollie Riggsbee, his wife, to R. H.
Hayes, Trustee, the undersigned hav-
ing by a decree of the Superior Court
of Chatham County, North Carolina,
been empowered and authorized to ex-
ecute the trusts therein named in lieu
of the original trustee, we will
On Saturday, the 14th of July, 1923,
at 12 o'clock, M.,
sell to the highest bidder for cash at
Court House Door in Pittsboro, N. C.,
the following tracts or parcels of land,
lying and being in Baldwin Township,
Chatham County, N. C., viz:
First tract: That forty-five acre
tract devised to Luther M. Riggsbee
by the last will and testament of W.
J. Riggsbee, deceased, bounded on the
North by the Home Tract of the late
W. J. Riggsbee; on the East by the
lands of E. M. Fearington; on the
South by the lands of E. Morphis; and
on the West by the lands of T. W.
Herndon and I. J. Morris.
Second tract: That thirty acre tract
also devised to Luther M. Riggsbee
by W. J. Riggsbee, deceased, bounded
on the North by the lands of Miss
Cara Riggsbee; on the East by the
lands of E. M. Fearington; on the
South by the lands described as tract
First, and on the West by the lands
of E. M. Fearington.
This land is embraced in the deeds
of trust above mentioned, one of which
is registered in the office of the Reg-
ister of Deeds in and for Chatham
County, North Carolina, in book "F
I" page 365, et seq; and the other
with said office and in book "F 1", page
494, et seq, and the authority of the
undersigned to sell the same is con-
tained in a decree duly entered in the
Superior Court of Chatham County,
N. C.
This June 11th, 1923.
WALTER SILER,
WADE BARBER,
Trustee.
July 5-p.

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Notice of Tax Sale.
By authority vested by Legislative enactment the under-
signed will sell at public auction the real estate described
below for the non-payment of taxes for the year 1921, in
front of the postoffice, in the town of Siler City, at 10
o'clock, a. m., on
SATURDAY, JULY 21st
unless said taxes are satisfied on or before the day of
sale:
Walter Ferguson, tract of land, _____ 22.03
Mattie Sue Hatch, tract of land, _____ 19.99
J. R. Parks, Jr., one lot, _____ 4.39
Ben Beaver, house and lot, _____ 9.75
F. E. Womble, town lots, _____ 13.00
This 21st days of June, 1923.
C. H. CRUTCHFIELD,
City Tax Collector.

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of the Proposition
When About to Invest**
Look into, back of and all around any proposition that
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whether the savings of a short period of time, the ac-
cumulation of years, or such funds as are held in trust,
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