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**GIVE US LAW AND ORDER.**

Sheriff Petree will confer a kindness on the good people of Danbury for which they will feel grateful, by appointing a courageous Deputy Sheriff at Danbury at once, with instructions to do his whole duty.

Though we have magistrates and constables galore, liquor is being sold in the community daily in open and reckless violation of the law, and all the ills and discomforts usually attendant upon such a state of affairs are present. At times on the streets—especially on Sundays—crowds of drunken negroes and low whites congregate, blocking up the sidewalks, indulging in loud and boisterous laughter, oaths and obscene language, so that a lady may not venture out without imminent danger of an insult. Often far into the night may be heard the ribald revelries, disturbing the citizens and rendering them uneasy for their property. Such a condition should not be tolerated in any community having any kind of respect for common decency and morality.

Formerly, with Sheriff Joyce a resident, security was felt, for the ruffians feared him. Now the Sheriff absent, with Christmas approaching—that "gay" season when the hoodlums feel it their religious duty to get drunk and raise Cain—with our natives reinforced by a lot of aliens, and all fall of the Walnut Cove white lightning that is getting to be more plentiful than water—respectable people will feel securer by having a good officer around with plenty of nerve, and thus save our citizens the disagreeable necessity of violence.

The intelligence coming from the markets of a drop in the price of tobacco amounting to an average of \$2.00 per hundred, is discouraging news, but disappoints only those who believe in their hearts that the American Tobacco Company is the best friend the farmer ever had. Those who think that the Trust, having in its hands the supreme power of unlimited money and backed by the tacit approval of a great majority of the suffragists of the country, will have compassion on the farmer at its mercy and pay him a good price for his product, do not understand the secret springs that move in a soulless corporation. If the A. T. Co. is the farmer's friend, then may the lamb claim a friend in the wolf that tears it limb from limb.

Several more R. F. D. routes could be established with bases at Danbury, if the right kind of energy and shrewdness were brought to bear. These routes are of great benefit to the people, besides affording employment at good wages to the carriers. The government has appropriated the money to carry them on, and why shouldn't we take advantage of them while there's a chance.

There are a few places on the Danbury-Walnut-Cove road which should be looked after by the supervisors and overseers at once, before the weather gets worse, or else travel will have to be suspended until spring, unless the services of Jake Hill's airship can be retained for the winter.

**BE QUICK.**

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by all druggists and dealers.

**COUNTY EXHIBIT.**

Claims Audited By the Board Of Commissioners Of Stokes County, N. C., From December 1st, 1903, To December 1st, 1904.

(Continued from first page.)

N E Pepper, registrar of Nov. election,	7.93
S B Taylor, " " " "	2.00
E L Cumbie, " " " "	8.87
G C Garner, " " " "	9.23
J T Johnson, " " " "	9.82
J R Stone, " " " "	10.23
J D George, " " " "	12.36
R E Smith, " " " "	9.53
R L Lawson, " " " "	11.60
T M Martin, " " " "	12.27
E L Mitchell, " " " "	9.30
J Mat Rierson, " " " "	8.29
J W Davis, " " " "	11.08
W E Lasley, " " " "	7.08
R H R Blair, judge " " " "	1.00
J W Alley, " " " "	1.00
S E Hicks, " " " "	2.00
W F Chapman, " " " "	1.00
G W Newsom, " " " "	3.00
D Poindexter, " " " "	2.00
J H Hilsabeck, " " " "	2.00
J L Lane, " " " "	1.00
D V Carroll, " " " "	1.00
P P Johnson, " " " "	1.00
W C Dennis, " " " "	1.00
J W King, " " " "	1.00
J W Thore, " " " "	1.00
J F Nunn, " " " "	1.00
W W Leak, " " " "	2.00
F T Hundley, " " " "	2.00
O M Bennett, " " " "	2.00
J S Whitten, " " " "	3.00
J H Brown, " " " "	1.00
R A Deshazo, " " " "	1.00
John Rothrock, " " " "	1.00
J M Fagg, " " " "	1.00
J H Varner, " " " "	1.00
G F Daniels, " " " "	1.00
W L Vaughn, " " " "	1.00
J H Fulton, " " " "	1.00
W W Fulp, " " " "	1.00
J D Murray, " " " "	1.00
G G Boles, bailiff " " " "	1.00
J R Hutchins, " " " "	1.00
J W Tucker, " " " "	1.00
W J Spainhower, " " " "	1.00
Ed Nunn, " " " "	1.00
R L Rhodes, " " " "	1.00
S M Shelton, jr., " " " "	1.00
R L Pratt, " " " "	1.00
J F Dunlap, " " " "	1.00
Tom Southern, " " " "	1.00
C M Burton, " " " "	1.00
N O Petree, board of court house supt.,	16.25
N O Petree, well fixtures, work etc.,	2.80
N O Petree, expenses and time buying court house furniture,	7.85
N O Petree, ordinary and extra services as counsel one year,	75.00
R L Pratt, bailiff in 1900 election,	1.00
M T Chilton, c. s. c., services and expenses in office,	16.12
Jno. W Gann, commissioner and mileage,	30.30
Jos. Martin, " " " "	18.00
J C Flippin, " " " "	22.00
I M Gordon r. d., making out taxes for 1904, copying Sheriff's books etc.,	241.50
I M Gordon, r. d., clerk board county commissioners and expenses paid in office,	268.81
<b>Total promiscuous claims,</b>	<b>\$5029.97</b>

**OUTSIDE PAUPER CLAIMS DURING THE YEAR.**

Gine Manning and others,	28.25
Susan Chandler,	12.00
Leathy Caudle,	16.00
Mamie Gordon,	8.00
Huldah Culler,	8.00
Polly Coon's daughter,	12.00
James Wall,	12.00
Jennie Talley,	8.00
Delilah Vernon,	11.00
Kitty Shelton,	22.00
Louisiana Page,	10.00
Milton Burrow,	12.00
Alfred Smith,	12.00
Mark Johnson's sisters,	8.50
Cinda Thompson,	8.00
Susan Mabe,	12.00
Betsy Bullen,	6.00
Polly Bullen,	6.00
Pleasant Oakley,	12.00
Gabe Glidewell and wife,	16.00
Leathy Pruett,	10.00
Lydia Sammons,	8.00
Charlotte Manuel,	8.00
Wm. Manuel,	18.00
Fannie Reid,	8.00
Mary Fry,	7.50
M C Marshall,	9.50
Albert Tuttle,	10.50
Frank East's children,	9.00
Asa Nunn, wife and others,	26.00
Wm. Tilley,	6.00
V W Newsom,	12.00
Barnett Finney,	4.00
Betty Hennis,	8.00
J L Freeman,	11.00
Margaret Stewart,	6.00
Susan Hairston,	4.00
Creasy Hawkins,	5.50
Luther Mitchell,	6.00
Briny Brim,	4.00
Peter Hicks,	6.00
Fannie Reid,	5.00
Mickey Hawkins,	6.00
Fannie Robertson,	3.00
Sinie Manuel,	4.50
Sallie Goin,	2.00
Mamie Shelton,	8.00
Isaac Biby,	4.00
Calvin Martin,	3.50
Nelia Barrett and family,	13.00
Lilly Tilley,	1.50
James Tilley,	1.00
Emma Covington's child,	1.00
Adaline Harris' two children,	6.00
Henry Hawkins,	5.00
M J Tilley,	1.50
<b>Total outside pauper claims,</b>	<b>\$ 491.75</b>
<b>Total promiscuous claims brought down,</b>	<b>5029.9</b>

Witness claims for spring term 1904, 59.66  
Jury claims for fall term 1903 and S T '04, 865.25  
Total current expenses, \$6446.63

**SHERIFF'S SETTLEMENT OF COUNTY FUNDS FOR 1903.**

To amount of revenue from all sources for county fund for the year 1903, after deducting insolvents, releases and Sheriff's commissions, (collected by Sheriff,) 7467.12  
By vouchers examined and approved, 7467.12

This makes his settlement of county funds complete.

**TREASURER J. M. REYNOLD'S SETTLEMENT OF COUNTY FUNDS FOR 1903.**

To amount received from R P Joyce, Shff., 7467.12  
To amount received from M T Chilton, c. s. c., 119.40  
To amount received from J P Smith, rent of home A and I, 50.00  
To amount received from interest on county funds loaned, 52.50  
To amount received from I M Gordon, R D., balance bridge funds in his hands, 82.20  
To amount received from R H R Blair for county timber, 4.77

By commissions on \$7775.99 @ 1/4 of 1 per ct., 38.87  
By vouchers examined and approved, \$7792.81  
By coms. on \$7792.81 @ 2 1/2 per ct., 194.82  
Amount remaining in Treasurer's hands September 7th, 1904, \$2470.73

**SHERIFF'S SETTLEMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS FOR 1903.**

To amount of revenue from all sources for school purposes, collected by Sheriff for the year 1903, after deducting insolvents, releases and Sheriff's commissions, 8154.15  
By vouchers examined and approved, 8154.15  
This makes his settlement of school funds complete.

**TREASURER J. M. REYNOLD'S SETTLEMENT OF SCHOOL FUNDS FOR 1903.**

To amount received from R P Joyce, Shff., 8154.15  
To amt received from M T Chilton, c. s. c., 559.11  
To amt received from State Treasurer including library, 2095.21  
To amt received from Justices of the Peace, 72.13  
To amt rec'd from sale old school property, 352.95  
To amt rec'd from County Superintendent, 41.00  
To amt rec'd from R E Smith, refunded, 2.40  
To amount received from Districts, 120.50  
To amount received from pay students from Rockingham county, 31.00  
To amount received for library, 10.00

To balance in his hands on last settlement, \$11438.45  
Total, \$12830.87  
By vouchers examined and approved, \$11572.76  
By coms. on \$11572.76 @ 2 1/2 per cent., 231.45  
Amount remaining in Treasurer's hands September 7th, 1904, \$1026.66

The above settlement were made at the September meeting of the Board of Commissioners 1904.

State of North Carolina, Office Board Com'rs. Stokes County.  
I, Isaac M. Gordon, Clerk of the Board of Commissioners for Stokes county, do certify that the foregoing is a true statement of county claims audited and allowed by said Board of Commissioners from December 1st, 1903 to December 1st, 1904. Also the amount of revenue from all sources for county and school purposes and the amount of county and school fund disbursed for the last fiscal year, as appears from Sheriff's and Treasurer's settlements of taxes for the year 1903.  
Witness my hand at office in Danbury, N. C., this 5th day of December, 1904.  
I. M. GORDON,  
Clerk Board County Commissioners.

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**LAND SALE.**

By authority of a decree of the Superior court of Stokes county in case of J. P. Covington administrator of Presley Pearce against William Pearce, Jacob Pearce, Delilah Welch and others, I will sell at public outcry at the late residence of said Presley Pearce, in Quaker Gap Township in Stokes county, on Saturday, December 17th, 1904, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the following lands on Brushy Creek in said Township and county to wit:  
One tract of 53 1/2 acres; one tract of 104 acres subject to the widow's dower. One tract of 136 acres. The above lands adjoin the lands of William Pearce, Robert Gibson, the lands of the late George Pearce and others.  
The larger tracts will be divided and first sold in smaller tracts and then as a whole and knocked off to the highest bidder.  
The above lands are well watered and are good for farming purposes.  
Terms of sale, one-half of purchase money to be due on the 1st day of January, 1905. The other half to be due on the 1st day of January, 1906, with interest, bond required for the deferred payments. Sold subject to the confirmation of the court.  
This the 7th day of Nov., 1904.  
J. P. COVINGTON,  
Admr. of Presley Pearce.  
Walter W. King, Atty.

**LAND SALE.**

By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Stokes county, made in the special proceedings entitled "J. P. Covington vs John Williams et al," we will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in the town of Danbury, N. C., on Monday, Jan 2nd 1905, at one o'clock, P. M., the following tract of land lying and being in Stokes county, on the north side of Furry Fork Creek, adjoining the lands of South, Lacy and others, being a part of what is known as the Polly Welch place, beginning at a stake on the north bank of Furry Fork Creek, in Smith's line, north 60 poles to Spanish oak corner, thence east 70 poles to the public road, thence down said road south 20 deg, east 37 poles to Furry Fork Creek, up the same south 40 deg, west 10 poles, 55 deg, west 39 poles, south 87 deg, west 10 poles, north 60 deg, west 34 poles north 47 deg, west 14 poles north 60 deg, west 22 poles to the beginning, containing 26 ac. 05. 00. more or less.  
This the 10th day of Nov., 1904.  
J. D. HUMPHREYS,  
N. O. PETREE,  
Commissioners.

**LAND SALE.**

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Stokes county, N. C., rendered by M. P. Chilton, C. S. C., in the special proceedings entitled "John E. Jackson adm'r of Joel J. Stone dec'd, vs Mary A. Jackson et al" appointing the undersigned a commissioner to make sale of the lands of the said Joel J. Stone dec'd for the purpose of making assets with which to pay off the debts and costs of administration upon said estate, I will on the premises on the 14th day of January, 1905 (the same being Saturday) offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described lands to wit: A certain tract or parcel of land situated, lying and being in Stokes county, N. C. and more particularly described and defined as follows to wit: Beginning at a black oak on the west side of the Little Yadkin, runs north 126 poles to a post oak, north 65 degrees east along a road 18 poles to a stake east 10 poles to a white oak, south 59 degrees east 6 poles to a black gum oak, north 80 degrees east 25 poles to a post oak, south 69 degrees east 49 poles to a hickory, south 30 degrees east 10 poles to a post oak bush, south 60 degrees east 18 poles to a rock, south 22 east 55 poles to a stake east crossing the Little Yadkin at the big rock running up a branch 84 poles to a post oak in the fork of said branch, south 60 poles to a red oak, thence 210 poles to the beginning containing 139 acres more or less. Also one other tract of land adjoining the above named tract on the east side thereof and it also adjoins the lands of Mastin Wall, Phillip Wall and Robert Taylor. The sale will be made subject to the confirmation of the court.  
Land will be sold in lots of convenient size in order to suit purchasers.  
This 7th day of Decm ber, 1904.  
JNO. B. JACKSON,  
Admr. of Joel J. Stone, dec'd. com.  
J. D. Humphreys, Atty.

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