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FOR FEBRUARY—Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays.
FOR MARCH—Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays.

BANNER WAREHOUSE

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Wants to Sell Your Tobacco.

Farmers always form new plans and new resolutions with the New Year, but none of them amount to anything unless carried out. Martinsville manufacturers want your tobacco, and will pay you good prices for it. Our plug trade was never better, and it will take double the leaf of any previous year to supply their trade.

I have sold tobacco for most all the Stokes County farmers and have most always gotten good prices. I can do so now, and beg that you bring me your first load in the New Year.

Our average for the month of December were only 10st per hundred less than during the month of November. Would you have thought that? I look for active market and better prices still on remainder of this crop. Farmers, I ask you to consider your best interest, and give me a trial and I will convince you that ours is your best market. I have two Stokes County men associated with me in my warehouse business, who will take pleasure in assisting me and my able force in making your trips to the Banner, both pleasant and profitable: W. M. Flynt, of Gideon, and also James Beasley, of State Line, neighborhood.

Hoping it will be my good pleasure to serve each and every one of you on the balance of the crop.

A prosperous and Happy New Year to each and all.

Your friend truly,
E. J. DAVIS.

NOTICE OF SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Stokes County, rendered in the Special proceeding, entitled "Julia F. Lawson and others against John T. Meadows, and others," I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in the town of Danbury, N. C., on Monday, March 6th, 1905, at one o'clock, P. M., a tract of and lying and being in the County of Stokes, adjoining the lands of P. Oliver, the George Wilson lands, and others, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

"Beginning at a rock in Oliver's line, thence East 35 chs. to a stake in Oliver's line, South on his line, nine chs. to a rock, his corner, West on his and Meadow's line, 19 chs. to a maple, South on Meadow's line, 21 chs. to a white oak, Meadow's corner in Tuttle's line, West 12-1/2 chs. to a white oak, Tuttle's corner, North S-1-2 chs. to a post oak, West 2-1/2 chs. to a black oak, Oliver's corner, North on Oliver's line, 20-1/2 chs. to the beginning, containing 59-9/10 acres, more or less."

The above tract of land will be sold as the property of Major Meadows, Deed., for partition among his heirs-at-law.

N. O. PETREE,
Commissioner.

Mortgage Sale of Land.

By virtue of a mortgage deed executed to William Wall by Joel I. Blackburn and wife S. M. Blackburn, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Stokes County in Book No. 27, page 495, I will sell for cash at public auction at the court house door in Danbury on Saturday, February 25, 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described lots in the town of Germantown, N. C.:

"First—Beginning at the corner of the Bowman house on Main Street, thence running south 59 degrees w 2-1/2 chs. to a post, corner of John I. Blitting's former lot, thence with his lot, 40 chs. to a stake, north 1 degree east 8-25 chs. to a stake, 5 feet w from the n w corner of an old house, n 88 degrees e 7-1/2 chs. to a stake in the road, s 23 degrees e 1-1/2 chs. to a stake corner of Kingsbury's lot, thence with said lot 40 degrees w 2 chs. to corner of said lot, s 40 degrees e 3-7/8 chs. to corner of Kingsbury's shop, s 50 degrees e 15 links to Bowman's house, s 40 chs. to a stake to the beginning, containing 4 acres 150 square poles, more or less."

"Second—One other lot bounded as follows: Beginning at a rock the corner of said lot, fronting the old court house, thence running n 42 degrees w along Main Street 15 poles to a post, s 40 degrees w 3 poles 6 feet 8 inches to a post, s 42 degrees e 15 poles to a gate post, thence n 48 degrees e 2 poles 6 feet 8 inches to the beginning, containing 50 poles, more or less. Save and except from the last lot a part thereof conveyed to G. B. Sullivan 27th of April, 1892, 28 feet on Main Street and 100 feet back (see deed in Book 34, p. 586)."

The above lots are well located and in the center of the town of Germantown, on the Southern Railroad, good society, schools and churches. This the 17th day of January, 1905.
JAMES C. WALL,
Administrator of William Wall

GERMANTOWN R. F. D. NO. 1.

Germantown R. F. D. No. 1,
January 14.

Mrs. Fannie Caudle is visiting Spray this week. Hope she will enjoy her trip.

They had a break down, cow bell serenade at Mr. W. H. Carroll's Friday night. I reckon they were trying to serenade A. M. C. and Miss M. E. C. but I think that he serenaded them.

Mrs. H. W. Carroll is visiting relatives at Winston.

J. R. D. has got him a knitting machine.

I think that chicken pox is getting thick around in this section.

Mr. Flay Stewart has got a ten-pound boy. Hurrah! for him.

They are all on the sick list at J. T. Carroll's. Hope they will soon recover.

VIOLETS.

In Memoriam.

The following is written in memory of William Kerr Bailey. Born July 30th, 1863, died January 2nd, 1905.

New Year's morn dawned bright and resplendent with the glories of earth and sky, but oh! how soon our household was shadowed with the darkest gloom when, in less than a moment's time and without warning, our precious little 17-months-old baby was from a laughing, playful and frolicsome child thrown into the most violent and intense suffering, incident to the overturning of a pan of boiling water on himself before anyone could reach him to save him. Blame for this can be consistently attached to no one, for either of us who were in the room would have willingly risked our very lives to have saved our darling from such awful pain and suffering and death. The accident occurred about fifteen minutes past eight o'clock. He suffered and lingered on until Monday night about fifteen minutes past ten o'clock, when the death Angel came to bear his precious soul away to live and be with Jesus evermore and where no pain nor sufferings are ever allowed to enter.

Our sky is overcast with shadows and darkness when we realize the fact that our precious little pet has gone from our earthly embrace forever. Without his presence and childish laughter our home indeed seems empty and cheerless and in our hearts there is an aching void which never can be filled. The only consolation that is vouchsafed to us is the sweet realization of the fact that our darling baby is safe with the Angels in Heaven, where no pain and intense sufferings shall ever more rack his being. And, too, we know that it will only be a little while until we, too, will cross the dark river and join our loved one among the Angels in Heaven.

Dear Little Bill! I miss him so! All through the day, where'er I go,
All through the night, how lonely it seems.
I miss him all through the weary hours,
Day-time or night-time, wherever I go,
Dear little Bill! I miss him so!
HIS MOTHER.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.
As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
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Now going on. Wonderful display of beautiful white fabrics at prices that will astonish you.

Some great values in fine muslin underwear for ladies and children.

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Cabbage Plants for sale, and now ready for delivery. "Early Jersey Wakefield" and "Charleston Large Type Wakefield," two rarest scapular varieties and head in rotation as named. "Sturgeson," "Augusta Truckee" and "Short Stem Flat Dutch," the 3 best flat-head varieties and head in rotation as named. Prices: Single thousand, \$1.50, 5,000 and over \$1.25 per 1000; 10,000 and over, \$1 per 1000. Terms: Cash with order, or, plants sent C. O. D., purchaser pay freight charges on money. Our plant beds occupy 35 acres on South Carolina Sea Coast, and we understand growing them in the open air, tough and hardy; they will stand severe cold without injury. Plants crated for shipment weigh 20 lbs. per 1000 and we have special low rates for prompt transportation by Southern Express Co. I know of other plants you can buy cheaper than mine. I sell good plants. No cheap "cut rate" plants shipped from my farm. I guarantee those that I ship to be true to type and name, and grown from high grade seeds purchased from two of the most reliable seed houses in the United States. I will refund purchase price to any dissatisfied customer at end of season.
Our Cotton Seed. Lint of our Long Staple variety of Sea Island Cotton sold this year in Charleston on Lee 2, at 32c per pound. Seed \$1.25 per bu; lots of 10 bu. and over \$1 per bushel. Mr. Specialty: Prompt Shippers, True Varieties, and Satisfied Customers. Have been in the plant business for thirty-five years.
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Post & Telegraph Office.

SCHAUB'S MILL.

Schaub's Mill, Jan. 20.
Miss S. visited her sister, Mrs. Westmoreland, a few days ago.
Miss Ella is all smiles, as Mr. J.—is coming.
Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Harris are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vest today.
I will close for fear of the waste basket.

Stamp Your Mail.

Patrons on rural routes should remember their carrier is their fellowman, neighbor and friend. It is all he can do to cover his route in the specified time, and we often wonder that he does as well as he does, considering the condition the roads have been in for the last few weeks. If all the patrons on routes would stamp their mail it would help the carrier considerably. He is often compelled to remove his glove and scratch around in the bottom of the box for pennies, when it would be just as cheap and much more convenient. If the mail was stamped, besides the carrier could serve his patrons more promptly if he did not have to waste his time feeling in boxes for pennies. Every patron should stamp his mail, especially in cold weather, and would be much better if he would stamp it all the year.—Ex.

Notice of Sale.

As administratrix of R. L. Hartman, deceased, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the late residence of R. L. Hartman, deceased, in Stokes County, beginning on the 13th day of February, 1905, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and continuing from day to day, as may be necessary, a lot of goods, wares, and merchandise, consisting of shoes, etc., etc.
This the 18th day of Jan. 1905.
M. L. L. HARTMAN,
Adm'x of R. L. Hartman, dec'd.

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NOTICE OF SALE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Stokes County, rendered in the Special proceeding, entitled "J. H. Covington, Adm'r., of Albert Boyles, Dec'd., against A. M. Boyles, and others," I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the late residence of the said Albert Boyles, Dec'd., in Stokes County, on Saturday, Feb. 11, 1905, at one o'clock, P. M., two tracts of land belonging to the said Albert Boyles, in Stokes County, and described as follows, to-wit:

First tract known as the home place of the said Albert Boyles, adjoining the lands of D. M. Tuttle, Louis Miller, Thilston, and others, on the waters of the Little Yadkin, containing 75 acres, more or less, (excepting a small lot cut off of same to the Trustees of Mount Olive Church), For more particular description of said tract of land, see deeds from Calvin R. Shore to Albert Boyles, in the Registers' Office of Stokes County, in Book No. 27, Page 538, and Book No. 29, Page 32. This tract will be sold subject to the Dower right of the widow of Albert Boyles, which has already been assigned to her.

Second tract, containing 60 acres more or less, on the waters of Sizemore Branch, known as the Steele tract, and being the tract conveyed to Albert Boyles, by W. F. King, Trustee, for boundaries of which, see deed in the Registers' Office of Stokes County, in Book No. 30, Page 54.

This the 24 day of Jan. 1905.
J. H. COVINGTON,
Administrator of Albert Boyles, Dec'd.

NOTICE.

State of North Carolina, In Superior Court. Stokes County. Landon J. Duncan, Plaintiff, vs. James T. Duncan, Sallie Duncan, Theresa Duncan, Elliott Duncan, Oscar E. Duncan, Peter Duncan, Henry J. Duncan, Defendants. State of North Carolina, to the Sheriff of Stokes County, greeting: You are commanded, to summon James T. Duncan, Sallie Duncan, Theresa Duncan, Elliott Duncan, Oscar E. Duncan, Peter Duncan and Henry J. Duncan, the defendants above named, if they be found within your county, to appear at the Office of the Clerk Superior Court, for the county of Stokes on the 11th day of Feb. 1905 and answer the complaint, a copy of which will be deposited in the Office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said County within ten days from the date of this summons, and let the defendants take notice that if they fail to answer the said complaint at that time, the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Hereof fail not and of this summons make due return.

Given under my hand, this 2nd day of Jan. 1905.

M. T. CHILTON C. S. C. Stokes County. State of North Carolina, In Superior Court. Stokes County. Landon J. Duncan, Plaintiff, vs. James T. Duncan, et al. Defts.

In the above entitled action, it appearing to the Court, upon affidavit filed, that Jas. T. Duncan, one of the defendants in said case, is a non-resident of the State of North Carolina, and cannot, after due diligence, be found therein, and cannot be personally served with process, and a necessary party to this action, the same being an action for the partition of the lands of Landon J. Duncan, et al.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that publication of summons be made for four successive weeks in the Danbury Reporter, a newspaper published in the County of Stokes, notifying the said James T. Duncan, to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Stokes County, in Danbury, N. C., on the 11th day of February, 1905, and answer or demur to the petition in said case. And let James T. Duncan take notice that if he fails to appear and answer or demur to the petition, on or by the said 11th day of February, 1905, the relief demanded in the petition will be granted.

This the 2nd day of Jan. 1905.

M. T. CHILTON, C. S. C. N. O. Putree, Atty. for Plff.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed in trust executed on the 25th day of Nov., 1903, by Arch Fry and his wife, Alpha Fry, to the undersigned, Walter L. McCanness, trustee, to secure the payment of a certain bond due to John D. Humphreys in the sum of \$757.30 and default having been made in the payment of said bond at the request of the said John D. Humphreys and in accordance with the terms, stipulations and conditions contained in said deed in trust I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in the town of Danbury, N. C., on Saturday the 4th day of February, 1905 the lands conveyed in said deed in trust which are described therein as follows, to-wit: Certain tracts of land lying and being in the county of Stokes aforesaid and more particularly described and defined as follows, to-wit: 1st tract beginning at a beech in Hall's line and runs S. 19-1/2 chs. to a white oak stump in Arch Fry's line, thence S. 40 degrees W. 7-1/2 chs. to a willow on the bank of Peter's Creek, thence up the creek as it meanders 65 chs. to a beech, thence W. 5-1/2 chs. to a stake, thence N. 25-1/2 chs. to a pine in Priddy's line, thence W. 24 chs. to the beginning containing 106 and one tenth acres more or less. It being a portion of lot No. 1 in the division of the lands of Arch Fry, Henry Fry, Harriet Harger, Mary A. Lawson. For record of said division reference is hereto made to book No. 42, page 376 in the office of the Register of Deeds of Stokes County, N. C. Second tract which is lot No. 2 in said division beginning at a maple in the line of lot No. 1, W. 29 chs. to a hickory on bank of Dan River, thence down the river as it meanders 40 chs. to the mouth of Peter's Creek, thence up the creek as it meanders 28 chs. to the mouth of Hall's branch, thence N. 47 degrees E. 7-1/2 chs. to white oak stump, thence N. 5-1/4 chs. to the beginning containing 65-1/2 acres less 20 acres sold off to W. G. Tucker. This Dec. the 27th, 1904.
W. L. McCANNLESS,
Trustee.

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