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The most creditable monument that South Carolina can raise to the memory of Editor Gonzales would be a gibbet with Jim Tillman hanging therefrom. - Greenville (N. C.) Reflector.

We print an interesting letfrom W. T. Meadows, manager of the Roanoke Warehouse at Williamston, which appeals to the planter of tobacco in Martin County. Mr. Meadows is a man of wide experience in the handling of the weed, and can intelligently view the situation from both the planter's and the bnyer's standpoint.

The Windsor Ledger of last week has an article on the importance of a tobacco market Bertie will, no doubt, become a vellow weed producer, but Williamston is the place to market it. The Ledger views with alarm the spirit of enterprise shown in the building of a road and cable ferry across the river. Yes, our market is a bidder for the crop across the Roanoke-may it come this way in abundance.

Promptly at Boon Friday. the joint Assembly convened Merrimon.—News & Observer. and elected Lee S. Overman to succeed Jeter C. Pritchard in the United States Senate. Mr. Morton placed him in nomination, and Mess Murphy, Norris and Hinton seconded his nomination. The ballot was, no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica the latter. It has a quality which body was glad the long strain was

clared Lee S. Overman elected earth for Piles, too. 25c, and the joint session ended. The contest was tiresome but withal pleasantly conducted. There were disappointments, season, a thought struck me that mate Martin County tobacco is work which had gone on for many of course but no bitterness of it might interest some of your readfeeling. Overman will receive ers, who are not as familiar with the cordial support of every the weed as I am, to throw out a olina. opponent in the fight. Quoting place, the gentlemen who spent Sei when a soldier lost his buck- buildings for the accommodation ler there was no regret because of the tobacco interest were wise in a soldier found it."

### HON. LEE S. OVERMAN.

Hon, Lee S. Overman was born in Salisbury, January 3rd. market in the two states. We have 1854. In 1874 he entered Trinity College, Randolph County. and graduated in 1876. Upon crage, I will say, of about eleven the redemption of the State by cents. We have a good, liberal set Gov. Vance in 1876; Mr. Over- of buyers, live, energetic wareman, a brill ant young man, housemen, liberal banking facilijust out of college, was made lies-in fact everything that goes to private secretary by the great War Governor, In that position Mr. Overman made a friend of every man who called at the our planters why the price on to-Executive Office, and formed many strong friendships. He devoted his nights to the study ling, itching and protruding piles, cuts, of law and in 1878 was licensed to practice law. In 1879 he of the skin. DeWitt's is the only Witch Hazel Saive that is made from the pure, resigned as private secretary returned to Salisbury where he enterel at oues upon a ractice that has grown with every passing year. He now

commands a clientele second to that of no practitioner, at a specially able bar. In 1886 he was elected a member of the House of Representatives from Rowan, and has deen elected five different times to the House. fle proved himself a safe and wise legislator, and his people have often called upon him to serve them. His record is without flaw. In 1893 he was elected Speaker of the House and proved one of the fittest men who has filled that high office in a quarter of a century. He is a slpendid parents, or change of Adver liamentarian, has commanding presence, and made a fine officer. He has held many positions of trust and honor. He was director and afterwards president of the North Carolina Railroad under the administration of Gov. Carr.

> At the session of the Legislature in 1895, the Democratic caucus nominated Mr. Overman as their canditate to succeed the lamented Vance bacco has declined in the rest six in the United State sSenate, and he received the vote of same old story of supply and deevery Democrat for that high mand. But I do not think it was office. In 1900 Mr. Overman a crop so large as to seriously afwas the Democratic President- fect prices permanently. It cannot ial elector for the State-atlarge. In that and in every other campaign since he attain- the present one were short crops. ed his majority made eloquent speeches for Democratic candidates. He is a Democrat without variableness or shadow of turning, and has always been there are many small sindependent ready to serve his party in the factories scattered over the country, ranks or in leadership. He is an cloquent and able campaigner; a successful and able lawyer; a popular and wise and is well equipped for the sey 4, New York 29, North Carogreat office of United States Senator.

Personally, Mr. Overman is a gentleman of high character .a popular and affable gentleman, and enjoys the cofidence and esteem of the peoale of the in England and Wales, besides a mous, and this was done. whole State. He was married in his early manhood to Miss Mary Merrimon. daughter of

### Wonderfal Nerve

Sore feet or stiff joints. But there's Overman 138. Pritchard 21. Salve will kill the pain and cure the is not found in the yellow and gold-over-the Overman men were hap-Lieut, Governor Turner de- trouble. It's the best Salve on en types of the Eastern counties, py that they had won and the sup

MR EDITOR:-

While thinking over what

few suggestions. In the first Locke Craig: "In the land of their means to erect the five large building substantial houses. I have been to every new market established in North Carolina and Virginia and the accommodations on this market, for a new market, are as good, if not better, than any sold direct from the planters over two and a half million pounds of make an up-to-date market. In the language of my friend, Pace, "Tobacco is King.'

I have been asked by several of

The only postalsa cure for blind, bleedunadulterated witch hazel-all others are counterfeits. DeWitt's Witch Hazel as well as I ever did in my life," to sell .- S. R. Biggs.

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or eight weeks. It's a hard ques amount to a large over-production. especially when we consider the fact that the two crops preceding Others say it is owing to a combination of the large companies. I cannot answer that assertion. It will take another crop to decide the matter. But I do know that and for the benefit of your readers I will give a few figures on that line: California has 2, Georgia 1, Illinois 7, Indiana 7, Iowa 1, Kentucky 50, Louisiana 6, Maryland 6, 58. Ohio 19. Pennsylvania 16, Virginia 66, South Carolina 1, Tennessee 30. West Virginia 4, Wisconsin 5. These factories manufacure plug and smoking tobaccos. There few in Scotland, Ireland, Japan

and Canada. the late United States Senate to the eigaratte and smoking tobac- and to invite all the Senatorial canand Chief Justice Augustus S. co trade, while that grown in the didates to come before the caucus. old tobacco belt of Virginia and The committee named was compos-North Carolina is especially adapted of the following: Messrs. Webb in the tobaccos grown in Eastern Watts. While the committee was Is displayed by a many a man Carolina and that in Rockingham, out, on motion of Senator Blow, enduring pains of accidental Cuts, Stokes, Surry, Caswell, Person and the public was invited to come into Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Granville Counties is in the heaveir the hall and it was a say scene. weight and rich mahogany color of The listlessness passed and everyand this quality is that which enables it to excel in the production had made a warm fight and had lost, of the best filler for plug tobacco glad that the strain was at last over, in the world. Planters attribute its and a Senator had been named. our tobacco market has done this quality to the altitude, soil and clisearer like it in character than any I have seen grown in Eastern Car.

This article is not intended to advocate an increase of acreage-instead I will say, cut a little off. It county raises mor etobacco than he with which you must be careful

My article is growing lengthy and I fear tiresone to many of your readers, but I want to put old Williamston down to sell five million pounds of the weed out of the next crop, and she will scare the above figures if she does not pass

Wishing you all a prosperous and happy 1903-

W. T. Meadows

A Very Clese Call "I stuck to my engine, although was racked with pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a locomotive fireman, aff run down. As I was about to for them, and for the splendid man Bitters, and after taking it, I felt conducted. Weak, sickly, run down people always gain new life, strength and vigor from their use. Try them. satisfaction guaranteed. Price 50c. pression to the feeling

## Lee S. Overman Wins On Sixty-First Ballot.

Result Greeted With an Outburst of Wild Applause.

### SEVENTY - THREE VOTES.

The end to the Senatorial contest | ai this mcment, but there only com ame last Thursday night, rather words, words, empty words, and how unexpectedly to many, but there were many who expected it. Ev- deep feelings which burn in my verybody was anxious to have it over, and when it became apparent, after the second ballot, that a nomination was in sight, there was a feeling of relief on all sides. The have the contest ended was even stronger in the Legislature.

It was remarkable that a contest so free from bitterness should last so long. It is a tribute to the esteem and regard in which the candidates were held. From the first nothing but friendliness prevailed among the candidates and their friends, and the end leaves no animosities or heart burning.

Amid great excitement, the roll call for the fist ballot was proceeded with. The Watson men looked solemn and sombre: the Overman men were jubilant and could not keep their seats. The galleries bition gratified. caught the contagion and every body was restless and nervous a the procession passed by the open basket and deposited their ballots

It was precisely 0:57 o'clock when Representative Whitaker began to call out the ballots and Clerk Murphy to repeat them. When it was found, as the roll call was completed that Overman was nominated there was wild cheering. The 61st ballot which nominated was as follows:

Craig . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 11 Then the applause grew fast and

> furious and everybody was talking onded by Mr. Doughton, of Alle-

are about 15 of 20 eigarctic facto grany, moved that the nomination ies in the United States, about 150 of Mr. Overman be made unani-On motion of Speaker Gattis The tobaccos raised in Eastern to wait on Mr. Overman and notify Carolina are especially adapted him that he had been nominated,

committee of three was appointed ed to plug tobacco. The difference Doughton, Gattis, Murphy and porters of Watson and Craig, who

days during which sixty-one ballots had been taken waited impatiently for the coming of the man it had named as the Democratic Senator

from North Carolina. Suddenly, as the caucus waited has been my personal observation there were shouts heard in the disthat almost every farmer in the tance. These heralded the coming of the winner in the great can handle successfully. It is a crop contest. The shouts grew londer, and as the party reached the rotunfrom the plant bed to the warehouse da of the Capitol they grew in vol-

Without the Hall there was mass of humanity. Into this finally came Hon, Lee S. Overman, his escorts, and with them Hon C. B. Watson and Hon. Locke Craig, whom Mr. Overman had joined in the office of Governor Aycock. Through the crowd they managed, with difficulty, to push their way into the Senate chamber, where the great crowd followed. These thronged about the three men whose names have been the topics of conversa tion for weeks and months, and every joint ached and every nerve while they showered congratula tions on the victor, there were many expressions of congratulations to of Burlington, Igwa. "I was weak the defeated candidates upon the and pale, without any appetite and great fight their friends had made give up, I got a bottle of Electric ner in which the campaign had been

WORDS FROM THE VICTOR. "Mr. Chairman, Gentlemen of the Joint Caucus, Ladies and Gentle-

inadequate they are to express the heart as I try to give utterance to the thoughts which show my great appreciation." "There has been fought out a roy-

al battle, such as has never before legislators had come to the place been seen in North Carolina. It where they wanted the struggle to has been a battle between Demoend. The feeling of weariness that crats, and the noble men who for has caused the public cry out to sixty-one ballots have taken part in this contest and who have brought success to me I will ever hold dear as long as life shall last. Yet with the exultation of success there is a sadness in my heart, for in this battle two great and gallant Democrats have been defeated, Democrats who have given a noble service to the battles of Democracy.

> "And yet, in the midst of this uccess, I am not unmindful of the great responsibilities which come with the honor that has been bestowed upon me. With a great ambition realized there comes to me a purpose higher and purer than that which comes simply from am-

without one obligation to corpor pays one dollar there will be given ations and with pledges to none. It a ticket. The larger number of Carolina and brings with it alone a deeper allegiance to the Democratic take this chance to get one. See party and a purpose to do all in my ad., with cut of Range. Send in ower for the best interests of the your money and secure tickets. eople of this great State.

With all my zeal will I serve this great people and this great State and I trust that I will be able to do it with credit to myself, with honor to this great Commonwealth.

"Standing on the threshold of the twentieth century I realize that we are face to face with the greatest problems of any age, problems that will be settled right by the statesmanship of this, the greatest country that has been born, its almost one leap it developed into a power of the first magnitude, and in every part of the world the stars and stripes demand and receive the respect of the universe. This is a great people and their rights and liberties shall be preserved and protected. A blow at the people of this country is a blow at the nation, for when the people go down, with For sale by N. S. Peel & Co. them goes down the republic.

"There is today too much a striv ing after grandeur. We must return to the earlier principles, to the STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA republican simplicity, even if it takes a constitutional amendment to do this. We must return to the earlier principles, embodied in the words 'equal rights to all, special scribed real estate in said county and

privileges to none.' "One of the greatest problems see to it that there is no industrial slavery, for what is political free dom worth, when with this freedom there is coupled industrial servi-

" But I must thank the men who have stood by me in this contest and with this must go words o praise to the men who have stood so nobly by the gallant Watson and the great Craig. Those men have been just as loyal and true to them as have been my friends to me Some one had to be elected and some had to meet defeat, and as I stand here to-night I can only feel regret that all might not have wor the prize."

"And to-night we are all friend victor and vanquished, for we are all Democrats, and in this hour I can say, God bless all of you, may the work that has been done redound to the glory of the State and ner provided by law for the delin to its people, morally, intellectual ly, socially and industrially.

" Again I thank you for the high nor you have conferred on me and again I pledge to you my best service to the State of North Caro lina and to its people."

"The nicest and pleasantest medicine have used for indigestion and constitution is Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets," says Melard P. Craig, of Middlegrove, N. Y. "They work like a charm and do not gripe or have any unpleasant effect." For sale by N. S. Peel

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TENDENCY OF THE TIMES

The tendency of medical science is to thought of the world is being given to satisfaction to the people, and with the subject, is is easier and better to prevent than to cure. It has been fully de monstrated that pneumonia, one of the most dangerous diseases that medical men have to contend with, can be pre Cough Remedy. Pneumonia always re-sults from a cold or from an attack of influenza (grip) and it has been obse that remedy counteracts any tendency citizenship of the greatest courage has been fally proven in many thousands and advancement of any age. With of cases in which this remedy has been used during the great prevalence of colds and grip in recent years, and can be remonia often results from a slight cold when no danger is apprehended until it is found that there is fever and difficulty in breathing and pains in the chest then it is announced that the patient he pneumonia. Be on the safe side and take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the cold is contracted. It always cures.

### LEGAL ADVERTISEMETS.

Martin County

I, J. C. Crawford, Sheriff of Martin ounty, in the State of North Carolina do hereby certify that the following de state to wit : Moses Jones interest in one town lot in Parmele, was on the 5th day of May, 1902, duly sold by me in the quent taxes for the year 1901 thereon arting to \$4.43, including interes and penalty thereon, and the cost allowed by law to Adolphus Riddick for the said sum of \$4.43, being the highest bidder for the same. And I further certify that unless redemption is made of said real estate in the manner provided by law,said Adolphus Riddick and his heirs or assigns will be entitled to a deed ther of, on and after the 5th day of May, 190 nd, this 5th day of May, 1902.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA ) Martin County.

I, J. C. Crawford, Sheriff of the Cour y of Martin, in the State of North Can ina, do hereby certify that the follo ne town lot in Parmele, was on the 3th jr., colored, for the sum of Four D

ter the 5th day of May, 1903, on surrent of this certificate.

In witness whereof, I have hereunio my hand, this 5th day of May, A.D. 19, 16-4t-p.

J. C. CRAWFORD, Sheri

# Stock Certificates.

Tightly Locked From

the Martin County Tobacco Warehouse Company, I shall offer at public sale (to the highest bidder) before the Court House door in Williamston, Menday, Peb ruary 23rd, 1903, at 12 o'clock, m., the following certificates of stock in said mpany to cover a deficit due on said rtificates, and interest:—

Certificate No. 22, R. M. and S. S. rown, \$100, paid \$20, due \$50. Certificate No. 30, W. T. Ward \$100,

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

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paid \$10, due \$90. W. A. ELLISON, Treas. Martin Co. Tob. War. Co.

### NOTICE.

NORTH CAROLINA | Execution Sale. A. S. Roberson & Co. vs. W. A. Aushon,

By virtue of an execution directed to the undersigned from the Superior Court of Martin county in the above entitled action, I will on Monday the 2nd day of March, 1903, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Court House door of said county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy terest which the said W. A. Ausbon defendant, has in the following described Real Retate to wit: One fifth undivided nterest in and to his father real estate, one tract, or parcel, of land on which the said Ailen R. Ausbon lived at the time of his death in Robersonville Town-

ship, Martin County. This 26th day of Jan., 1903. J. C. CRAWFORD,

### **DISSOLUTION NOTICE!**

On January 1st, 1903, by mutual conat the firm of W. R. Howard and Co. at Hassell, N. C., disselved partnership on account of the withdrawal of Mrs. A.

W. R. HOWARD and CO.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA SS.

Martin County

I, J. C. Crawford, Sheriff of the County Martin in the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify that the following de scrided real estate in said County and State, to wit: Quince Moore interest in on lot in Parmele, was on the 5th day of May, 1902, duly sold by me in the manner provided by law for the delinment taxes for the year 1901, thereon, ounting to Four Dollars and Nin thereon, and the cost allowed by law to sum of \$4.93, he being the highest bidder for the same (or such lands having been offered at public sale for taxes and sold.) And I further certify that unless redempmanner provided by law, the said Frank Everett, Jr., col., heirs or assigns, will be entitled to a deed therefor, on and after the 5th day of May, A. D., 1903, on

er of this certifi In withess whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, this 5th day of May, A. D. 16\$4tpd. J. C. CRAWFORD.

### **Proclamation** By The Governor.

### \$300 REWARD.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA ! EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, official information has been re-cived at THIS DEPARTMENT that R. LAWRENCE cardner stands charged with the seduction nurder of Victoria Barnhill in Martin Con AND WHEREAS, it appears that the said R. Lawrence Cardner has fied the State, or so con-ceals himself that the ordinary process of law annot be served upon him.

Sth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and three, and in the one hundred and twenty-seventh SEAL

CHARLES B. AYCOCK.

P. M. PEARSALL, Private Secretary

## LAND SALE!

By virtue of an order of J. A. Hobba Clerk of the Superior Court of Martin county, in a special proceeding entitle the South and Orange Fields on

This the 15th day of Jan., 1903