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"I tried Ayer's Hair Vigor to stop my hair from falling. One-half a bottle cured me."
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NOTICE.

North Carolina, Watauga County, before the Clerk, R. P. Robinson, R. A. Robinson, Administrators of John W. Waters deceased.

Geo. Waters, Isabella Flenner Martin Waters, Mary Phillips, Laura Phillips, Sarah Triplett, William Waters, Minnie Winters, Loderina Waters, Sarah Waters, Greenwood Waters, Melvin Waters, Ethel Waters, Melona Waters, last six minor children of John Waters deceased, and wife, Cynthia Waters.

The defendants above named, Geo. Waters and William Waters, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Watauga county to sell land belonging to the estate of John W. Waters, Decd., for assets, said land situated in the county of Wilkes, and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Watauga county at July, 1902, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. This June 16, 1902.

JOHN H. BINGHAM, C. A. C.

A Beautiful Introduction.

On Wednesday night of last week, Prof. L. G. Maxwell, member of the County Board of Education, delivered an able and instructive speech on the Public School Law at the court house, and by request of numbers of those present, we publish the introduction of this esteemed citizen, delivered by Prof. W. M. Francum. Mr. Francum said:

"Ladies and Gentlemen.—I have the honor of introducing to this august assembly the name of one of your own countymen, Hon. L. G. Maxwell, one of the efficient members of the Board of Education, who is not only a very polite scholar, but a man of extensive and profound erudition.

Mr. Maxwell was born on the North Fork of New River, a pellucid stream indicating the purity of his character, a river which rises in mountains among the grandest works of nature, and, reflecting in its course, the proud est works of man is symbolical of his character, which, in its ceaseless and ever-widening flow, is a symbol of his eternal fame. All ages have admired nobility. Historians have recorded with glowing emphasis and poets have sung of the noble examples of self-sacrifice and love, both of Kings on the field of battle and peasants in the lowliest walks of life. The old have meditated on them with tears, and the young have read with throbbing breasts and heroic resolutions to become great and noble.

In all ages of the world there have been men who have risen above selfishness, and have illuminated this dark world of ours. True nobility does not always accompany the pomp and pageantry of monarchs. Seldom is it cradled in costly parlors furnished with costly furniture and embellished with an abundance of gold, but it frequently rises from poverty and obscurity, unnoticed except by the few who enjoy the magnanimity of its unselfish spirit.

Mr. Maxwell has spent thirty years of his life in trying to lift up humanity on a higher and nobler plain. He has grown gray in the service of his country, teaching children of Watauga, imbuing their minds with germs of nobleness, and is as worthy of a diadem of praise as the philosopher, statesman, or warrior, whose laurels are died in blood. History is replete with great men who have shone as

Summer complaint is unusually prevalent among children this season. A well developed case in the writer's family was cured last week by timely use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy—one of the best patent medicines manufactured, and which is always kept at the home of every family. This is not intended as a free puff for the company, who do not advertise with us, but to benefit little sufferers who may not be within easy access of a physician. No family should be without this medicine in the house, especially in summer time. —Lansing, Iowa, Journal. For sale by M. B. Blackburn.

brilliant orbs in the literary world, and as stars of the first magnitude, but among the galaxy of great men, the name of L. G. Maxwell will ever stand out prominent and in bold relief.

I would compare him to Napoleon, but "Napoleon made his way to empire over broken oaths and seas of blood," but Mr. Maxwell has made his way to the hearts of the people of Watauga county by his personal magnetism, and by his strict adherence to the principles of justice and integrity. I would compare him to Washington, but the great Virginian held slaves and belonged to the aristocracy of Virginia, while Mr. Maxwell belongs to the common people of Watauga county.

"When truth shall get a hearing, history will put Hampton for England, La Fayette for France and Washington as the bright morning star of our earlier civilization," then, dipping his pen in the clear blue, he will write above them all in characters of living light and known of all men the name of Mr. L. G. Maxwell. Dean Swift says: "Seest thou a man on whom you know you can depend, one who will stand for the right, though all the world may oppose, and you find a man who has a spark of Divinity, a fragment of the Rock of Ages." Such a man is L. G. Maxwell. He will stand for the right. He has the nerve, and if you will pardon the expression, the backbone, to argue for the right with lawyers and judges. The fame of L. G. Maxwell will go on increasing down through the ages with ever-brightening lustre. Historians will record his greatness and the sublimest poets will sing his funeral dirges. Fame will place his name among her richest treasures in the great pantheon of immortality, and the time-swept harp of ages will swell in grander strains one giant anthem of praise to L. G. Maxwell.

The time enduring sphinx of Egypt may cease her woe; the proud, gigantic pyramids may crumble into dust; the bedouin Arab may halt his camel on the on the disintegrated dust of the loftiest pyramid, but the name of L. G. Maxwell will still live in the minds and hearts of the people of Watauga county as long as great deeds and great thoughts shall be remembered.

When he dies he will probably be buried on a beautiful mound over looking New River, the murmurs of which were his boyhood music, and whether virgin snows mantle his grave with their trackless undrains, or æolian breezes whisper between it and smiling moons, or the serene sun shine shall steal the noontide zephyr from the umbrageous oaks, or the great king of storm shall anchor his sable ship of gloom upon it or turn loose the guns of thunder from their fiery portals, he will sleep the same calm, serene and undisturbed under the sod of eternal fare. I repeat that it is with the greatest pleasure that I introduce the Hon. L. G. Maxwell, who will now address you."

It Dazzles the World

The discovery in medicine has never created one quarter of the excitement that has been caused by Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. Its severest tests have been on hopeless victims of consumption, pneumonia, hemorrhage, phthisis and bronchitis, thousands of whom it has restored to perfect health. For colds, coughs, asthma, croup, hay fever, hoarseness and whooping cough it is the quickest, surest cure in the world. It is sold by M. B. Blackburn who guarantees satisfaction or refunds money. Large bottles 50c. and \$1. Trial bottles free.

A number of congressmen have been visiting Alabama recently to study the condition of the negro. They visited Tuskegee, and there was wisdom as well as wit in Booker Washington's remark to them that the students of Tuskegee were learning industry and thrift, and that none of them had yet broken into jail or congress.—Ex.

POISONING THE SYSTEM.

It is through the bowels that the body is cleansed of impurities. Constipation keeps these poisons in the system, causing headache, dullness and melancholy at first, then unsightly eruption and finally serious illness unless a remedy is applied. DeWitt's Little Early Risers prevent this trouble by stimulating the liver and promote easy, healthy action of the bowels. These little pills do not act violently but by strengthening the bowels enable them to perform their own work. Never gripe nor distress. T. J. Coffey & Bro.

Has not the clock of progress, impelled by an imperative social need, again struck the hour for the next great step upward and forward to a still higher evolution of democracy that shall give to every child of our land a full and complete education of head, hand and heart?—National Printer's Journal.

White Man Turned Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. A. Hogarty, of Lexington, Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color, also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was Yellow Jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. He was then advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful stomach and liver remedy, and he writes, "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all stomach, liver and kidney troubles. Only 50c. Sold by M. B. Blackburn.

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DIED.

Mrs. Nancy Banner, relict of Lewis B. Banner, died on the 7th day of July, 1902, at the age of 86. She was the mother of a large family too well known to be recounted.

The home of Aunt Nancy and Uncle Lewis was always the preacher's mecca and the people's hostelry. When Uncle Lewis died, nineteen years ago, the place lost none of its social east; nothing was missed but the good old man.

Home-loving Aunt Nancy bore trouble patiently; she seemed always cheerful, always contented, always loved, always busy, always at leisure, always prosperous, always devoted to her family and friends. Her life was a vine whose branches entwined many hearts, while it flourished, and still clings to them when it has dropped its fruit and died. But death should not be deeply mourned, when life has been so long, so sweet, so perfect.

The family clung to the good old mother when medical skill could do nothing but stretch the brittle thread. But she was, all the time, ready to go. Life's work had been well done; there was nothing to do but die.

If all children had such a mother, Eden would be restored. "The Lord rejoiceth in the death of his saints;" then why should we mourn?

S. M. DUGGER.

Banner Elk, N. C.

VACATION DAYS.

Vacation time is here and the children are fairly living out of doors. There could be no healthier place for them. You need only to guard against the accidents incidental to most open air sports. No remedy equals DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for quickly stopping pain or removing danger of serious consequences. For cuts, scalds and wounds. "I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for cuts and bruises," says L. B. Johnson, Swift, Tex. "It is the best remedy on the market." Sure cure for piles and skin diseases. Beware of counterfeits. T. J. Coffey & Bro.

The first great aim of technical education should be to fit the student for a particular industry. In the years of the child's education manual training is more important than reading, writing, or arithmetic.—Col. Francis W. Parker.

Mother Always Keeps it Handy.

"My mother suffered a long time from distressing pains and general ill health due primarily to indigestion," says L. W. Spalding, Verona, Mo. "Two years ago I got her to try Kodol. She grew better at once and now, at the age of seventy-six, eats anything she wants, remarking that she fears no bad effects as she has her bottle of Kodol handy." Don't waste time doctoring symptoms. Go after the cause. If your stomach is sound your health will be good. Kodol rests the stomach and strengthens the body by digesting your food. It is nature's own remedy. T. J. Coffey & Bro.

More sickness is caused by improper eating and drinking than from all other causes combined. If ever people learn how to eat and drink there will be but little work for the physicians.—Farm and Ranch.

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Mrs. KATE BROWDER.

For advice and literature, address, giving symptoms, "The Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

It is said that it is quite probable that the Legislature will be asked to enact two new laws—one regulating the child labor in factories, the other applying the fellow-servant law, now in force as to railroads, to factories.—Colonel Olds.

The Best Liniment for Strains.

Mr. F. H. Wells, the merchant at Deer Park, Long Island, N. Y., says: "I always recommend Chamberlain's Pain Balm as the best liniment for strains. I used it last winter for a severe lameness in the side, resulting from a strain, and was greatly pleased with the quick relief and cure it effected. For sale by M. B. Blackburn.

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The kidneys are your blood purifiers, they filter out the waste or impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work.

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If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail. Home of Swamp-Root, free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

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