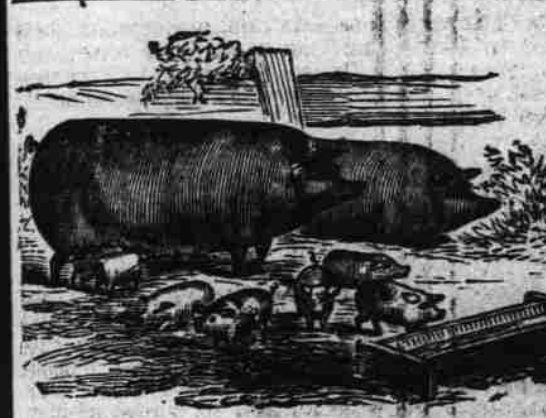


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HUNTER & STOKES. Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a mortgage deed executed to me by Jerry Gaffney and his wife Lucy Gaffney, recorded in book 79, page 47, I will sell by public auction at the Court House door in the city of Charlotte, N. C., on Saturday, 18th day of July, 1885, the tract of land adjoining lands of H. G. Springs and others, lying southwest of southwestern boundary of city of Charlotte, N. C., on which said Jerry Gaffney and wife now reside.

Public Sale. I will sell privately before, or at public auction on the 14th of July, 1885, at the court house in Charlotte, N. C., the property known as the Torrence Place, lying on the eastern limits of the city of Charlotte, N. C.

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THE CITY.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

Richmond and Danville Air-Line. No. 10—Arrives at Charlotte from Richmond at 8:30 a. m. Leaves for Atlanta at 9:30 a. m.

Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta. Arrives from Columbia at 8:10 p. m. Leaves for Columbia at 1 p. m.

C. & A.—A. T. & O. DIVISION. Arrives from Statesville at 10:45 a. m. Leaves for Statesville at 6:25 p. m.

Carolina Central. Arrive from Wilmington at 6:50 a. m.; Leave for Wilmington at 9:00 p. m.

MAILS. General Delivery opens at 8:00 a. m.; closes at 7:30 p. m.

Index to New Advertisements. T. C. Smith & Co.—Best 5 cent cigars. Bradford Regulator Co.—Bradfield's Female Regulator.

Weather Indications. Middle Atlantic States: Slightly colder, fair weather, winds generally westerly except in southern portion.

South Atlantic States: Generally fair weather, southwesterly winds, nearly stationary temperature.

LOCAL RIPPLES.

Towards the close of the game at the fair ground yesterday, Maxwell and Polhill, the bicyclists, appeared.

The Sunday School of Calvary Mission church will run an excursion train to Pineville, on Thursday 16th inst.

on the track in racing costumes, and treated the crowd to an exhibition of their style on the wheel. They made a good appearance and were cheered as they passed the grand stand.

Mr. L. V. Liles, a prominent citizen of Lilesville, Anson county, died at his home in that place yesterday morning.

Mr. Jas. L. Yopp, the champion bicycle rider of Wilmington, will arrive in the city today and will take part in the races next Monday and Tuesday.

Our neighbor, the Home Democrat, this week enters upon the 34th year of its existence, and like wine, is all the better for its age.

The Wilmington and Raleigh clubs will play at Mt. Holly tomorrow, and will leave here on a special excursion train.

The special fair grounds train was well patronized yesterday. The train will make trips between the city and grounds again this afternoon, leaving the freight depot, Second street crossing, at 3 o'clock p. m., and every 15 minutes thereafter until after the game has commenced.

It was a matter of general regret among the spectators of the game yesterday, that Houseman, the fat man of the Raleigh club, did not get on the bases oftener than he did.

Dog Killing Days. The city police have instructions to begin killing all dogs seen upon the streets without a tax paid tag. The order is to go into effect today and the police will be required to carry it into effect fully and impartially.

Benefit Concert. A very enjoyable evening was spent by a limited number of our people at the opera house last night, the occasion being the concert for the benefit of the Home and Hospital.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

The Wilmington and Raleigh Clubs Take in Charlotte's First Baseball Gate Money—Wilmington (on Beaten).

The first game of professional baseball in Charlotte was that played on the fair grounds yesterday between the Wilmington and Raleigh clubs, and the number of people who handed in their quarters at the gate and went in to see the game attested the interest which our citizens felt in the event.

Raleigh, 0, 0, 2, 1, 5, 1, 0, 0, 0—9. Wilmington, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 1, 0, 4, 0—5.

The playing of the Raleigh club was fine, while the poor showing made by the Wilmington players gave rise to the impression that they were "throwing off." This is hardly probable, though, from the fact that they changed their battery three times during the game.

The Case of the Barbed Wire Fence.

Mr. Robert Gray, who fenced in a part of Ninth street, as described in yesterday's OBSERVER, appeared before Mayor Johnston yesterday morning on charge of obstructing the public highway.

Train Rocking.

A very serious case of train rocking occurred near Third Creek, on the Western North Carolina road, night before last. Three rocks struck the train, one of which embedded itself in the woodwork around a window under which a passenger lay sleeping.

How's This for a Rooster?

The carrier boys who deliver THE OBSERVER through the city, have met with a new enemy. They have long been troubled by dogs and thieves, and now they have the chicken to contend against.

Old Time Free Rides Played.

The stockholders' train left this city yesterday morning for Greensboro, where the annual meeting was held yesterday, with a very slim crowd aboard.

Garnet—A New and Important Discovery.

Messrs. Brem & McDowell, of this city, yesterday exhibited a quantity of garnet, in small grains, having the appearance of coarse sand.

Why He Willed His Property to a Negress.

Speaking of the will of the great farmer of Georgia, a Sparta dispatch says: The greatest interest is exhibited in the will of the late David Dickson, the farmer millionaire, who died leaving all his property except a small plantation to a negress named Amanda Eubanks.

Draining Swamp Lands.

Yesterday the State Board of Education contracted for the drainage of 11,000 of the 85,000 acres of the swampy or "open" lands in Cartaret county.

HOT! HOT! HOT!

This is the vigorous venditor of the human family with regard to the weather. Cold, Cold, Cold, is the expression of the human race who enjoy an Old-fashioned Lemonade at T. C. SMITH & CO'S Store Water Counter.

Coeur de Rose, and Rhine Gold Cigars, JOSEPH SEIDENBERG, NEW YORK.

J. C. Smith & Co., Druggists, Charlotte, N. C. Gentlemen:

We ship you today a lot of our best cigars. The "Coeur de Rose" (Heart of the Rose) ordinarily reach you as a 10c cigar, and is quite equal in every respect to the regular run of 10c goods.

The "Rhine Gold" Havana cigars are of superior Cuban workmanship of the choicest Vuelta Abajo Tobacco and are sold in the ordinary way at 15c.—we request you to offer these for the present at 10c each or 3 for 25c.

Most Respectfully, Joseph Seidenberg. For sale by T. C. SMITH & CO.

A Change.

On account of a contemplated change in our business we are offering this week the following documents, and if you need Fine Clothing we need cash.

Double-Breasted Prince Alberts.

Former price \$25.00, sell now for \$18.00. Fine 3 and 4 Button Cutaway Coats and Vests, former price \$2.50, sell now for \$1.50. Fine Curlew Worsted in Oxford and Brown colors, former price \$20.00, sell now for \$14.00.

50 Blue Serge Suits.

Sold never less than \$10.00, we sell now at \$7.50. These suits can not be purchased in the city for less than \$12.00.

100 Children's Cassimere Suits.

From 5 to 9 years, which we will sell at 50c on the dollar.

STRAW HATS AT AND BELOW COST!

Very Respectfully, L. BERWANGER & BROTHER, LEADING CLOTHIERS AND TAILORS.

GREGORY'S DYSPEPTIC MIXTURE. A Positive and Permanent Cure for Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Stricture of the Digestive Tract—One of the most common and direct of all, is an uneasiness in the region of the stomach, felt soon after taking food.