

Commissioner's Sale of Land. DY VIRTUE and in pursuance of B an order of the Superior court of Burke county, to the undersigned commissioner directed, made and entered in a special proceeding therein pending, entitled Robert Poteet et. al vs. William H. Poteet et. al, I will sell at the court house door in the town of Morganton, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash on the

THE STANDARD RAILWAY -OF THE-14th day of April, 1902, (the same being the date designated for sale in said order) the following de-THE DIRECT LINE TO ALL POINTS. scribed two tracts of land, being the

## BILL ARP'S LETTER.

Atlanta Constitution.

I was ruminating about the fight. It is common property and everybody has the right to talk about Laurin. About one desk was the limit of propriety. Three desks As to the time and place, that is States Senare was as acred almost disgraceful than fighting. Bribery without usi g a big pile of money and making lots of promises. Of course, I do not include our South ern Senators, for they haven't got the money, If we had some millionaires in Georgia, Clay and Bacon world have to step down and out. And I am not so much disgusted with Tillman for fighting in the Senate Chamber. He paid for their votes.

character. He cannot be bribed I got to be a young lady, he must

Grant, another holds both of them lieve that our teachers are conin contempt. I suppose that three- scientious. I have several grandfourths of the Northern people pay children there, and I take note of homage to the memory of John their progress. The days of old Brown for what they call his good Isham are past. The old man was intentions and every northern his a stern and rigid disciplinarian. it. Tillman did wrong in jumping tory and encyclopedia apologises He wore slippers in the school over three desks to strike Mc- for him, and even so good a man room, and sometimes would slip as McKinley excused himself for up behind a boy who was making not attending the reinterment of horses or dogs on his slate and his bones, on the ground that the would suddenly mash the boy's makes it against the law to fight. pressure of official duties would face down on the slate and rub the not allow him to leave Washing- picture ont with his nose. He ton. Most Northern men still de- used to have fights with the big was a time in the days of Webster nounce John C. Calhoun as the boys, and loved to maul obedience and Calboun and Tom Benton and author of cecession and justify into their rebellious souls. And Henry Clay and when the United Sherman for burning Columbia. there was Beman and Judge War-Here in Georgia this idolatry is ner and my father, and Wm H. Sealready taking shape in our silly ward, all yankees, who had to subjoilty of its members get their burrahs for our candidate for gov. due the big boys by hard fighting, places by conduct infinitely more ernor. But, as usual, the londest and if a teacher couldn't whip a shouters have axes to grind and boy and subdue him he was turned are diligently laying traps to catch off as incompetent. My opinion is common that a man can't get there the people. But this is the shady that I got most too much whipping side of politics and I won't rumi when I was a school boy. I still nate any further about it.

If the ground was dry enough I whipped me on a boil and bursted would work some in the garden it, and I ran home yelling and my and not brood over things that will mother cried as she doctored it up soon pass away. I thought that and my father made me go back. spring had come two weeks ago. But John Norton was a good and I exclaimed, "Hail, gentle teacher, and he had a hard time spring." But she didn't hail-she with Jim Wilson and Jim Graig only sleeted -and they say that old and Jim Wardlaw and my brother had reasons to believe that his winter is lingering in her lap-the Jim and Jim Alexander, the doc pardner had received promises, old rascal. He ought to be asham tor who died last fall in Atlauta, and I reckon he had. He certain ed of himself. My best relief and aud several other Jirns. I never ly had great expectations or he comfort is to play with the grand knew a boy named Jim who wasn't would not have flopped over so children. Our little girl of five devilush at school. Verily, there suddenly. Politicians have to be has had her feelings hart, and is is something in a name, and now very indiguant at what her Cous Jim Smith is going to run for gov-Tillman is a true man, but he is in Will said. She told me about ernor. Better not tell a lie on him, not a great and good man. I ad it. "Grandpa, I told Cousin Wil" he would jump over forty desks to mire him for some traits in his that when he got to be a man and whip a man.

or intimidated. He dares to say marry me, and what do you think what he believes, and he uses his he said?" "I dou't know. What pitchfork with impunity. He is did he say?" "Why, he said he impetuous and combative, but he would see about it. Wasn't that is sincere, and everybody admires mean? He ought to be glad to mara sincere man. Sincere is one of ry me. If he dou't mind, I will severe attack of what is called the strongest and best words in marry my Cousin Balph; and then I la grippe," says F. L. Hewett, our language. It literally means reckon he wont see about it. He's a prominent druggist of Winunsealed-without wax-for in the mean, ain't he, grandpa?' An field, Ill. "The only medicine olden time letters were sealed other chap was saying his prayers I used was two bottles of with war, but if they contained no the other night and prayed for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. secrets they were not scaled at all, God to bless grandma and grand- It broke up the cold and stopfor wax cost money. Tillman is a pa and Aunt Mary and Cousin ped the coughing like magic, bold, defiant, stubborn man, but John and several others, and then and I have never since been he is not great. A great man like he said: "That's all, Lord. Am't troubled with grippe." Cham-Webster or Calhoun would have that all, papa?" "No, you didn't berlain's Cough Remedy can said to McLaurin, "Well, sir, if I pray for your Consin Jenny." No, always be depended upon to am a liar, I deserve the epithet. If papa, I wont pray for her, she's break up a severe cold and I am not, then you deserve it, but mean; I wish God would send a ward off any threatened at-I shall not stoop to give it." I cow to butt her over." All of our tack of pneumonia. It is wish we were all that great. This thing of resenting the charge of lying with a blow is a strange per version of propriety. A man may year old, who lives with us, is ab sorbed in her studies and loves her books and her teacher, and is proud when she gets marked perfect or awiy up in the nineties. Of course I help her with her sums every night, for some of them are very hard, and sorter strain my old mind. There are fifty-three pupils in her grade (the sixth,) and yesterday forty-six of them had the sums done correctly, and when the teacher asked those who had the fight and was delighted that it no help to hold their hands up; not a hand was held up. They all had help. That makes forty seven teachers for one grade, and I am pleased to be one of them. I wish that the school teachers of these children could realize how much influence they have over their pa-

remember how John Norton

BILL ARP.

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This March 12, 1902.

D. B. MULL, Commissioner.

NORTH CAROLINA, | In Superior BURKE COUNTY. Court. W. H. Turner, O. W. Turner, W. G. Turner, Lawrence Winkley and wife, Rosa Winkley, Martha Shuffler, Whit. M. Beaver, and wife, Nellie

Beaver, Josiah Turner, Henry Palmer and

wife, Phronia E. Palmer. . NOTICE TO JOSIAH TURNER to apper before the Clerk of the Court and answer or demur

to complaint of plaintiffs.

The defendant Josiah Turner will take notice that plaintiffs have commenced the above entitled action against defendants therein named, for the purpose of having real estate sold for partition as described in their complaint, and that he is hereby notified to appear before P. W. Patton, clerk of the Superior court of said county, at his office on the 26th day of April, 1902, and answer or demur to the complaint of plaintiff or the relief therein prayed for will be granted

This March 13, 1902. P. W. PATTON,

SALE OF VALUABLE TOWN LOT.

C. S. C.

By virtue of the power of sale in an instru-By virtue of the power of sale in an instru-ment recorded in Book I, No. 2. page 360, by J. W. Pearcey and wife, and default made in the payment of interest thereon, I will, on Monday, 7th April, 1902, at the Court House door in Morganton, N. C., sell for cash all that certain lot of land on E. Union street in Morganton beginning on James Mull'scorner on said street and runs with his line south 88½ deg. cast 500 to 600 feet to the branch, Rufus Avery's line; thence down the branch with its meanders 90 feet, streight measure, to a stake in the branch; straight measure, to a stake in the branch; then north 88½ deg. west with Bristol's line to East Union street; thence with East Union

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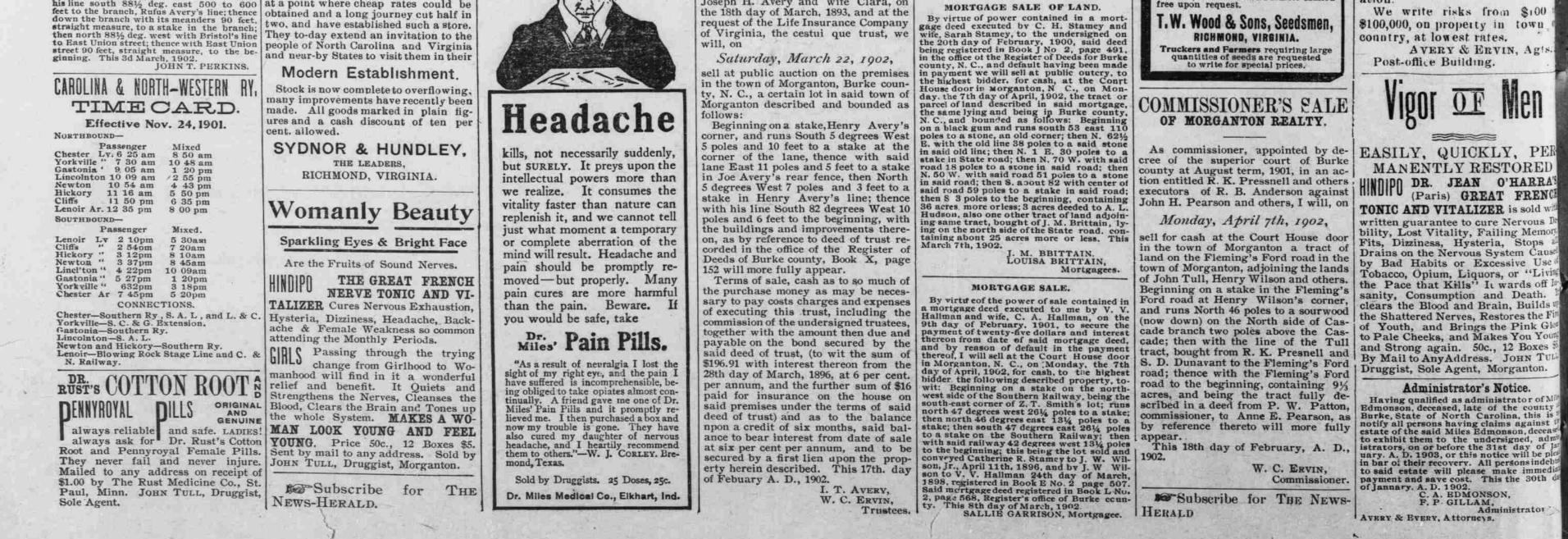
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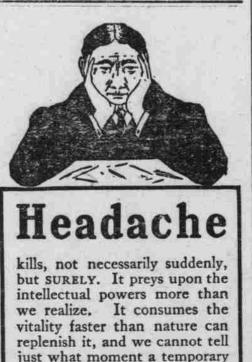
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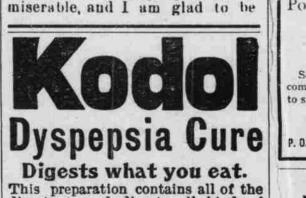
version of propriety. A man may gain his ends by cheating, swindl ing, over reaching, hypocricy, or concealing the truth, but you must not call him a liar.

He may break all the commandments, but don't call him a liar, though that is not in the Decalogue. All that I regret about the fight is that Spooner did not call Tillman a liar and get mauled for it before McLaurin came in. I want somebody to whip Spooner. He was the teaser that brought on occurred between the two Caro lina Senators. With his party it is no crime to shoot down ten thousand Filipinos who refuse to give up their country, but it shocks them awfully to have a little fracas in the Senate Chamber.

Well, there are some great men and there are many good men, but greatness and goodness are seldom combined. Addison says it takes both to make a man complete. Such, for example, as Washington and Robt. E. Lee. Job says great men are not always wise, and he might have added most of them are mean, selfish, heartless and ambitions. Lord Bacon, for instance, who took bribes while on the bench, and Cromwell and Napoleon. Webster was a great man and long has been my ideal of greatness. He was called the Godlike but sometimes his human na ture overcame him. And so with Henry Olay and Bob Toombs. The great weakness of the people is idolatry. Partisan or sectional or religious idolatry. Every man who climbs high up where the peo ple can see him is either a saint or a sinner, according to our politics, our sect, our creed. One man idol izes the character of Lincoln or



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Saturday, March 22, 1902, sell at public auction on the premises in the town of Morganton, Burke county, N. C., a certain lot in said town of Morganton described and bounded as follows:

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