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GRAHAM, N. C., Oct. 23, 1913.

Col. Ashley Horne's sudden death at his home at Clayton yesterday morning about one o'clock will be heard of with sincere regret throughout the State...

"What the devil does Oscar Underwood want to go to the Senate for?" asks "Savvyard," one of the most interesting and best posted writers at the nation's capital...

Governor Sulzer is no more Governor of New York. On last Friday he was convicted by the impeachment court of New York State...

The country is to be afflicted for awhile by the presence of the notorious English suffragette, Mrs. Emmeline Parkhurst...

Senator La Follette, one of the most distinguished men in public life in America, will lecture in Raleigh next Tuesday night...

Polk Miller, the famous Southern humorist and impersonator, the "before-the-war" negro, died suddenly at his home in Richmond Monday night.

Cotton and tobacco growers are very much pleased with their crops though not much of either has been marketed yet.

William T. Gardner, a prominent farmer of Edgecombe county, died Saturday at his home of mercurial poisoning taken by mistake for headache medicine.

Gov. Craig has announced his purpose to join the road working forces on Wood Roads Days, November 15th and 16th.

Chapel Hill Letter.

Cor. of The Gleaner. Chapel Hill, Oct. 22-The registration number at the State University has reached 577, exceeding by 40 the total number of students ever registered in the whole of any year...

"At Chapel Hill there is acute recognition of the fact that an attic philosopher has values, but not his full value until he reaches and impresses the democratic multitudes..."

Methods of quarantining contagious diseases and school sanitation were also talked about with profit, and it was brought out that there already a fairly uniform system...

There are about 4,000 deaths each year in North Carolina from tuberculosis. This number can be reduced one-half in the next few years if all the people of the State can be aroused to the need of curative and preventive measures...

Now, this "wonder" must be preached from and to every man, woman and child knows it. It means the saving of thousands of lives, and the prevention of untold suffering...

The Red Cross Xmas Seals or Stamps, will be sold this year to create interest in this work, and to furnish funds to head off the depredations of this disease...

Health And Hygiene

County Public Health Work.

Recently the health officer of one of the best counties in the State wrote to State headquarters enclosing a letter from a citizen of his county giving the following facts: More than twenty-five citizens within the corporate limits of his town positively refused to privies cleaned...

While that was a deplorable state of affairs in that town, there is encouragement to be derived from the letter. It showed that the folks are getting waked up on health matters. It is not probable that five years ago such a letter would have been written in North Carolina...

It all emphasizes the good that is being accomplished by the employment of health officers to devote all their time to work in the counties. Eleven counties now have their whole time health officers. That is more than in any State in the Union...

- 1. Is every country boy and girl in your county getting six months school term? 2. Have you a county superintendent of education giving his whole time to the work? 3. Have you voted road bonds or a road tax? 4. Have you a county superintendent of health employed for his whole time? 5. Does the Farmers' Union or any other farmers' organization thoroughly cover your county? 6. Have you a good county fair? 7. Do you select for your county officers men who will help the county forward fastest instead of the men who serve the party machine best? 8. Are your churches gaining in strength and influence and the people in temperance and morality? 9. Have you properly supported farmers' institutes, and, if so, there institutes for farm women as well as men? 10. Have you Corn Clubs for the boys and Tomato Clubs for the girls? 11. If you are in the tick-infested territory, are you doing anything to eradicate the ticks and get out of quarantine? 12. Have you shown sufficient interest in the Farmers' Co-operative Demonstration Work to get its advantages for your farmers? 13. Have you rural free delivery everywhere you might have it? 14. Has every school in your county a good library? 15. Can your boys and girls get the advantages of a good high school near them, without leaving their home communities? 16. Are you co-operating with the State in the fight to exterminate the hookworm disease? 17. Is there a good rural telephone system covering the county? 18. Are you supporting a wide-awake county paper—one that is more interested in the progress of the county than in partisan politics—and are your farmers taking the best farm papers? 19. Have you abandoned the old fee system of paying the county officers? 20. Are your citizens and your board of commissioners willing to go down into their jeans and produce the necessary money, economically administered, to secure these profitable forms of progress?

DEATH TOLL OF CONSUMPTION.

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New Equitable Building in New York Biggest Yet.

Manufacturers' Record. New York, a city of great buildings, is establishing for herself another record in the huge edifice which will bear the name of Equitable, succeeding the old Equitable Building which was destroyed by fire...

Twenty Tests of Progress for Your County.

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J. G. Seagraves of Yadkin county, wagon and team and 35 gallons of corn, fell into the hands of the officers in Stokes county and Seagraves is in Stokes jail in default of \$500 bond.

A Certain Quick Relief for Indigestion or Up-Set Stomachs. Why suffer the tortures of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Gas, Belching, or other stomach upsets? There is a certain quick relief and permanent remedy for these disorders—Brown's Diphtheria Tablets will give relief almost instantly. One dose makes your stomach feel fine. It stops fermentation, prevents distension, digests all the food and restores your tired worn-out stomach to a beautiful condition. Diphtheria is perfectly harmless—even a little child can take it without fear of bad after effects...

RALLYING FOR GOOD

Supt. J. B. Robertson Writes Letter to School Committee.

A letter that will touch every section of the county has been written and mailed to the school committees by Prof. J. B. Robertson, County Superintendent of Schools, urging them to organize and plan for working the roads on "Good Roads Days"...

The following is Prof. Robertson's letter to School Committees: Dear Committee: As a brother in the service, I desire to call your special attention to an important proposition that is not strictly educational, but it is none the less vital to the business, pleasure and life of every citizen and should interest and win the favor of every progressive, patriotic citizen in the county...

The governor of our State has issued his proclamation that the 5th and 6th days of November of this year be set apart for working the roads of our State. In this proclamation he has called upon every class and condition of men to go forth on those days as one great band and mighty army to work our roads...

May I ask that you talk for the movement, that you plan for it, and that when November 5th comes you will go out and work for it? See the other members of your committee, arrange starting places for the work at various points in the community...

When calls have been made for the men of Alamance to go to war and give their lives to the cause of their country, the response has been prompt. The sacred soil of our fertile fields has been sown by the blood of their own men and they were ready and first to answer duty's call...

With kindest personal regards, and with warm fraternal relations for progress and civic uplift, I remain, Yours very truly, J. B. ROBERTSON.

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and Sale Saturday, Nov. 8, 1913

Under and virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance County made in a Special Proceeding therein pending, entitled "John A. Allen et al vs. Eunice Rogers et al", the undersigned Commissioner, will on

FIRST TRACT. A tract or parcel of land lying in the county of Alamance, State of North Carolina, known as the Celia Allen tract, and bounded as follows by the lands of Elizabeth Wyatt, and others, beginning at a stake near the branch on Elizabeth Wyatt's line, running thence N. 21 1/4 deg. E. 1/4 chs. to a stone, Catherine Wyatt's line; thence S. 49 deg. W. to a post oak on J. B. Murray's line; thence South with said line 1/2 chs. to post oak; thence W. 21 chs. and 40 links to a hickory; thence S. 42 deg. W. 3 chs. to a maple on Scrub Creek; thence 77 deg. W. 4 chs and 28 links to a stake; thence 70 deg. W. 20 chs. to the beginning, containing 116 acres more or less.

SECOND TRACT. A certain tract or parcel of land in Pleasant Grove township, Alamance county, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of L. W. Allen, Joseph Wyatt and others, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a rock corner of said Allen on Alfred Wyatt's line, running thence N. 35 1/2 deg. E. 9 chs. 50 links to a rock; thence N. 3 1/2 deg. E. 10 chs. and 40 links to a rock on Joseph Wyatt's line; corner of said Allen; thence W. 28 chs. to a stake on said W. 28 chs. line; thence S. 18 1/2 deg. E. 9 chs. and 36 links to the beginning, containing 14.28 acres more or less.

THIRD TRACT. A certain tract or parcel of land in Pleasant Grove township, Alamance county, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of L. W. Allen, Joseph Wyatt and others, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning at a rock corner of said Allen on Alfred Wyatt's line, running thence N. 35 1/2 deg. E. 9 chs. 50 links to a rock; thence N. 3 1/2 deg. E. 10 chs. and 40 links to a rock on Joseph Wyatt's line; corner of said Allen; thence W. 28 chs. to a stake on said W. 28 chs. line; thence S. 18 1/2 deg. E. 9 chs. and 36 links to the beginning, containing 14.28 acres more or less.

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SIXTH TRACT. A tract or parcel of land in Pleasant Grove township, Alamance county, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Levi Allen, Rufus Aldridge, George Pitton and others, and being the same land conveyed by James E. Murray to Julia Hurdle, and bounded as follows: Beginning at pointers at James Patton's corner, running W. 21.30 chs. to a stake; thence S. 16.75 chs. to pointers; thence E. 4.75 chs. to a stake; thence N. 15 chs to a stake; thence N. E. 1/2 chs. to a stake; thence N. 15 chs. to the beginning, containing 157 acres, more or less.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third of purchase price to be paid at time of sale, other two-thirds to be secured by bonds of purchaser for six and twelve months with interest from day of sale until paid, title reserved until purchase money is fully paid. Sales will be reported to the Court for confirmation and will remain open for twenty days thereafter for advanced bids. This October 6th, 1913.

E. S. PARKER, JR., Commissioner.

Commissioner's Sale of Valuable REAL ESTATE. By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance County made in a Special Proceeding therein pending, entitled "John A. Allen et al vs. Eunice Rogers et al", the undersigned Commissioner, will on SATURDAY, NOV. 8, 1913, the following described real property, to-wit: Tract 1. In Graham township, Alamance county, State of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of J. B. Murray deceased and others, bounded as follows: Beginning at a rock corner of said Murray's line, running thence N. 21 1/4 deg. E. 1/4 chs. to a stone, Catherine Wyatt's line; thence S. 49 deg. W. to a post oak on J. B. Murray's line; thence South with said line 1/2 chs. to post oak; thence W. 21 chs. and 40 links to a hickory; thence S. 42 deg. W. 3 chs. to a maple on Scrub Creek; thence 77 deg. W. 4 chs and 28 links to a stake; thence 70 deg. W. 20 chs. to the beginning, containing 116 acres more or less.

Great Negro State Fair - AND - SEMI-CENTENNIAL HOME-COMING EXPOSITION, RALEIGH, N. C., October 27th to November 2nd, 1913. Reduced Rates from All Points in North Carolina via Southern Railway. Tickets on sale October 25th to November 1st, inclusive. Final return limit November 3rd, 1913. Hundreds of Free Attractions. Balloon ascension daily by Prof. F. C. Bradford, the only negro aviator. Races this year will be better than ever before. For further particulars, rates, etc., apply to your nearest agent. J. O. JONES, T. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE. Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. B. Robertson, deceased, under the will of said J. B. Robertson, I have ascertained that said estate is insolvent and it is my duty to file a report of said estate to the court for its consideration. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to submit their claims immediately to the undersigned. G. RAY McPHERSON, Administrator.