

TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS. The Superintendent of Public Schools of Franklin county will be in Louisburg on the second Thursday of February, April, July, September, October and December, and remain for three days, if necessary, for the purpose of examining applicants to teach in the Public Schools of this county.

- Professional cards. M. COOKE & SON. ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. LOUISBURG, N. C. Will attend the courts of Nash, Franklin, Warren and Wake counties, also the Superior Court of North Carolina, Prompt attention given to collections.

IMPECUNIOUS LOVERS

THEY BUY ENGAGEMENT AND WEDDING RINGS ON CREDIT.

Contract to Pay on the Installment Plan, and the Fair Sweethearts Never Know About It—An Interesting Talk With a Confidential Clerk. An engagement ring contracted for on the installment plan is now as common a business transaction as the fitting up of a boarding house on the same easy payment plan.

THE MECCA OF LEISURE.

A Place For Wealthy People Who Desire Comfortable Indulgence.

Washington is rapidly becoming a favorite place of residence for people who have made fortunes elsewhere, and who are devoting the remainder of their lives to having a good time in a quiet way.

GENERAL LEE'S CHRISTMAS FARE.

There Were Cabbage and Bacon, but the Bacon Was Only Borrowed.

As the fortune of war has favored his larder, through some skillful foraging of Ephraim, a negro, who was his faithful cook, adjutant and waiter.

UNCLE SAM'S WINE CELLAR.

He Doesn't Drink, but He Has Lots of His Wines on Hand.

A ghostly silence pervades the place. It is like the silence of the tomb. The outside world seems already centuries away.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.



LITTLE HELPS. HOMINY CROQUETS.—Two cups of cold boiled hominy; 1 egg beaten light; pinch of salt; teaspoonful of sugar; a little milk. Beat the egg into the hominy, mash it free from lumps.

A "FOOL" FOR BREAKFAST.—Eggs; 1 pint sweet milk; 2 dessert spoonfuls of sugar; 1/2 teaspoonful of salt. Put the milk, with the sugar in it on to boil.

BUCKWHEAT CAKES.—To 1 pint of the best buckwheat flour allow 2 large tablespoonfuls of good yeast, 2 tablespoonfuls of wheat flour, and 2 of corn meal.

BREAKFAST MUFFINS.—One pint of flour; a pinch of salt, fresh milk enough to mix a thin batter. Three eggs beaten light and added to the batter just before baking.

To Build Up Your System and restore Your Strength. Invigorate Your Liver and Purify Your Blood. Strengthen Your Nerves and Give An Appetite.

FRANKLINTON HOTEL. E. M. WARD, Prop'r. Good accommodations, polite servanda, and the best fare the market affords. Good Livery in connection with hotel.

New Barber Shop. I have opened a barber shop in Louisburg, and will be glad to serve the public. My shop is on Nash Street, one door below Jones & Cooper's new building.

The average waist of woman, a woman's journal asserts, has increased from 19 inches to 24 inch within five years. It looks evil, but there are men who will endeavor to get around it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The greatest cure for pains of all kinds, whether proceeding from cold and brns, or from other ailments such as neuralgia and rheumatism is unguentiously Salivation Oil. This popala, and effective remedy has continually gained in the confidence of the people until it has become a household desideratum. No dwelling is completely equipped without it.

HARPER'S WEEKLY. ILLUSTRATED. Harper's Weekly is the most popular and profitable of all the magazines published in this country.

HARPER'S PERIODICALS. PER YEAR. HARPER'S WEEKLY 4 00 HARPER'S MONTHLY 4 00 HARPER'S YOUNG PEOPLE 2 00

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NOTICE. By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by C. H. Farkenton and wife to me, registered in Franklin county book 87 at page 216, I will on Friday Feb. 24, 1894 offer for sale to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C. the premises thereon shown as being the property of said mortgagor.

LAND FOR SALE. By virtue of authority given by mortgage deed executed by Wm. W. Womack and recorded in Book 82, page 418, E. B. Dismont et al., to make real estate assets, the undersigned Commissioner will on Tuesday January 23, 1894 (court week) offer for sale at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C. certain tracts of land formerly belonging to F. J. Dismont, deceased, one tract known as the Parish tract containing 111 acres adjoining the lands of A. M. Diment, James Blodgett and others and the other known as the low ground tract containing about 83 acres adjoining the lands of James Blodgett, L. P. Lincovner and others.

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NOTICE. Having qualified as administrator of N. H. Murphy, dec'd., all persons owing his estate are notified to pay the same at once, and all persons holding claims against the estate must present them on or before November 10, 1893, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

PATENTS. CAN I OBTAIN A PATENT? For a prompt answer and an honest opinion, write to MUNN & CO., who will reply free of charge. We have the latest information concerning Patents and how to obtain them sent free. Also a catalogue of mechanical and scientific books sent free.

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She Wasn't His Wife. The man got into a street car comfortably filled and crowded into a seat next to a sharp faced woman in the corner.

Found Them Invaluable. "Teupose typewriters are very common now," said she musingly as she settled back in her favorite rocking chair after dinner.

A German horticultural journal is responsible for this story about a bridal bouquet: A certain schoolteacher in the town of Konitz had ordered a bouquet for his wedding day, stipulating that it should not cost more than 4 marks (\$1), but not designating what kind of flowers should be selected.

A Furious Artesian Well. A furious artesian well was struck in Chamberlain, S. D., a few months ago. At first, it sent out 3,000 gallons of water in a minute, but later the flow more than doubled.

An Active Mind. Fond Mother.—My boy has a very active mind, don't you think? Teacher.—Assuredly. I wish you could hear the dear little fellow talk when he gets caught at something and tries to make me believe that he didn't do it.—Good News.

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