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### NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of Mrs. E F. Long, all persons owing her estate are notified to make payment at once to me, and all persons holding claims against said estate will present them to me for payment on or before the 20th day of March, 1898, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their re-

O. L. ELLIS, Adm'r., of Mrs. E. F. Long. 3-19-97 6t. March 18th, 1897.

By virtue of a power contained in a deed of trust executed by Willis Young and wife, I shall on Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1897. at the Court House door, in the Town of Louisburg, sell at public auction to the bighest bidder, for cash, the tract of land described in said deed of trust, situated in aarris Township, containing one hundred Hnd eighteen (118) acres.
April 3rd, 1897.
W. M. PERSON, Trus tee

### NOTICE.

By virtue of an order of resale made on March 19th 1897, by the Superior Court, in the special proceedings entitled O L. Ellis. Administrator elc. vs Maggie Brown and Administrator elc. vs Maggie Brown and others, following upon a former sale, report an upset bid. I will sell at the Court House door in Louisburg. N. C., on the 3d day of May 1897, at 1:30 o'clock P.M that lot or parcel of land situated in the said Town of Louisburg, on the East side of Main Street, and bounded on the North, East and South by the lands of Mrs. F. M. Hawkins, and known as the P. J. Brown Homestead. Terms of sale, one quarter cash, residue on Terms of sale, one quarter cash, residue on credit of eight months, with interest from March 19th, 1897. O. L. Ellis. Adm'r and Com, of P. J. Brown.

### NOTICE.

By virtue of the power contained in a Mortgage deed executed to me by L. Phillips and wife, Arg e Ann Phillips, on the 13th day of February 1894, and registered in Franklin county on the 17th of April 1894, in book no. 26 page 419, I shall sell at the Court House door in the town of Louisburg, said county, on Monday the 24th day burg, said count, on Monday the 24th day of May 1897 at 11 o'clock a m at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, a auction to the highest bidder for cash, certain tract or parcel of land situated Dunns' township, said county, and bounded on the north by the lands of W. G. Upchurch, on the east by the lands of J. C. Bunn, on the south by the lands of Mrs. B. T. Strick Pearce, containing thirty-five acres. April 22nd 1897.

J. J. PEARCE.

### NOTICE.

By virtue of power given in a certain mortgage deed executed on the 25th day of April, 1895, by W. T. Outlaw and Lovella Outlaw, his wife, an I G. L. P. Toliaferro and Josie Toliaferro, his wife, to I. G. Staunton and duly recorded in Book 99, Page 380-3 the office of the Register of Deeds of Franklin county, and default having been made in the payment of said mortgage debt. I will on Saturday, the 1st day of May, 1897 sell for eash, at public auction at Franklinton, N. C., the following tracts of land lying and being in Franklin county. State afore said, and in Franklinton township and described and defined as follows, to-wit: two tracts adjoining the lands of A. B. Wester. Marcellus Joyner and others, and fully de scribed in said martgage, reference to which hereby made.

This the 30th day of March, 1897. I. G. STAUNTON, Mortgagee. R. C. GULLEY Attorney.

## NOTICE.

By virtue of judgment of the Superior Court of Franklin county made in the proceedings entitled O. L. Ellis, Administrator of Mrs. E. F. Long, Mrs. V. A. Bragg, et al., against Emmett Edwards and W. M. Person, his guardian ad litem, the undersigned will, on Monday, the Third day of May, 1897, offer for sale at the front of Joyner's Drug Store, in the town of Franklinton, Franklin county, North Carolina, to the highest bidder, the following described lands, situate in Franklin county state of North Carolina, adjoining the lands of Mrs. M. R. Smiley, Press White and William Green, situated in the Town of Franklinton, bounded as follows, viz: Beginning on Green street, and William Green's corner, turning thence along said line South 25 degrees, West 190 feet, to Press White's line; thence along said White's line, South 44 degrees, East 53% feet to Mrs. M. R. Smiley's corner; thence along said Smiley's line North 25 degrees, East 208 feet, to Green street; thence along said street North 65 degrees. West 50 feet, to the begining, containing 9950 feet, or thereabouts.

to be paid on the first day of December, 1897. O. L. Ellis, Commissioner. F. S. SPRUILL, Attorney.

## SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of a mortgage deed made to me by Hattle Spencer, alias Hattle Mix, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Franklin county, in Book 108, page 116, I shall on Monday, the 10th day of May 1897, sell at the Court House door in the Town of Louisburg, N. C., the land described in said mortgage deed, being the tract of land known as the Dr. Thomas Davis Old Homestead and adjoining the lands of N. C. Gupton, Rufus Kearney and thers and containing 198 acres more or less.

Terms of sale cash.

B. B. MASSENBURG, Mortgagee.
This 6th day of April, 1897.

NOTICE OF SALE!

NORTH CAROLINA, Franklin County.

Catherine Coggins,

Mary Jane Coggins, vs. Martha Coggins.

By virtue of an order of the Superior cour of Franklin county in the above cause I shal on Saturday the the first day of May 1897 in the town of Franklinton sell at publi auction to the highest bidder for cash house and lot situated in the town of Frank linton and bounded as follows: On the north by the lot occupied by W. H. Joyner on the west by Main street, on the south by A. B. Wester and on the east by the R. & G R. R. Co., containing one-half acre more of less. Sale will take place at 12 o'clock m

## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

The partnership heretofore subsisting under the firm name of Lancaster & Co., between M. V. Lancaster and J S Lancaster, has this day by mutual consent been dissolved. The stock of goods, wares and merchandise, store fixtures, accounts, evidences of debt and the good will of the firm of Lancaster & Co., has been sold to Mrs. Mary A. Lancaster, who will, under the same firm name, continue to conduct a heavy and fancy grocery business at the same stand. We thank our many patrons for their past liberal patronage, and bespeak for our suc

cessor a continuance of the same. This March 26th, 1897. M. V. LANCASTER, J. S. LANCASTER.

Having bought out the stock of goods, wares and merchandise, store fixtures accounts, &c., of the former firm of Lancaster & Co., as well as the good will, I beg to announce to the public that I will, under the same firm name and at the same stand, continue to do a heavy and fancy grocery business, keeping in stock a complete line of choicest and freshest goods, and selling them continuance of the patronage so liberally

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March 26th, 1897.

LOUISBURG, N. C., FRIDAY, APRIL 30, 1897.

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GOLD IN NORTH CAROLINA

Ra'eigh News-Observer. The geological survey report on gold deposits in North Carolina is now ready for distribution and copies can be obtained from the State geologist by forwarding 8 cents for the payment of postage. The report is accompanied by a geological map of the State which shows the regions in which gold has been found in any considerable quantity, the location of the more important mines, and the character of the rocks in all the gold producing districts. The new discoveries in Granville county are located on this map but not described in the report as the latter had been printed before the discoveries were made.

The total amount of gold produced in the State to date is estimated to be \$24,000,000 mostly in Franklin, Nash, Montgomery, Moore, Davidson, Rowan, Stauly, Cabarrus, Mecklenburg, Union. Burke, McDowell, Rutherford Henderson, Jackson and Macon

At what time gold mining was first undertaken in North Carolina says Prof. Holmes in this report. cannot be ascertained, but several traditions, which carry a large probability of truth, would seem indicate that the auriferons character of the section was known before the Revolutionary war. Oue of the localities in this State. which it is believed was worked before that struggle began, was

the Oliver mine in Gaston county. Information has recently been received of the successful operation of the Parker mine in Cherokee county, N. C., by the Cherokee Indians long before the coming of the white pioneers into that section. They obtained only nugget gold and their art was entirely inadequate to the winning of the fine

The first authentic find was on the Reed plantation, in Cabarrus county, where a 17-pound nugget was found in 1799. Its value was not suspected at first, but when it was ascertained to be gold, a systematic search was undertaken and a large number of nuggets were unearthed.

Success at this mine stimulated search elsewhere; nugget gold was found at the Dunn mine in Meck. lenburg county soon afterwards. and curious stories are still current of the common uses to which these nuggets were put by the local gunsmiths.

By 1825, gold mining on a vigorous scale was earried on along the entire Appalachian slope, from Virginia to Alabama. The placers or like deposits were first worked. then the gossan outcrops of the veins, where slight skill with few and cheap appliances were adequate to the work. The exhaustion of these easily worked stores was effected about the time of the discovery of gold in California and there was a large exodus of miners to that territory. The mining work had not recovered from the retarding influences of this exodus when the civil war came and put an end to all work At the close of the war but one gold mine in North Carolina was in operation. Since then there have been spasmodic revivals and depressions in gold mining throughout the State and at the present time everything points to a healthy growth of the industry

The greatest drawback in the development of this industry in the State at the present time is the lack of large metallurgical plants, located at central points like Salisbury and Charlotte, where the ores from the bundreds of neigh-

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## OUR TRIP TO LOUISBURG.

Orphans' Friend. 3

the 13th at 12:30 P. M., for Louisburg. We reached Henderson on time. When we spoke about stalling at Horners Hillon account of having on an extra box car or two, Bro. Powell immediately us that he had another engine that could pull the extra load up the hill. If it was not for his kindly and courteous bearing towe are mad about being left. After a good dinner at Massenhugely enjoyed, we boarded the them pleasure to accommodate and render any one a service. We have marked this characteristic of the S. A. L., system with great pleasure. Politeness and courtesy always tell whether by corporations or individuals.

We arrived at Louisburg about half past four in the afternoon and were gratefully surprised to W. K. MARTIN, find Bros. Baker, Barrow and Meadows at the depot to meet us. good wife is our kinswoman, was guest. Bro. Davis has charge of the Louisburg Female College. He is an old hand at the business was president at that time. She is being educated by the benevoleut owner of the College, Mr. voice which is being trained and her to make a splendid woman.

At night we visited the Lodge. were cordial and our visit exceed-E. A. Degree conferred better. est, thoughtfulness and taste. ter its portals.

The brethren called on us to say something about the asylum and boring mines could be successfully kindly listened to the few words

The Blue Back in China.

We left the Asylum Tuesday wanted to know how much we spelling and pronunciation, es wanted to bet on it. He informed pecially the latter, and require ward every body, more people of Miss Grier's increases our faith. would lose their temper, but Capt. If the Mongolian heathen is Powell seems so anxious to get to taught Websters Blue Back along Henderson on time that when he with the Bible, then we have some fails, we feel as sorry for him as hope for him. burg's hotel, which is always Send your address to H E Bucklen & S. A. L., train for Franklinton will convince you of their merits. These where we change cars for Louis. pills are easy in action and are partieu burg. On all the roads of this tion and sick headache. For malaria system we have never found a and liver troubles they have been proved cross grained, surly ungentleman- perfectly free from every deleterious sub. We keep the Largest, Finest an ly conductor. It seems to give stance and to be purely vegetable. They serve their patrons, even the col. greatly invigorate the system. Regular ored porters seem delighted to & Co., Draggists.

When we reached the Meadows House Bro. M. S. Davis, whose waiting and claimed us for his -has been a school man for many years. The first girl we met was little Annie Strickland whom we sent to the College in 1894 at the earnest request of Bro. Green who Washington Duke. She bas a fine cultivated. When quite a little child she was in the choir of the Oxford Orphan Asylum and wherever she sung always was the wonder and admiration of those who heard her. We want

Royal No. 413. The brethren LATHS, SHINGLES, LUMBER, ingly pleasant. We never saw the The brethren one and all seemed to be impressed with the great teachings of the beautiful ceremony. The W. M. Bro. Hart presided with ease and conferred the degree very impressively. Bro. Yarborough, although a very young Mason, did the work of Senior Deacon as well as we ever saw it. There was a vigor and enthusiasm about the work and the brethren that was exceedingly gratifying. Their Lodge room is a gem, though small it is tastily and comfortably furnished, and you feel when you take your seat in the comfortable chairs that it is the best on the market. It is reca real pleasure to sit in such a commended by all Physicians. Lodge, because it betokens inter-No wonder the best men in the town are knocking at their door for admission. This is always the case under like circumstances. When a mason lives up to his high calling and his Lodge room shows the signs of his appreciation and respectfully ask that all "deadculture; men are attracted to its heads" will either walk or grand teachings and want to en-

we had to say.

We left them the next day feeling glad of our visit and nearer to those brethren. May the Supreme Grand Master make them the obenable them to practice the great principles of Masonry, friendship, morality and brotherly love.

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