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By virtue of a jndgement of the Superior Court of Franklin county in the case of O. L. Ellis Adm'r. of Mary A. Woodard vs Fietcher Carson and others, I will, on Monday the 7th day of June 1897, in the front of the Court House door in the town of Louisburg, Franklin county, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder the following described land, in Freemans township, Franklin county, bounded as follows, viz: On the North, East and South by George Wall, and on the West by Wm. Green and Dr Hal Harris, containing one hundred and fifty-five acres. Terms of sale one-fourth cash and the balance on the first day of January 1898 when possession will be given. April 30th 1897.

O. L. ELLIS Adm'r of Mary A. Woodard, and Com.

LAND SALE. By virtue of the power bodied in me by a certain deed of trust executed by J. W. Strickland and wife on the 4th day of Janu-1895, and duly recorded in the registry ary 1895, and duly recorded in the registry of Franklin in book 99, at page 162 et seq. I will on Wednesday the 26th day of May 1897, at 12 o'clock m at the Court House door in the town of Louisburg sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described tract of land conveyed in said deed of trust, to-wit: All this tract or parcel of land lying and being in Franklin county adjoining the lands of W. T. Strickland and others, beginning at a mulberry stump and pointers. W. T. Strickland's corner, thence s 1° w 143 poles 14 links to corner, thence s 1° w 143 poles 14 links to stakes. W T. Strickland's corner, thence e 126 poles to stakes, dead pointer, thence n. 48 poles to a stake and maple poin ers. near a spring, thence w 32 poles to J. W. Strickland's corner, thence n 77 poles to stakes. J. W. Strickland's corner, thence w 46 poles to stakes and pointers, Chavis' corner, thence n 20 poles to stakes, Strickland's corner, thence s 87 1-2° w 44 poles 6 links to beginning containing 88 acres. Sold to satisfy debt secured in said deed of trust. This April 14th 1897.

T. W. Bickett. Trustee.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Wake cownty in the special proceeding entitled Louisa L. Cosby, et als, devisees of the estate of Mary Ann Smith Morehead, dec'd ex parte, we will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public out cry at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C., on the 17th day of June 1897 at 12 o'clock M., the following de scribed tract of land situate on the waters of big and little Shocco creek in Franklin county joining the lands of J. Buxton Williams. S. P. Arrington, P. A. Davis and John A. Burt. containing 448 acres more or less. Terms of sale one-third of the purchase money in cash. the residue in two equal installments pay able in one and two years with interest from date at the rate of six per cent. JOHN T. PULLEN, ED CHAMBERZ SMITH,

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LOUISBURG, N. C., FRIDAY, MAY 28, 1897.

Discrimination in Freight Rates.

The Greensboro Record has quite full report of the proceedings the meeting of manufacturers held in that place Wednesday and touched upon the paper Thursday. Some figures were printed at that time showing the discrimination in freight rates against North Carolina, and in the Record's report other figures of a yet more startling character are given. Thus it was shown that the rate on cotton goods from Danville to New York is 29 cents, while from Greensboro it is 41, though the distance between these points is bardly more tban 40 miles. Again, the rate on shoes from Boston to Lynchburg is 45 cents, while to Greensboro it is Pennsylvania, one of the largest 89 cents-just double, lacking one stock bolders, has instituted suit

the civilization as well as the prospart in the clamor against them because it is popular to denounce them. But railroads must be fair, and if the figures given are correct, North Carolina is not being fairly treated by them and these manufacturers are doing the whole public a service when they cry out against this discrimination. A part of their work was the formulation of a plan for the employment of an expert traffic man to look after matters and see if something cannot be done to equalize out of joint .- Charlotte Observer

AMERICAN TOBACCO CO.

Directors Elected—Balance of Surplus \$5,884,548.

At the annual meeting of the American Tobacco Co., beld in Newark, N. J., the following directors were elected for a term of one year:

Josiah Brown, James G. Butler, John Doerhoeffer, and Ernest Schindier.

The annual report for the year ending December 31, 1896. shows a balance of surplus of \$5,884,-548, against a surplus of \$8,600,-372 for the previous year. The valuable mineral deposits. net earnings were \$3,583,907, and the balance after dividends and charges, \$864,176. This amount, added to last year's surplus, makes a total of \$9,464,548, and deducting from this a 20 per cent. script dividend of \$3,580,000 on the common stock, the \$5,884,548 balance

of surplus is left. Messrs Marburg and Ginter re signed from the board and were replaced by Herman Ellis and . D. Cobb. Mr. Schmelser succeeded Mr. Gasl, who retired.

Round Bale Compresses to be Oper ated on a Co-Operative Basis.

The fears of mronopoly in the handling of cotton by the roundbale process, which have existed in some quarters, may be set at ufacturers' Record that it is au- the creek. thoritatively informed that the in co-operation with local plant-South. The plan of operation blow of its enormous tail. that has been decided upon will

curately gauges the opposition to the new process, and from an independent standpoint, supported by practical experience, he says that "it is absolutely certain that cotton packed in cylindrical bales under the system adopted by substitue He will not chim there is any this company will bring higher prices all the world over than that packed in the prevailing style."

CASTORIA.

Southern ludustries.

The Exchange says, Laurin burg Cotton Seed Oil and Manu. facturing Company bas declared an annual dividend of 9 per cent.

The town of Mount Airy bas sold \$25,000 worth of bonds, for water works and electric light plant, and will immediately put

Marion Democrat: The new factory is going up at once. The lumber is being placed upon the lot now. It is to be a \$40,000 plant and the building will be three sto. The concern will employ a large number of bands.

for foreclosure of the \$100,000 quickly as a mother-in a new and We have no prejudice against mortgage on the Roanoke Naviga very natural sense, another worailroads; they are conservators of tion and Water Power Company. man's bero; and that woman a girl. The Weldon News says that Sena- With her he discerns, away out on perity of a people; we have no tor Cameron will buy it, of course.

Charlotte Observer: Captain Henry Grose and Mr. F. A. Keaves have leased the old Jag Knott gold mine, nine miles from Charlotte, from Messrs. Moore & Addick. of Yorkville, S. C. They will begin the work of developing the mine next week. Both are practical gold miners and they are satisfied that they have secured a paying

rates. Manifestly they are sadly present the gold mining interests, parents wonder if some time they near Oxford, are attracting capi- do not grieve in their new life in the farm lands on which the indications of gold are very nia miner who called here to examine the prospects, reports a rich vein of gold deposit running through the private grounds of East Oxford. The work of digging for gold in the Cheatham farm four miles from Oxford, goes steadily on, with the prospects growing better every day. Several shafts have already been sunk and more will be sunk immediately, thus verifying the report of an eminent geologist, who many years ago reported Granville county to be remarkably rich in gold and

A Kind of a Santer in Kansas.

have seen it, say is not less than Henry Wyatt, the first martyr of awhile they slip clear out and fifty feet long. It has the sinu- the war, killed at Bethel Church, never come to church again." ous body of a snake, but its tongue June 10, 1861, as well as good picis not forked, and on its head are tures of other prominent soldiers two short borns. Its color is green, and generals. In an individual with dirty white spots. It feeds case are the effects of the gallant upon small animals and fowis, Major General William Dorsey well invested, at the end of a cenand has an enormous appetite.

chickens, and he followed the trail rest by the statement in the Man- of the reptile until it disappeared in

American Cotton Co., proposes to pigs in forty-eight hours, and a the other his commission of major funds, how much can God make? operate its cylindrical compresses german testifies that the monster general in the Confederate States killed his plow borse, which was army. ers and ginners throughout the feeding near the creek, by a single

pany will begin at once the intro- for its mother. The farmers are tols and holster and his glove. duction of round-bale compresses. afraid of it, but will make a united In an interview in the Manu- effort to kill it. It hides in the important dispatches from Presi- poor. How is the society coming facturers' Record Mr. Henry swamp and water, and, it is sup. dent Davis to Governor John W. on?" Hentz, president of the New York posed, came from the deeper water Ellie, of North Carolina; also one Mrs. Sunbeam-"Splendidly! distant .- Topeka, Kan., Dispatch,

THERE IS NOTHING SO GOOD. There is nothing just as good as Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption colds and coughs, so demand it and do ing better, but in order to make more When Loving Mothers Grow Selfish. Carpet-Baggers Getting All the Pie.

"It is when children reach ma turity that the supreme tests of parental love comes," writes Edward W. Bok, discussing the home leaving of children at the lime of marriage, in the May Ladies' Home Journal. through infancy and early years the children are more or less care. And then, just as the parents feel relieved from cares and anxieties. and are beginning to enjoy the companiouship of their children in the serene and complacent way which 'grown-ups' bare, there comes a fluttering of the wings. a remote anggestion of flight. The Ex Senator Don . Cameron, of son is no less his mothers boy than he bas been and ever will be. But be is-and who realizes it so the horizon line, the shadowy lines of a house that is to become a home their very own. The girl, too, whose going in and out of the house has been a daily joy to the parents-she too, bas become a beroine to some one other than ber father or ber mother. It is bard for the parents to realize that this mate of her flight can care for her as they have; that in her young eyes, in ber young heart, it is pos sible that be can be altogether no-A special from Oxford, N. C , to ble and capable. And after the the Charlotte Observer says: At vonng birds have taken flight the talists with a view to investing But some fine morning a clearer vision is given them, and they realize that, after all, their chilencouraging. A reliable Califor. dren are only playing the same role which they played a few years before. It is a magnificent quali ty in parents when they so prepare themselves that they can meet this inevitable time with the proper spirit-when in other

THE NORTH CAROLINA ROOM.

words, parental love can get the

better of selfishness.

In the Confederate Museum-Jefferson Davis' Former Residence.

Describing the different rooms serious things.

Peuder; the suit of gray in which tury will be worth a thousand dol Another farmer lost forty young the Cabipet of President Pierce; can make so much out of invested

It has been shot at several times, Edgeworths girls, of Greensboro, fruit in the millennial age?enable planters and ginners to but its hide is proof against bul. N. C., to the Guilford Grays, com- Christian Alliance. avail themselves of the benefits of lets. When in anger it lifts its manded by Captain John Sloan, of the invention on a liberal co- head ten feet in the air, protrudus the Twenty-seventh North Carolioperative basis, with a market for its tongue three feet or more, and na State Troops. Of the gallant their cotton assured. The com- utters a whine like a pupy crying L. O'B. Branch, they have his pis-

"A large frame is filled with for the relief of the deserving Cotton Exchange, calmly and ac- of the Solomon river, some miles of condolence to his wife on his We've been organized only a year. hearing of the death of Governor and in that time our receipts have Ellis. There is also the flag that been nearly enough to pay the ofwas presented to the Governor by ficer's salaries." R. Mayo's girls, of Raleigh, the same flag which draped his coffin.'

> L F. Farely conducts a large mercan tile business at Liberty Hill, Ga.

Southern Republicans are complaining that all the important appointments thus far given to the South bave been tendered to "carpet-baggers," and not one to a native born. Buck, of Georgia; Gray, of Maryland; Clayton, of Arkansas; Evans, of Tennessee, and every other Southerner who has received an office thus far, except postoffices and other local poeitions, were born in the North. The matter has been brought to the attention of President McKinley. The native Republicans say that President McKinley has pretended to be interested in building up the party in the South, yet in his distribution of patronage be recognizes only the old office bold. ing "carpet-bag" element, to the exclusion of young men, who are natives of the soil, and who have been trying to improve the condition of the South and the Republican party in that section .- Wash ington Dispatch to Chicago Rec

The Value of Green Food

Birds are now running out and the close confinement of the long winter months is at an end. less precautions were taken last fall to sow your yards with rye. they will look from morning antil night for what they most need, and that is green food. Bare yards are not inviting at any season, and more especially is this true in these early spring days.

Too much grain, too much meal and too much of all fattening foods have been given during the cold months. A little extra green food is what your lavers need, and also what your males need to make thememore vigorous and put them in better general health Search your cellars for what you may have eft over-potatoes, apples, turnips, cabbage, anything that is green will be most acceptable to your feathered pets -- Country Gentle-

THE minister's little girl and ber playmate were talking about

in the Confederate Museum at "Do you know what a back-Richmond, the Southern Progress slider is?" she questioned. "Yes; it's a person that used to be a "North Carolina occupies the Christian and isn't," said the room which was the nursery in the playmate, promptly. "But what Mr. B. P. Walker, Postmaster home of President Davis. It has do spose makes them call them at the town of Logan, is authority a magnificent view of that part of backsliders?" "O, that's easy for the story that the farmers who Richmond known as Church Hill You see when speople are good live in the valley of Crystal Creek, It was given to North Carolina as they go to church and sit up in in Phillips county, are greatly ex. one of the choicest apartments in front. When they get a little cited there over the appearance of the mansion, because of North tired of being good they slip back an enormous reptile which re Carolina's brilliant record during a seat, and keep on till they get putable men, who declare that they the war. Here is the picture of clear back to the door. After

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How much do you suppose the dollar you give to Christ will be "A beautiful flag adorns the worth two or three centuries after wall, which was given by the this, when you behold its glorious

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