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## TEACH TEMPERANCE IS

### SUPT. MEBANE'S ADVICE TO PUBLIC TEACHERS.

Cigarettes and Tobacco Under the Ban. The Superintendent of Public Instruction, strikes for temperance in a letter which he issued yesterday to the county superintendents and teachers of the public schools in the State. The cigarette and tobacco are also placed under the ban by the superintendent.

The following is a copy of the letter: "Dear Friends: I wish to call your attention to Section 74 of the School Law: 'The nature of alcoholic drinks and narcotics and special instruction as to their effect upon the human system \* \* shall be included in the branches of study taught in the common or free schools in the State of North Carolina, and shall be studied and taught as thoroughly and in the same manner as other like required branches in said schools,' etc.

"This subject has not had the attention and has not had the time devoted to it that should have been by many of our county superintendents and teachers. 'If we are to become a sober, temperate people, we must look to the rising generations. A large per cent. of the men and women—what a pity we must name women—who are slaves to narcotics and alcoholic drinks will never be reclaimed from the miserable bands which are crushing their lives, their hopes and happiness, and hurrying them on to fill unlimbed graves. Then how important it is that the awful consequences of these narcotics and drinks be impressed upon the minds and hearts of the children.

"What strong drink is doing for the men from twenty to fifty years of age, the same, to a wonderful extent, the cigarette and tobacco are doing for the boys from twelve to twenty years of age. 'The time has come for teachers to cry aloud and spare not. I care not if our school fund is increased some from liquor license. The more the pity. I care not if tobacco men give their thousands to colleges and educational institutions. This ought not, and will not, shut the mouth of any true teacher against these evils.

"Yes, what shall it profit us if our public school funds are increased and our colleges are banded and endowed if our boys and girls are to be ruined? 'Let our teachers and county superintendents, too, be living examples of total abstinence from the use of all narcotics and alcoholic drinks. I like to see a preacher practice what he preaches, and I also like to see a teacher live the life he sets up as a model for his pupils as nearly as possible.

"The very idea of a superintendent of schools or a teacher taking a drink on the sly, or puffing a filthy pipe or smoking a cigarette. Away with such conduct on the part of teachers. 'Yours in behalf of the children, 'C. H. MEBANE, 'Supt. Public Instruction."

The rapid exhaustion of the timber supplies of this country has induced a large number of land owners to plant trees for profit, just as they would any other crop. The disappearance of good oak since that wood became so fashionable for finishings, furniture and other purposes suggests the planting of acorns wherever the land is adapted to the purpose, and is not wanted for a more immediate crop. Oak trees, where the land is not too valuable, promise to yield a good return on the investment. As the rate of interest goes down it is possible to figure out a profit in wood farming, where it was once out of the question. Prices of all kinds of hard woods are bound to advance as the supplies are becoming more and more remote from the markets every year.—Danyville Farrago.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to that which you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and is made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75 cents per bottle. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

A good heart is better than all the heads in the world.—Bulwer Lytton.

"The 'Plover Preacher,' Rev. J. Kirkman, Belle River, Ill., says, 'After suffering from bronchitis or lung trouble for ten years, I was cured by One Minute Cough Cure. It is the best I have known for it and more.' It cures coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. W. G. Thomas.

## "YES" OR "NO".

### A beautiful young girl, after much persuading gave her heart to Christ.

She found that she had a great many habits to stop and many crosses to bear. Her parents were worldly people, and though much displeased in the step their only child had taken, decided to let her have her own way in the matter.

With a great struggle she gave up dancing and other worldly pursuits, but the greatest struggle was to tell her friends, for she knew that they would laugh at her, and scorn the idea.

After much prayer she succeeded in doing this, and of course ceased to receive invitations to balls and dances that she had before frequented.

But she had made an important discovery—that these worldly friends had not cared for her, but the pleasure they found in attending the balls, etc., that she gave. Her giving up these pleasures hurt her parents more than it did her, for she had Christ, while they had not.

With pride her mother and father had watched her move as the belle of New York society. Among her many friends was a young banker, Ralph Belford by name, who thought that Grace's decision was but a whim, and hoped that she would soon forget it, for he had learned to love this beautiful girl.

But as time went by, Grace grew more earnest and resolute. When Ralph asked for her hand and she was startled by the firm answer: "Ralph, if you were a Christian, I would say yes; but as it is, I can't—really I cannot."

She had prayed over this, and had decided, or Christ had decided for her, which was the right answer. "Can't!" said he, with a sneer on his face; "can't! why don't you say you won't! I will tell you now, your religion has wrecked one man, for I go, where and when I do not know and do not care!"

With these bitter words, he turned to leave her, but, looking back, said: "Won't you alter your decision, Grace?"

With a fervent prayer to Christ for help, she answered, while her eyes swam with tears: "O, Ralph! don't be so unjust. I say once more, I can't; don't tempt me again. Oh, if you would only accept Christ, we might be so happy!"

## LAST MAN ON EARTH.

### Coming to Their Senses.

It is to be regretted that the disqualification of ignorant voters which Southern States like Mississippi, South Carolina and Louisiana have been compelled to adopt in self protection should not be adopted in every Northern State. It would offer a solution of many difficulties that beset State and municipal government, and at the same time smooth the way to a satisfactory readjustment of the basis of representation in Congress.

There seems to be no other means of repairing the terrible mistake that was made when the ballot was thrust into the hands of the negro, thus suddenly leveling the quality of American citizenship by the unnecessary intrusion of a baser element.—Philadelphia Record.

Millions Given Away. It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and Coughs, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing that it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, bronchitis, chest and lung are surely cured by it. Coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, and all throat and lung troubles. W. G. Thomas.

Praise from even the bumble is a stimulus to great exertion. "I did me more good than anything I ever used. My dyspepsia was of months' standing; after eating it was terrible. Now I am well," writes S. B. Keener, Huntington, of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat. W. G. Thomas.

A person can write soft nothings with a hard pencil. Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the result of indigestion, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life," writes W. G. Thomas' drug store thousands of bottles guaranteed.

In politics many are called, but few are chosen on their merits. No Cure—No Pay. That is the way all druggists sell Groves' Tasteless Chilli Tonic for Chills and Malaria. It is simply Iron and Quinine in a tasteless form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter nauseating tonics. Price 50 cents.

The best way to get out of a scrape is to raise a beard. Nature makes a strong fight against disease, but there are times when it needs assistance to drive out the enemy. Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier supplied the needed help and will soon restore the body to a healthy, vigorous condition. It exercises a stimulating influence over the organs of digestion and assimilation, strengthens the appetite, brightens the eye, and imparts the rosy bloom of health to the cheek. Price 50 cents and \$1 a bottle.

LADIES' TAILOR-MADE SUITS. No have accepted the agency for the Bedford Tailor-made Suits, Coats, Cuffs, Collar-cuffs, etc., and hope to sell every lady in Louisiana a suit this season. Nothing adds so much to a woman's appearance as a well fitting tailor-made suit, and we guarantee a good fit every time. If you can buy and have a dress made cheaper than we can have it done for you we will refund the difference. We have a call from all the ladies at an early date, we remain Most respectfully, KING & CLIFTON.

WANTED—SEVERAL BRIGS AND HONORABLE persons to represent us as Managers in this and close by counties. Salary \$500 a year exclusive of expenses. Successful candidates will receive a bonus. For full particulars, send your name and address to THE DOMESTIC COMPANY, Dept. 8, Chicago.

## TICKETS GOOD FOR THIRTY DAYS.

### A Cheap Excursion Trip to Washington, Baltimore or Philadelphia, by the Seaboard Air Line.

You can buy any Seaboard Air Line Agent tickets to the Philadelphia Exposition at the rate of one and one-third fares for the round trip. You can stop over at Washington or Baltimore, going or coming. Your ticket will be good for thirty (30) days from date of purchase, only it must be used on or before December 2.

You can go by Norfolk and connecting steamship lines, or all railroad. Millions of dollars have been spent on this mammoth Industrial Exposition, an education in itself. Tickets on sale Tuesday and Thursday of each week until and including Tuesday, November 23rd, 1899.

Fame is the perfume of heroic deeds. Red Hot From The Gun. Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible death that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Buckler's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, lacerations, burns, boils, blisters, corns, scalds, eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by W. G. Thomas, druggist.

There is nothing more daring than ignorance. Millions of dollars in the value placed by Mrs. Mary Bird, Harrisburg, Pa., on the life of her child, which she saved from croup by the use of One Minute Cough Cure. It cures all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. W. G. Thomas.

A generous action is its own reward.—Walsh. Working Night and Day. The busiest and mightiest thing ever made was Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and Coughs. It cures all coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles. W. G. Thomas.

A happy bridegroom makes a happy bride.—Tennyson. "If you remedy the world you will never find a remedy equal to One Minute Cough Cure," says Editor Backler, of the Misanthrope, Fla. "It cured his family of LaGrippe and saved thousands from pneumonia, bronchitis, croup and all throat and lung troubles. W. G. Thomas.

It is hard to fight with passion; for it buys with life. President Kincaid, Farmer's Milk, Brooklyn, Mich., has used DeWitt's Little Early Riser in his family for years. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life," writes W. G. Thomas' drug store thousands of bottles guaranteed.

Hunger and cold may be borne, but injustice never. "When our boys were almost dead from whooping cough, our doctor gave One Minute Cough Cure. They recovered rapidly," writes P. B. Bell, Argyle, Pa. It cures coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. W. G. Thomas.

NOTICE. In obedience to the judgment of the Superior Court of Franklin county, made at April Term, 1899, in the case of W. G. Steadman, Plaintiff, vs. J. S. Walker and wife, Julia Walker, I shall sell at the Court House door, in the town of Louisburg, N. C., on Monday the 16th day of October, 1899, the tract of land situated in the town of Louisburg, N. C., containing 164 acres more or less. Terms one-fourth of the price cash, residue on credit for six months, with interest from day of sale. Sept. 14th, 1899. C. M. COOKE, Commissioner.

## NOTICE OF SALE.

In pursuance of the power of sale conferred in a deed of mortgage executed by Martha Perry to me, recorded in the Registry of Franklin county in Book 58 at Page 71, I will, on Monday, the 6th day of November, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., from the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash, at public auction, the following described tract or parcel of land, situated in Haywards township, Franklin county, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a red oak, thence west 42 poles, north 94 degrees, west 18 poles, east 188 poles to a red oak, Person's corner, thence west 70 poles to a black gum, Stone's corner, thence north 44 poles, north 11 degrees, west 100 poles, north 21 1/2 degrees, west 42 poles, north 94 degrees, west 18 poles to the 67 degree, containing 63 acres, more or less, and known heretofore as the Henry Johnson land. This October 4th, 1899.

J. W. PERRY, Mortgagee.  
F. S. SPRULL, Attorney.

NOTICE OF SALE. By virtue and in pursuance of the power conferred upon me in a deed of mortgage executed to me by Mary A. Perry, Henry Perry and wife, recorded in the Registry of Franklin county in Book 75 at Page 407, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in Louisburg, N. C., on Monday, the 6th day of November, 1899, at 12 o'clock M., a 7 1/2 acre divide interest in and to the following described tract or parcel of land in Franklin township, Franklin county, bounded as follows: Beginning at a Red Oak on Moses Neal's line, thence south-east by a marked tree 300 poles to a pine in Nat Hunt's line, thence north 120 poles to a Henry Stearns west 184 poles to the line in the Hunt's line, thence south 13 poles to a stump, thence west 48 poles to a red oak, thence south 124 poles to the first line containing by estimation 124 acres, and formerly known as the Kemp Perry tract, having been conveyed to me by said Henry Stearns by deed duly recorded in the Registry of Franklin county, to which reference is had. This Oct. 4th, 1899. FERRY & PATTERSON, Mortgagees.  
F. S. SPRULL, Attorney.

NOTICE. I shall on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1899, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in the town of Louisburg, N. C., for partition among the persons interested, one tract of land situated in the county of Franklin, adjoining the lands of W. F. Jackson, W. T. Minge, Narcissa Debnam, Tarborough Road, Crooked creek and Tar river, and others, containing about 380 acres. It being that land known as "Carpenter's Mill." The said land will be sold in two tracts or parcels, one containing about 218 acres, and the other about 162 acres. This land is situated only a few miles from the proposed rail road from Raleigh to Springhope, and an opportunity for a good investment is offered. For further information apply to Dr. W. H. Nicholson, at Louisburg, N. C., or to the undersigned at Henderson, N. C. This the 1st day of Sept., 1899. HENRY PERRY, Trustee.

NOTICE. In obedience to the judgment of the Superior Court of Franklin county, made at April Term, 1899, in the case of W. G. Steadman, Plaintiff, vs. J. S. Walker and wife, Julia Walker, I shall sell at the Court House door, in the town of Louisburg, N. C., on Monday the 16th day of October, 1899, the tract of land situated in the town of Louisburg, N. C., containing 164 acres more or less. Terms one-fourth of the price cash, residue on credit for six months, with interest from day of sale. Sept. 14th, 1899. C. M. COOKE, Commissioner.

NOTICE. In obedience to the judgment of the Superior Court of Franklin county, made at January Term, 1899, in the case of P. H. Allen and others, Executors of E. D. Fleming and Mrs. V. A. Fleming, against Wesley Barrett and wife, and the order of resale made at April Term, 1899, of said estate, I shall sell at the Court House door, in the town of Louisburg, N. C., on Monday the 16th day of October, 1899, at public auction to the highest bidder for one-fourth cash, residue on credit of six months, with interest from day of sale, a certain tract or parcel of land situated in Franklin county, N. C., and bounded as follows: On the north by the Becht tract, on the east and south by the May land, and on the west by the lands of Wesley Barrett, it being the tract devised to Wesley Barrett by Green Barrett containing one hundred acres. Sept. 13, 1899. C. M. COOKE, Commissioner.

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## TAX NOTICE.

I will attend at the following places on the days named to collect State and County taxes due for the year 1899: Dinnis township, at Poplar Springs, Tuesday, October 10th. Harris township, at Clifton's Mill, Wednesday, October 11th. Freeman township, at Youngsville, Thursday, October 12th. Haywards township, at Rocky Ford, Friday, October 13th. Franklinton township, at Franklinton, Saturday, October 14th. Sandy Creek township, at Laurel, Tuesday, October 24th. Gold Mine township, at Centreville, Wednesday, October 25th. Cedar Rock township, at Stalling Mill, Thursday, October 26th. Cypress Creek township, at Gay's Store, Friday, October 27th. Louisburg township, at Court House, where the books will be open every day, except legal holidays, where all persons wishing can settle.

I urge tax payers to settle promptly, as I shall be forced to put the list out early for collection. H. C. KEARNEY, Sheriff. Franklin County. Louisburg, N. C., Sept. 20th, 1899.

FRANKLIN DIVISION PEOPLE'S MUTUAL Benevolent Association. LOUISBURG, N. C. OFFICERS: Wm. BALEY, President. W. J. BERRY, Treasurer and Gen'l Manager. C. C. HARRIS, Special Agent.

Our Special Agent, Mr. C. C. Harris has been soliciting insurance for two weeks and we are glad to inform our Policy holders that he has met with splendid success, and the outlook is at present that we will be able to increase our number of Policy holders to one thousand before long. Mr. Harris has come to Elm City and will remain in Wilson county for some weeks. On his return to Franklin county I hope those desiring Policies in this Association will give Mr. Harris their applications promptly as he has a large territory to travel and therefore has but little time to spend at any one place. Keep up with our advertisement, as we expect to keep you posted as to the progress of the Association through the columns of this paper. Yours truly, W. J. BERRY, Treasurer and Gen'l Manager.

NOTICE. In obedience to the judgment of the Superior Court of Franklin county, made at April Term, 1899, in the case of J. L. Mitchell and W. W. Staley, Executors of Henry Faves and others, against Calvin J. Walker and wife, Julia Walker, I shall sell at the Court House door, in the town of Louisburg, N. C., on Monday the 16th day of October, 1899, the tract of land situated in the town of Louisburg, N. C., containing 164 acres more or less. Terms one-fourth of the price cash, residue on credit for six months, with interest from day of sale. Sept. 14th, 1899. C. M. COOKE, Commissioner.

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