

**A Liberal Offer by the Town.**

MR. EDITOR:—I understand that the town in order to induce its citizens to take water and lights, have offered to have the taps made and the pipe furnished and run to the side walks free of charge, and to wire the homes and charge nothing for the work and only charge for the material furnished. The cost of the taps and the pipe to the side walk will cost them at least \$5.00 but they are anxious to get the water and lights on a paying basis. And then they say it is so much healthier. And while I am afraid the town has been more liberal with its citizens than it was able, I certainly do think that everyone who is able to afford it should at once avail themselves of this liberal offer. And I would almost be willing to guarantee that not a single individual who takes advantage of this offer, will regret it. If you will do away with the bad smelling kerosene lamp, and spilling oil, for a month you will never want to return to it again.

And as to the water there is nothing but praise for it. If you do your own work it will pay you many times over the cost. Think of a woman drawing water from a well or if hubby is good and draws it himself, he has to go to his work and if you have any fresh water during the day you have to draw it. And who is it that does not know that the labor and trouble caused to the wife or children are not greater than the cost of the water. The fact is if you have to go out in the yard and draw all the water you use there is not as much going to be used as is good for health. Think how much easier it is just to turn a faucet and get all the water you want. A great many hire servants because it is so hard to get water, and the servant question is so uncertain now that even if you are able to hire you cannot always get one. My advice is to make your wife as independent as is possible. With the convenience of water and lights most any woman feels a great deal more independent for she knows that this is about the hardest part of house keeping, and she is relieved of a great burden when she can get water and lights without any trouble.

A great many people are complaining about the taxes and expenses, and they are high and the times are hard. And with the kicking and abusing the town they are not getting any better. I did not vote for the present water works and electric light plants, perhaps you did or did not. We voted as we thought best, and now we have one of the best systems in the state and already on two or three occasions enough property has been saved from fire by the heroic and timely work of our volunteer fire company to pay for the cost. Suppose with the dull times almost half of our town on this side of the river had been burned, the oil mill and no telling what else might have been burned on the south side of the river. Suppose we had not had the present system our town would have been just about wiped out, and if we had had it on March 30th, 1905, we would have saved \$75,000 that went up in smoke and ashes. Let us all make up our minds that we will quit abusing the town and that we will all pull together for its up-building. If we will do this we will get along a great deal better. Let all who owe the town anything make every possible effort to pay it, and those who haven't taken water and lights do so as soon as they can. And I believe if we do this and look for the silver linings to the clouds that so many are trying to wrap around themselves that they will find that things are not so bad as we try to make them.

Think of the advantages we have. One of the best systems of water and lights anywhere to be found—the purity of the water furnished us is not equalled by but one place in the State. We have one of the best fire companies in the state, composed of our best citizens and are not paid a cent. We have as good graded schools, for both white and colored, as can be found. The Louisburg Female College, for young ladies, that is not surpassed in the state, good churches, good people, a good

cotton and tobacco market, lumber mills, wagon factory, foundry, tobacco stemmeries, etc.

Of course we need more factories, and I deem cotton factories, furniture factories, and a score of other kinds a necessity that we must have if we want to continue to grow. And by uniting for the up-building of the town and a determination to leave off grumbling, and appreciate what we have, we will get along all right.

Now let us all pull together to build up our town. Let us get the new railroad from Springhope, the automobile route and have the factories.

F. N. EGERTON.

**Margaret Items.**

MR. EDITOR:—As we have not seen anything in the paper from here in so long we will send you a few items.

The crops around here are looking very well, although a little grassy.

Miss Harriet Ross, of Stokes county, is visiting friends and relatives in our vicinity.

Miss Lucile Stell, of Wakefield, recently visited her aunt Mrs. S. R. Perry.

We were sorry to learn of Mrs. W. R. Bunn's illness.

Mr. S. R. Perry expects to complete his new residence in the near future.

Quite a crowd of young people had a very nice time "tasting" ice cream at Mrs. Bettie Moore's on Monday June 28th.

Mrs. Alma Montgomery expects to leave Sunday for Zebulon to visit relatives and friends.

With best wishes for the TIMES.

T. Tor.

[The above items were intended for last week's issue, but were received too late for publication.—EDITOR.]

**DON'T EXPERIMENT.**

**You Will Make No Mistake if You Follow This Advice.**

Never neglect your kidneys. If you have pain in the back, urinary disorders, dizziness and nervousness, it's time to act and not time to experiment. These are all symptoms of kidney trouble, and you should seek a remedy which is known to cure the kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use. No need to experiment. It has cured many stubborn cases in this vicinity.

Can Louisburg residents demand further proof than that contained in the following testimonial?

N. A. Spencer, Sr., 323 So. Wilmington St., Raleigh, N. C. Says: "Kidney trouble had me in its grasp for years and although I used various remedies, I was unable to obtain relief. The kidney secretions deposited a sediment and were otherwise disordered but the most annoying symptoms of my trouble were dull, nagging backaches and sharp twinges through my body whenever I stooped or lifted. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box and after using them a short time, I passed several gravel stones. From that time on I steadily improved, until my trouble was a thing of the past. I have since recommended Doan's Kidney Pills at every opportunity and will continue to do so."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

**Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea, Remedy the Best and Surest.**

"It affords me pleasure to state that I consider the preparation known as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy the best and surest of good results of any I have ever used in my family," says P. E. Herrington, of Mount Aerial, Ky. This is the universal verdict of all who use this remedy. Its cures are so prompt and effectual that people take pleasure in recommending it. For sale by Scoggin Drug Co.

**Notice to Property Owners**

The Board of Commissioners for Franklin County will meet on Monday, July 12th, 1909 for the purpose of hearing complaints. All persons wishing to make same will appear on that day. By order of the Board, T. S. COLLIE, Chairman W. M. BOONE, Clerk.

**"Never Had a Sick Day."**

You hear lots of people say they never had a sick day in their life. Ask them further and you will find out they never have constipation and that they can easily digest everything they eat. That is the keynote of health—perfect digestion, perfect elimination. To obtain these use Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which cures all stomach, liver and bowel troubles in old or young. It is absolutely guaranteed to do what is claimed, and if you want to try it before buying, send your address for a free sample bottle to Pepsin Syrup Co., 119 Caldwell Bldg., Monticello, Ill. It is sold by Scoggin Drug Co., at 50c and \$1 a bottle.

**SPECIALS.**

Base Ball supplies at L. P. Hicks. New lot of Gun Shells all sizes at L. P. Hicks. Bicycle supplies at L. P. Hicks. Starr Snuff L. P. Hicks. A. J. REACHS Base Ball goods at J. W. King. Strawberries fresh from Chas. Macon farm every other day, leave your order with Jno. W. King. I SELL A. J. Reachs Base Balls, Prices right. J. W. King.

**AGENTS WANTED: MEN OR WOMEN** to work in Franklin county. Can easily make \$15 to \$25 per week. Address "V" Drawer "A" Hillsboro, N. C.

My Wagon, Push Cart, Bicycle and Wheelbarrows stand ready to deliver you something for dinner, supper and breakfast and so easy to carry along 5 to 100 pounds of Ice. J. W. King

Ice! Ice! Parties wanting Ice for Sunday's will please leave their orders with J. W. King Saturday evening or call Phone 47 Sunday a m

Smiths Lutha Water for sale by J. W. King. It is highly recommended by all physicians, Good for all aches and pain, Rheumatism especial y. J. W. King

**Sale of Valuable Real Estate**

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Franklin county, North Carolina, made in the special proceeding entitled S. L. Duke vs. R. H. Duke et al the undersigned commissioners will, on Monday, the 2nd day of August, 1909, at about the hour of noon sell at public auction at Diekie's store at Epsom, near the Franklin and Vance county line, a certain tract or parcel of land situated partly in Franklin county and partly in Vance county, said State, adjoining the lands of Geo. Ayscue, B. F. Stainback, R. H. Duke and others, and containing eighty-six acres, more or less.

Terms of Sale:—One fourth cash, balance on credit of six months with interest from day of sale at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable annually. Title reserved until purchase price is paid in full. This June 28th, '09.

T. M. PITTMAN, W. H. YARBOROUGH, Jr. Commissioners

**LAND SALE**

Under and by virtue and authority of the power granted in a certain mortgage executed on the 15th day of January, 1906, by Dallas T. Ward and wife, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Franklin county, N. C., in book 142, page 324, default having been made in the payment thereof, I offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door of said county, in Louisburg, the property conveyed in the said mortgage and described below on Thursday, August 5th, 1909, at 11 o'clock, a. m. The property described as follows:

All of the interest of the said Dallas T. Ward and wife, Virgie O. Ward in that brick store house and lot in the town of Franklinton, N. C., and situated on the corner of Mason and Front streets and running along Front street nearly west to T. J. Hights line; thence at right angles and along T. J. Hights line to the corner of the said brick building; thence at right angles along said brick building to G. L. Whitfields corner in D. T. Ward, line; thence at right angles along Ward and Whitfields line to Ward and Whitfields corner, thence at left angles and along Ward and Whitfields line to Mason street, thence at right angles and along Mason street to the beginning, being all that part of the brick store house and lot owned by the said Dallas T. Ward and now occupied by him as a store.

S. O. SPROLL, Surviving Mortgagee HENRY T. POWELL, Atty. June 29, '09 Henderson N. C.

**ATTENTION**

**COUNTRYMEN**  
We Want 1,000,000 Pounds  
We pay highest prices for beeswax, hides, scrap iron of all sorts, bones, rubber shoes and boots, bicycle tires, wool, sheep skins, tallow, copper, brass zinc and lead. I also buy chickens and eggs and pay best market prices.  
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**NOTICE**

You will find the sharpest razors at Wilkins and Stegall's and you will also find our hair-cutting, shampooing, massaging and hair-dressing to be first-class. We will also add another chair, and also have a nice polite porter.

**All Work Guaranteed**  
Your servants

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**NOTICE!**

We wish to give notice to **OUR CUSTOMERS**

That we will not do any more monthly work after June 30th. Because it seems to be so much dissatisfaction to some of our old line of trade, but will be glad to sell

**TICKETS AT \$1**

for 12 shares, and they are for cash. We will give the best grade of work. Hair Cutting and Shaving none to beat it. Shampoo and hair dressing to compete with the world.

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**North Car. Mountains**

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**SCENERY UNPARALLELED**

Beautiful at Any Season  
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NO. BY DAY	EASTERN TIME	BY	ARRIVE
6.45 a m Lv	Goldsboro	Ar	5.30 p m
8.55 a m Lv	Raleigh	Ar	5.30 p m
9.55 a m Lv	Durham	Ar	5.30 p m
12.29 p m Lv	Greensboro	Ar	5.30 p m
2.08 p m Lv	Salisbury	Ar	1.15 p m
3.50 p m Lv	Statesville	Ar	12.15 p m
4.40 p m Ar	Newton	Lv	11.35 a m
5.07 p m Ar	Hickory	Lv	11.08 a m
5.53 p m Ar	Morgantown	Lv	10.21 a m
6.50 p m Ar	Marion	Lv	9.45 a m
8.15 p m Ar	Asheville	Lv	8.00 a m

Other Convenient and Through Car Arrangements

**Round Trip Summer Tourist Tickets**  
Will be on Sale May 15th

For information as to fares, schedules, etc., call on any agent of this Company or the undersigned

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Needles, Shuttles and Bobbins for use in All Makes of Sewing Machines.

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We have just received a new lot of elegant Room and Parlor Suits. Call and see them.

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And a lot of bargains in white goods, lace, trimmings, low-cut shoes, millinery. Now is the time to lay in a supply.

**NEW GOODS NEW GOODS**

Ladies and Gent's Shoes, hosiery light and medium weight Dress goods in all the new fall styles and colors. They are beautiful and cheap too.

Bleaching, Shirting, Gingham, India Linens, Book Fold and 40 inch, at 8, 10, 12 and 15 cents

They were all bought before the recent rise in cost of goods now and buy for the prices are going to be higher.

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Louisburg, N. C.

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your money is now. Don't wait until you get more. You will be tempted to spend what you have while waiting. We accept small as well as large deposits. We invite you to become a Depositor and offer you all the facilities a man of many times of your means enjoys.

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