Carolina Watchman.

THURSDAY, NOV. 19, 1885.

North Carolina's Record.

Either progress in North Carolina is leading in the general progression of the South, or her citizens are more prompt to avail themselves of the opportunity given by the *Baltimore Manufacturer's Record* for letting the world know what is going on within her borders. The last week's issue of that valuable journal contained nearly ten columns relative to this State. It is doing a great deal to advertise this State and should draw a large patronage from it.

Gambling at Fairs.

The *Maine Farmer* is down on the gambling concerns which are so often permitted to have a place on the fair grounds, state and county, and very righteously too. The directors of many of these institutions are composed, in the main, of gentlemen of high social position, fathers of families, and members of the church of Christ. That they should consent to the encouragement of gambling by admitting to a place on the fair grounds, the noisy, unblushing swindlers who preside over the "wheels of fortune," roulette tables, Peter Funck auction sales, and other rascally acts for robbing people of their money, is indeed a mamel, and is doing more than any other one thing to defeat the real designs of the fairs.

Castor Beans,

says the Jacksonville, *Florida Times*, are more profitable as a money crop than corn, wheat, oats or cotton. Castor oil, which until within the last twenty years, was only used as a medicine, is now superceding fish and other animal oils, in numerous cases, especially as a lubricator for slow running machinery, and for tanners, use, and the demand for it is largely on the increase. The beans sell for from $1.50 to $3.00 per bushel of 40 lbs. weight; and one firm in New York, H. J. Baker & Co., are now using nearly a million bushels a year, mostly imported from Ceylon. It can be grown almost any where in the South, but in the warmer sections especially, as Florida, Southern Georgia and South Carolina. It could be profitably raised in this section, in rich warm bottom lands, and prove a far more profitable crop than corn and other grain products.

Save Your Money.

Swindlers in Washington City, it is announced, are sending out circulars to Confederate soldiers, telling them that there is a chance of getting a bill through Congress to pay the conscripted soldiers of the Confederate army, and offering their services to secure the money for them; for which service the conscript to whom they send the cirular is only asked to send them $5.00.

It is not unlikely that these swindlers have their agents scattered through the Southern States forwarding the names of the most ignorant Confederate soldiers to be thus victimized. It is an artful, yankee-like trick to rob the unwary. Confederate soldiers living in the quiet recesses of the country, without a newspaper to enlighten them, may be easily deceived in this way and fleeced of their hard-earned money.

Statesville.

This pretty town has many things to be proud of. Situated as it is in the heart of a fine agricultural region, with a prosperous back country to support the growing trade in all kinds of merchandise, there is no reason why the place should not prosper. The town is filled with progressive and intelligent people; they have improved their streets, laying a macadam road from the depot to the centre of town; they are protected from the ravages of fire by a good steam fire engine, and have the necessary cisterns for supplying water; they have a new and modern hotel fast approaching completion; they have a good tobacco market; they have a growing cotton trade; they have the largest trade in medicinal herbs and plants in the United States; and they have, as a crowning piece to this goodly list, the *Landmark*, a splendid weekly newspaper, which they appreciate and support. Statesville has every reason to feel encouraged as to her future prosperity. The writer acknowledges many courtesies extended by Mr. J. P. Caldwell, editor of the *Landmark*, during a recent visit to Statesville.

The late fire at Galveston, Texas, was a fearfully destructive visitation, a large part in the heart of the city having been destroyed. Many lost their all, and many were rendered homeless. But the Galveston papers speak in very cheering terms of it, and predict that in a few months all will be beauty again in the place of the blackened ruins. The business of the city moves on as if nothing had happened, and her liberal people are lending a helping hand to the sufferers.

Quail sell on the streets of Statesville at 60 cents a dozen. They are caught by negroes in nets. This mode of hunting lifts the whole covey—one rarely escapes—and the net hunter makes no noise to herald his presence. Farmers who really wish to keep birds on their lands, find the net hunter the most dangerous to quail—as he takes *all*.

Col. D. K. McRea has been unanimously nominated by the Wilmington Bar for the Judgeship made vacant by the death of Judge A. A. McKoy.

The Raleigh papers speak in terms of praise of the negro State Fair, recently held in that city.

W. J. Best, well remembered as a railroad speculator in this State some years ago, and whose name looms up in the newspapers now and then, and nearly always in connection with alleged sharp practice in money matters, and who was under arrest, a few days ago, on account of some financial transaction in Boston, is free again, and ready for something else.

Johnson's Goose.

It is time now to hear from the goose that Andrew Johnson used when he worked at tailoring. Everything else has spoken on the subject.—*New Orleans Picayune.*

David Fraley, of Batesville, Arkansas, can probably *identify* that goose, as he worked on the same bench with Andy, about the years 1833 or '34.

Salisbury.

Owing to a misconnection of trains, we spent a day in Salisbury last week, and had the pleasure of meeting some old friends, among the number Mr. J. J. Bruner and his son T. K. Bruner, of the Salisbury *Watchman*; Maj. S. W. Cole, President of the National Bank; Mr. M. L. Holmes, and others.

Through the politeness of Mr. J. J. Bruner, we rode over the city and for the first time we saw the suburbs and its beautiful residences and shade trees; in fact, we were rather surprised at the good looks of Salisbury away from the depot and the bad looking streets leading from it. We saw many new residences that had recently been erected, and several in course of construction, showing that the good old town is on the advance. The tobacco business has given the place a shove upward and will do much, no doubt, for its future prosperity. There are now a number of tobacco warehouses and factories in operation, and more are being built; and we were glad to see many signs of increasing prosperity in the community.

If our neighbors will permit, we would suggest that a little more free use of paint on stores and dwellings will add much to the appearance of their town in every way.

To our good friends, Mr. J. J. Bruner, Maj. S. W. Cole, and Mr. Thos. K. Bruner, we tender thanks for kind attention and courtesies.—*Char. Democrat.*

The above is reproduced to show our people how the town impresses intelligent and observant visitors. The advice as to paint is surely timely! There are many people amply able to adorn their residences and places of business, but who neglect it for some reason. The appearance of the town, both as to streets and houses, could be made very attractive, and it would be an optical proof of the prosperity and new life claimed for the town.

Washington Letter.

[From Our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13, 1885.

As the members of the 49th Congress assemble in the city, it is interesting to note upon the faces of Republicans an expression of discouragement. They feel that the Democrats have come to reign for a long time. They have ceased talking about candidates for 1888. Before the elections there was so much said on the subject here that one might have thought the country was on the eve of another Presidential election.

You hear nothing more now about a war in the Senate. Republican Senators are in a measure subdued, while the talk of Democratic Senators is conservative and loyal.

The defeat of Mahone causes the Republicans to regard the Senatorial contest in Oregon with great anxiety. Their majority in the Senate is getting beautifully slim. In case a tie occurs, as it did a few years ago, Vice President Hendrix cannot be caught sitting on the fence sometimes, as was Uncle David Davis. Mr. Hendricks' vote can always be counted in advance.

The forecast of the position to be taken by Members of the new Congress on the silver question, recently published, is not regarded as likely to prove true after Congress has met and received the President's message and the report of Secretary Manning. The President and the Secretary are not likely to occupy different ground from that taken by Mr. Cleveland last Spring. It is thought he will appeal reasonably to both Houses of Congress to support his views and try them in practice.

Though you may not hear a great deal about it, changes in the offices have been constantly going on here since the 4th of March. They go on gradually, but any one going into the Departments after an absence of nine months would find but few familiar faces at the desks of the higher officials. In the Treasury, for instance, both of the assistant Secretaries are Democrats. The Solicitor of the Treasury is a Democrat, as is also the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, the Treasurer, and the Register of the Treasury. A Democrat has succeeded the old Commissioner of Customs; and the new Director of the Mint is a Democrat. The first and second Controllers are Democrats; all six of the Auditors are Democrats; a Democratic Appointment clerk files away applications; a Democrat signs the report of the Bureau of Statistics, and there are many changes lower down the line. The new appointees have been good men, possessing qualifications that suited them for their duties.

There are few men in the service of the Government who work harder than the head of the Treasury. And as one of his subordinate officers said, 'The worst of it is, he expects everybody else to work" The same officer continued: "Manning is a great big fellow, full of blood and as strong as a horse. He can sit all night at his desk and be as fresh as a daisy next morning, but we can't stand it." Mr. Manning has no respect for old-time methods, or official hours. One day he asked for a certain report to be made out. A chief of division told him that he would begin the work next morning, as it was then three o'clock in the afternoon. The Secretary looked at him for a moment and calmly said, "I must have the report in the morning," and he got it. It is certain much more activity is displayed now than ever before in the discharge of business at the Treasury. The Secretary's energetic touch is felt in every branch of it.

The President is working at his first message to Congress, securely shielded from the distracting annoyances of place-hunters. He finds time, however, to come down into the East room at a certain hour, three times a week, and shake hands with several hundred callers. Some amusing and characteristic incidents occur at these public receptions. Guests are not all willing to pass Mr. Cleveland with the conventional "How do you do." Many of them are intent on exchanging a few words for memory's sake. At his last handshaking a young girl said to him, "I was a prohibitionist, that is why I did not vote for you." "Well, I forgive you," said the President with a smile. His last caller was an old lady who said, "It is refreshing to see and shake the hand of a Democratic President, but," with emphasis, "you want a wife." The President said he knew it, and with her good advice ringing in his ears, went upstairs to work.

For the Watchman.

Salisbury and Wadesboro Railroad.

I notice in your last number that your people seem to move very slowly in getting to work to complete the railroad from Wadesboro to your place. This is an important road, and more important to Salisbury than any other people. This being the case, it has always been a matter of surprise why the road has not long since been put into successful operation. I know communities in North Carolina that have not near the wealth, that have secured the construction of nearly four times as many miles of railroad since the war, when there was the strongest opposition to contend against and the cost of construction was very much greater. The stock in all these roads was secured by the perseverance of a very few unpretending men, some of whom are unknown to fame, and who never received a cent for their services, or any honor or other notice or consideration for their aid, and who have lost nearly every cent they contributed to these buildings. Nor did they render their services with the expectation of receiving any such consideration; but they labored cheerfully and spent of their scanty means for the sole purpose of securing the roads, that they might thereby improve the country and build up their county and towns. And I feel confident if it was now proposed to build in their midst such a road as that now proposed to your people, that it would not be long before you would see the road put under contract from one end of it to the other, and speedily completed. There must be something wrong with your people—more especially with your young people—when they talk so much—make so many fitful and unsuccessful starts, to no good purpose, when such an important road as that proposed to be constructed from your place to Wadesboro is under consideration. I have been seriously tempted to attend one or more of your meetings and try to give your people a successful start, as I am anxious to see the road built.

GO AHEAD.

Thanks are due "Go-ahead" for his kind and encouraging words, but it does seem that he finds fault with the wrong people. The young men of Salisbury and surrounding country have done all they can without aid, and are ready and willing to do more as soon as the older men show a willingness to hold up the hands of these younger workers. Shall be glad to see "Go-ahead" at the next meeting, and hope he may give us suggestions that will put the scheme on a moving basis.

For the Watchman.

The Tarpeian Hole.

MR. EDITOR: Historians tell us that in ancient Rome there was a Tarpeian Rock, from whose lofty summit certain criminals were thrown to be dashed to to pieces upon the stones far beneath. Marcus Manlius here expiated the crime of treason, and many others less noted sped to death from this rugged precipice. And perhaps it was not wrong to thus execute men who had fairly forfeited their lives. Like the old Romans, I don't believe in the State's troubling itself to provide an *easy* death those whose acts brand them as enemies to mankind. Nor do I think the town and county, in the absence of the whipping post, are under obligations to furnish comfortable quarters and generous diet to petty offenders—especially when there is at our doors a Tarpeian Hole, which might be easily and economically converted into an instrument of torture; in fact, the expense of the conversion need consist of only a few benches for spectators.—The Tarpeian Hole is just opposite Simon Shaver's blacksmith shop, in the public highway, near where it forks. And my suggestion is, to punish chicken thieves and drunk-and-disorderlies by compelling them to drive a team over the pine-pole causeway; and to execute those guilty of more heinous offences by throwing them from this causeway into the mud hole beside it. Here, as in Rome, it seems to me, this method would commend itself as being cheap and efficacious.

WOOD HAULER.

Woodleaf Items.

Rev. Dr. Wetmore, with his good wife, will soon start to her former home, Banner Elk, Watauga county, where they will spend a short season.

Mr. Lock Thompson has gone to the mountains for a load of apples and chestnuts. We propose to have something of a Christmas here.

The dwelling going up for Mr. J. E. Briggs will, so Mr. Bailey says, be ready for him by the 19th or 20th, inst.

Mr. Scott Freeman lost a little child by diphtheria last week. He has another child sick with the same disease, but it seems to be improving. There are several cases of diphtheria in this neighborhood.

Our Reading Club met at Dr. Wetmore's last Friday evening. There was a large attendance. The Club meets weekly, and the next meeting is to be at Mr. Hart's school house, and the Friday following at Rev. R. W. Boyd's residence. The Club is in a flourishing condition, and affords our people much pleasure as well as an opportunity for improvement.

It is reported that "Clod Knocker" has rented Geo. R. McNeill's farm near Woodleaf. He will have to change his *nom de plume*, as there are no clods to knock in our sandy soil.

Cotton is still coming in by the load. Trade is very good at Rice & Bailey's.

JEB.

For the Watchman.

A Pounding.

Mr. Editor: One of the events of the season in a southern portion of Rowan, is the considerable pounding that the Rev. R. L. Brown received a few days ago. You are aware of his great afflictions during the last twelve months. In this afflicted and downcast condition, a messenger, a few days before hand, bore the news that he was to receive a "pounding." You may well imagine the feelings of one so sorely afflicted, who with his afflictions must receive a pounding. So, sure enough, at the appointed time, there came, in speed, a brave rider upon a blooded horse as a signal of the advancing troop: soon after, followed by wagons, buggies, &c., until a considerable crowd of people were around and in the house. Every thing seemed to be more or less quiet for a while; the young folks, in the meantime, were amusing themselves in the yard; but after a while, Mr. Brown was ordered to go in the house. After all had taken their places, Mr. G. M. Barringer addressed the supposed criminal as to the nature of the event; he informed the afflicted family that this was none other than a friendly visit from the Union Church Sunday school, to bring articles of comfort to their respected old pastor. And when they unloaded their vehicles, it was a pounding sure enough. It consisted of sugar, coffee, flour, potatoes, beef, mutton, pork, lard, poultry, &c., and backed up with some coinage: Imagination may grasp at the transition of feelings between the former and latter view of this affair. The poor fellow will not make any complaint of any such poundings.

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Diphtheria From His Patient.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 16.—Dr. George O. Warner, of Leicester, died last evening of malignant diphtheria, after a five days' illness. The disease was contracted from a patient, a fragment of diseased membrane falling out on the doctor's mustache during an examination. It was removed, but this was of no avail. Dr. Warner had practiced medicine in Leicester for 20 years, and was widely and favorably known.

LIST OF LETTERS.

List of letters remaining in post office at Salisbury, N. C., for the week ending Nov. 14th, 1885.

Henry Albright, W P Arey, J H Atkins, Watson Alexander, Julia White, Wm T Benny, Geo H Brewer, W R Cobble Agent, Rev W J Crawson, Margret Clark, William Dorsett, M D Earnhart, W C Ennis, W A Eller, Lizzie Flemmings, E F Hall, James Howard, Col Houston Kniker, Harrett Knox, S M Lyerly, M A Lyerly, Luther Lingle, Julia Leach, Frank Maylay, Rosa M May, E C Meismer, Sallie McEusy, Jacob Poe, Wiley T Rouse, Annie Russell, Henry Roshie, Mose Swink, R G Still, Nancy Reny, Clara Smitherman, Caroline Scott, W S Thomason, W C Wellnig, J M Wise, Naney Wiseman.

Please say advertised when the above letters are called for.

A. H. BOYDEN, P. M.

MARRIED.

In Salisbury, by David L. Bringle, Esq., Thursday, Nov. 12th 1885, Mr. D. Wiley Beck to Miss Leah Castor. Both of Litaker township.

J. W. Fink to Miss Josie L. Brown, both of Concord, at the residence of Mr. W. C. Fraley, in this town, by Rev. Wm. Stoudenmire, on the 18th inst.

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If one bottle of B. B. B. is more valuable in effects than half a dozen of any other preparation, we won't get mad about it. If ten bottles of B. B. B. cures a case of blood poison which others could not cure at all, it only proves that B. B. B. is far the best medicine.

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Morganton, N. C., Nov. 10, 1885.

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Other has 45 Acres,

one half cleared, the remainder in good Forest Timber. The above will be sold to highest bidders on that day. Sale on premises.

TERMS: One-third Cash, balance in one and two years. Title reserved till purchase money is all paid.

D. Z. GRAY, L. D. HARGRAVE, } Ex. J.C.Hargrave.

Nov. 5, 1885.

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NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of Paul Holshouser, dec'd, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent, to present them to me on or before the 12th day of November, 1886. CHRISENBURY HOLSHOUSER, Adm'r of Paul Holshouser.

dec17 Craige & Clement, Att'ys.

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SALE OF LAND!

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Rowan County in the case of James Hellard, Adm'r of Sarah Rice, deceased, against Scott Gales and others, I will sell on the premises at public auction on Monday, 7th day of December 1885, a tract of land adjoining the lands of J. H. Lyerly, Lydia Culbertson, the Christian Correll lands and the South Yadkin River, containing 80 acres more or less and known as the Sarah Rice land.

TERMS—one-third cash, one-third in six months and the balance in twelve months with interest on the deferred payments from day of sale at eight per cent per annum. JAMES HELLARD, Administrator.

Nov. 3d, 1885. 3:tds.

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4:3m.pd.

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OF VALUABLE PROPERTY.

I shall sell Thursday, 12th day of November, 1885, on the premises, my valuable

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Possession given in a few days. Sale begins at 11 o'clock a. m., sharp. Sale positive.

Also at the same time and place, I shall sell several hundred bushels of corn, some sweet and Irish potatoes, Black Berkshire hogs, one new Dexter Queen Top Buggy, one new cook stove, farm and garden tools, household and kitchen furniture, &c. All new. Terms cash.

J. G. McCONNAUGHEY.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE!

In the matter of David M. Cooper, George A. Cooper, James C. Cooper, Nancy C. Overcash, Emilia C. Ritchie, and Mary E. Collins, heirs at law of Sarah Cooper, deceased:

Having been appointed Commissioner of Court to sell the Lands belonging to the above named parties, I will proceed to sell on the premises, on the

1st Monday in November, 1885,

it being the 2nd day of November, the following described real estate, situated in Atwell township: A tract of 49 acres, more or less, adjoining the lands of Hugh Parks, A. Bost, Allison Deal and others, which said tract was assigned to the widow of William Cooper as her dower.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, and the remaining two-thirds on a credit of six and twelve months respectively, with interest on the deferred payments from day of sale, at six per cent. Title to be reserved until the purchase money is paid.

DAVID M. COOPER, Com'r.

Sept. 10, 1885.—51:4w

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Salisbury, Oct. 15, 1885. 52:3m

Executor's Sale!

As executor of the last will and testament of J. B. Gibson dec'd I will expose to public sale for cash on Wednesday the 11th day of November 1885, the following articles of personal property, to wit:

One lot of corn, one lot of wheat, one wagon, and other property.

JAS. C. GIBSON, Exect'r.

Oct. 22, 1885.—3w.

FRUIT TREES.—All those who have given orders to J. D. Lindley & Bro. for Fruit Trees, will please meet their agent, Mr. W. B. Longwotrh, at Beall, Bost & Ford's Tobacco Warehouse, on the 19th of November, 1885, and receive them. 1t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator on the estate of Sarah Cooper on the 10th day of September, 1885, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of the said Sarah Cooper to make immediate payment; and all persons having claims against said estate will present them for payment within one year from date hereof, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery.

DAVID M. COOPER, Adm'r.

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Administrator's Notice.

Having taken out letters of administration upon the estate of John C. Brown, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me on or before the 30th day of Sept. 1886, else this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make prompt settlement.

HENRY PEELER, Adm'r.

Sept. 30th, 1885.—6w

Help for working people. Send 10 cents postage, and we will mail you *free*, a royal, valuable sample box of goods that will put you in the way of making more money in a few days than you ever thought possible at any business. Capital not require. You can live at home and work in spare time only, or all the time. All of both sex, of all ages, grandly successful. 50 cts. to $5 easily earned every evening. That all who want work may test the business, we make this unparalleled offer: To all who are not well satisfied we will send $1 to pay for the trouble of writing us. Full particulars, directions, etc., sent free. Immense pay absolutely sure for all who start at once. Don't delay. Address STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine.

Nov 27, '84.—1y

Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as Administrator of Joseph Mahaley, dec'd, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against his estate to exhibit the same to me on or before the 3d day of September, 1886. This September 2nd, 1885.

DAVID H. MAHALEY, Adm'r of Joseph Mahaley.

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Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator *cum testamente annexo*, upon the estate of Robert Knox, dec'd, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me for payment on or before the 17th day of September, 1886, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. This Sept. 17th, 1885.

JOHN S. KNOX, Adm'r,

THO. F. KLUTTZ, Atty.

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WOMAN!

"Grace was in all her steps, Heaven in her eye,
In every gesture dignity and love!"

As appeared Mother Eve, and so may shine her fair descendants, with the exercise of common sense, care and proper treatment. An enormous number of female complaints are directly caused by disturbances or suppression of the Menstral Function. In *every* such case that sterling and unfailing specific, BRADFIELD'S FEMALE REGULATOR, will effect relief and cure.

It is from the recipe of a most distinguished physician. It is composed of strictly officinal ingredients, whose happy combination has never been surpassed. It is prepared with scientific skill from the finest materials. It bears the palm for constancy of strength, certainty of effect, elegance of preparation, beauty of appearence and relative cheapness. The testimony in its favor is genuine. It never fails when fairly tried.

Cartersville Ga.

This will certify that two members of my immediate family, after having suffering for many years from menstrual irregularity, and having been treated without benefit by various medical doctors, were at length *completely cured* by one bottle of Dr. Bradfield's Female Regulator. Its effect in such cases is truly wonderful, and well may the remedy be called "Woman's Best Friend."

Yours Respectfully,

JAS. W. STRANGE.

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BEAUTY PRESERVED! YOUTH RENEWED!

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Sale of Land!

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Rowan County, in the case of W. F. Lackey, Administrator of R. J. Sloan against R. G. Sloan and others, I will sell at the Court House door in Salisbury on Saturday, the 7th day of Novemb'r 1885, at public auction, a tract of land adjoining the lands of J. L. Cowan, James Pearson, the John Graham lands and others; containing 48 acres. Biddings to open at $294 93. Terms—one-third cash, and the balance in six months, with interest from day of sale at the rate of 8 per cent per annum. W. F. LACKEY, Adm'r.

Oct. 6th, 1885. 51:4t

NOTICE!

The regular annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Western North Carolina Railroad Company will take place in Salisbury, N. C. on the fourth Wednesday in November 1885, it being the 25th day of the month. GEO. P. ERWIN, Sec. and Treas.

Salisbury N. C. Oct. 13, '85. 52:4t.

Executor's Notice.

Having qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of James B. Gibson, deceased, all persons holding claims against the said James B. Gibson, are hereby notified to present them to the undersigned for payment on or before the 25th day of September, 1886, or this notice will be plead as a bar to their recovery. This September the 25th, 1885.

JAS. C. GIBSON, Ext'r.

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A RARE CHANCE!

FINE FARM for Sale!

I will sell on favorable terms 100 acres of my farm, situated 1½ miles west from the public square in Salisbury, on the Lincoln road, and adjoining the lands of Bent. Ludwick and others; 50 acres of it is well timbered, the remainder in fine state of cultivation. Has on it a hewed log dwelling, good well, two excellent meadows, a first-class fish pond, and is in a fine and healthy neighborhood. There is a gold bearing vein on it, and a 2½ pwt. piece was picked up there last year. The property lies well and may be divided to suit purchasers. Call on or address.

A. L. JOHNSON, Salisbury, N. C.

Oct. 20, 1885.—1m