

Carolina Watchman.

THURSDAY, JULY 22, 1886.

ROWAN'S TICKET.

For State Senator,
HON. F. E. SHOBER.

For the Legislature,
LEE S. OVERMAN.

For Sheriff,
C. C. KRIDER.

For Register of Deeds,
H. N. WOODSON.

For Superior Court Clerk,
JOHN M. HORAH.

For County Treasurer,
J. S. McCUBBINS, Jr.

For Coroner,
D. A. ATWELL.

For County Surveyor,
B. C. ARREY.

The Press Labors for Glory.

Considering the relation the press bears to the country, to parties and to politicians, its compensations for services rendered are humiliating. When the time comes for acknowledgment of such service the chief agencies in it are thrust aside. The party claims that the press has only done its duty.—*Asheville Citizen.*

Does the Citizen overlook the great privilege of being secretary to political meetings? Does it fail to remember that occasionally, on "off" years, the political editor is honored with an appointment to attend district conventions—though this is a rather rare honor. One thing is beyond all dispute and that is that the editor does more, sacrifices more, in time, labor and money for his party, than any other individual in the country. He is rarely remunerated—even with pay for the job work done for the party, yet he goes right in and makes the fight in the face of all such embarrassing circumstances. The honest editor is the highest type of the politician, actuated only from principle and disinterested patriotism, he is ever giving to and laboring for his party.

The Duty of the Whole Country.

A Republican who says he is the "son of a Republican" soldier, writes to the N. Y. Sun, thus:
"Samuel J. Tilden should be nominated by the Democratic party for President of the United States in justice to the country, in justice to the party itself, and in justice to the man, Samuel J. Tilden. No sane person can at this time, with the light of time and impartial judgment, doubt the gross injustice done in the year 1876 to the whole people in setting aside the honest verdict of the entire nation, as shown by their votes, electing S. J. Tilden President of the United States. If the plea is now put forth that Mr. Tilden is too old, nominate him, and with him a Vice-President in whom the country would have confidence, say Samuel J. Randall or John G. Carlisle. But, above all, right the wrong! I am a Blaine man, but to right and wipe out this one black spot on my country's history I would vote for S. J. Tilden and vindicate the purity and stability of our American institutions. I am convinced there are thousands like me in the Republican party."

No Republican, nor the son of any Republican, will be apt to draw the people from the line of duty as it is seen by every democrat in this country. So far as the nomination of President is concerned, there is no difference of opinion. Grover Cleveland is already nominated in every Democratic heart. He will be indorsed by the people. His administration certainly has the approval of the honest people of the United States. The writer even thinks that at heart the President is not so much of a civil service man as some would have us believe, but he is, by virtue of his office, obliged to execute that and all other laws, so that no matter what his individual principles may be, he has no choice in the matter. There is not a doubt but that he would veto the Blair bill. But we cannot expect to have a President in exact accord with all our notions. But whether in exact accord or not, no man, white, black, Democrat or Republican, can doubt the integrity of Mr. Cleveland, the best man who has filled the Chief Executive chair since the days of Thomas Jefferson. He will be indorsed by the people. The Republicans want to set Sam Tilden right, do they? A Blaine man at that! Did you ever?

The Citizen in Trouble.

Our friends, the editors of the Asheville Citizen, have gotten into a little scrape with a "techy" Judge. His action indicates that the Citizen was not far from the truth in its innocent pleasantry. The following is from a telegram in the Charlotte Observer:
"LEXINGTON, N. C., July 22.—The Daily Citizen of this morning contained a remark that in the Inferior Court, now in session, two juries had hung, and that if the court and the lawyers were hung, the Citizen did not know but that the country would be helped. This morning, Mr. Shuford, the presiding judge of the court, ordered a rule to be served on the editors of the Citizen, Messrs. Stone, Stone and Cameron, to show cause why they should not be attached for contempt, rule returned tomorrow. Counsel for the paper claims that the words were not contemptuous."

Col. A. W. Rowland, of Roberson county, was nominated in the Sixth Congressional District, on last Thursday. He succeeds Bennett, one of the best Democrats in Congress. Col. Rowland was nominated on the 37th ballot.

Mauney to the Front.

From all that has been written on the subject, it was hardly expected that Mr. Mauney would have a "walk over" in Davidson, yet such seems to be the case. The following special telegram was cut from last Sunday's Charlotte Observer:

"LEXINGTON, N. C., July 24.—Township conventions were held in Davidson today. Lexington, Thomasville and Conrad Hill instructs for Mauney for solicitor. Mauney is solid in Davidson."

This is a source of much gratification to Mr. Mauney and his friends, and especially so in view of the rather unfair position taken by some of the supposed influential citizens of Lexington. The only thing against Mr. Mauney is that he is a Rowan man. Sad is it not, to live in Rowan. But the people of Davidson are a conservative and a fair people and are governed by sense rather than prejudice, consequently they voted in the primaries for their choice regardless of the county from which he came.

Rowan Townships.

STATESVILLE, N. C., July 27.—Information has been received here today that two or three townships in Rowan county favored B. F. Long for solicitor. Rowan is the county of Mr. Long's antagonist.

The above is mean, little, and a designed perversion of facts. The result of the primaries held in this county were published in the WATCHMAN, and no mention of Mr. Long was made at any of the meetings, so far as the writer has been able to gather. Mr. Long is but little known in Rowan. The county convention passed a resolution instructing the Rowan delegation to cast the county vote as a unit for Mr. Mauney, and the voice of that convention will be obeyed. It is not likely that Mr. Long would be the choice even if Mr. Mauney was not. Will the Observer be kind enough to correct the inference conveyed in the above telegram?

Panama Canal.

The severest attack yet made on this great French scheme has just appeared in Paris, in a pamphlet of 70 pages, in which the business management is severely denounced. Only five of the 21 sections of the work have been fairly commenced, and on these have been expended all the money yet raised. The mortality of the men engaged in the work is reported as fearful.

The New York Star reports an attempt to blow up the steamer, Sylvan Stream, on which was a young Brazilian Prince, Leopold, who on invitation from polite citizens was visiting Coney Island. The diabolical attempt was reserved until the boat was returning. The boat was near New York when a man named Brown was seen hastily to snatch up from the deck a bottle with a brass covered stopper, in which was a burning fuse, and throw it overboard. He had not time to examine it, and it is not positively known what the bottle contained, but it is believed it was dynamite, and that the boat and passengers, 150 in number, narrowly escaped a fearful disaster. A threatening letter had been received in the morning by one of the company denouncing as "lick-spittles," those who were of the party honoring the Prince, and warning them that the time for such worship of royalty was past, and must end, &c.

Thos. Dixon, the brilliant orator, who represented Cleveland county in the last Legislature so faithfully and so ably, has drawn the line at politics, declaring that a man cannot be a Christian and a politician at the same time. Perhaps he cannot be, but others may. Mr. Dixon will probably go into the ministry, and it was doubtless with this in view that he made the remark quoted above. It is very certain that a man cannot be a minister and a politician—serving two masters—for the duties of either require all of a man's time. Mr. Dixon will be a very useful man in the ministry and his friends predict a brilliant future for him.

The most contemptible matter now presented the American public is in the shape of leading editorials in the New York City press. The editors of all those immense papers are indulging in a regular black-guarding frolic. The amount of abuse reserved for the occasion is wonderful. There seems no depth too fond for their penetration. The public must be weary, very weary of it. A man by the name of Page, or Sage or some such name, said that no North Carolina editor could make his name on one of those papers. Guess he was right.

The trial of the anarchists at Chicago is progressing slowly, but surely, we believe. Another (loaded) dynamite bomb has been recently found concealed in a barrel of straw, which it is thought will be traced to the men now undergoing trial.

Move away from the piano! Have you never been seated so near a piano in a parlor or drawing room that the wires vibrated with a singing tone at every utterance made. At first this is not disagreeable, but directly it becomes noticeable and then oppressive. You dread to speak and the moment you do the strings begin rumbling until it becomes unbearable. If the speaker continues he will soon be in a state of high nervous excitement and a headache will follow. The remedy is simple enough: Move away from the instrument far enough to prevent the wave of vibration caused by the voice from affecting the strings.

Jno. Cardwell, under sentence to hang on the 30th of this month, has been released by a mob from the Wilkesboro jail. He had been twice reprieved by Gov. Scales, but was to hang as above stated. It is a high handed piece of work, to take a man, condemned to death by a court, from the jail and release him. It is an outrage in every sense and the perpetrators are guilty of a great offense against the law, peace and dignity of the State.

W. H. Bolton, chief of the division for handling second class Postoffice matter at Chicago, a man hitherto highly esteemed, and said to be a particular friend of Senator Logan, was arrested on the 20th for a shortage of over \$4,000, and probably ten times that much. His weigher, Stuart, was also arrested. Col. Bolton gave bond for appearance to answer, but Stuart failing, was locked up.

Hubert O. Thompson, the leader of the county Democracy, was found dead in his bed at the Worth House, New York, at 9 o'clock, Monday morning last. He was a distinguished man in the political circles of New York, and his sudden death created an unusual sensation—following so soon after the death of John Kelly, the distinguished leader of the Tammany Democracy.

Mr. J. W. Reid has been renominated to represent the Fourth Congressional District in Congress. He is a bright young man and makes a good representative, except in favoring the Blair bill. But that issue is dead and no harm is likely to come from that source.

The State Fruit Fair will be held at Fayetteville on the 4th and 5th of August. The premium list is a large one, amounting to nearly six hundred dollars. The railroads offer reduced rates. We return thanks for a card of invitation and a ticket. Will any of our fruit raisers be represented? They should be by all means.

"The Land of the Sky" is the name of Nat. Atkinson's new monthly magazine. It is devoted to Asheville and North Carolina, and starts out advocating the advantages of that section of the state.

Catawba county has indorsed Hon. Jno. S. Henderson.

Stanly county has instructed for Mauney for Solicitor—Mauney seems to be the man.

Montgomery county has instructed for J. W. Mauney for Solicitor. Another triumph of reason over prejudice.

Mr. Martin Jones, son of the late Ham. C. Jones, of this county, died at Asheville, a few days since.

A Compliment to North Carolina.

However much those who knew little of the civil war are disposed to underrate the deeds of North Carolina therein, those who were in authority during the struggle have always been enthusiastic in praise of the part North Carolina played on the battle-field. The fact has been recently illustrated again. A citizen of Tarboro, Mr. Geo. T. Williams, polished up a walking cane of Edgecombe wood and presented it to the same effect Davis. He has received an acknowledgment, in the course of which Mr. Davis says: "The cane is precious to me, having been cut by a North Carolina soldier who contributed to our first victory in the war, and remembers, as I do with pride, the battle of Big Bethel. North Carolina did her full duty there, and it has given me pleasure often to bear testimony to the valor and fidelity of her sons on many trying occasions." "Scorners may sneer at and writings defame the good old state of our love, but honorable men and men of information will ever hold her in the highest estimation to which she is entitled."—*News-Observer.*

Mr. Robbins and the Judgeship.

Editors Watchman.—I noticed in your paper of last week that a correspondent as well as your paper editorially spoke in very complimentary terms of me for Judge in this District, and since your County Convention of last Saturday, I have received letters to the same effect from friends in Rowan, besides having been frequently approached on this subject by friends in my own county. While I, of course, feel flattered by these complimentary notices and fully appreciate them, yet I am not a candidate, nor can I allow the use of my name for that office. I am for the nomination of Judge Montgomery, and have so declared to my friends, repeatedly and candidly. In my estimation, Judge Montgomery is an able, impartial and upright judge, and being

an appointee of our Democratic Governor, and himself a Democrat, I think it would be an ungracious and impolitic movement in the Democratic party, to displace him now. This being my opinion, I cannot consent to change my well-settled purpose in this matter; and under the circumstances I have thought this distinct statement of my position due both my friends and myself. I therefore beg my kind Rowan friends and all my friends no longer to use my name in connection with the Judgeship of this District, for if nominated I could not accept. Very Respectfully,
F. C. ROBBINS.

The voters of Rowan had hoped to cast their vote for Mr. Robbins, or Mr. Pinnix, or for some man whom they considered worthy of support for the very responsible position of Judge. The people of Rowan do not favor the re-nomination of Mr. Montgomery and they frankly so state it. Certain things have come to the ears of the editors of this paper regarding Mr. Montgomery which, if not cleared up, necessarily forces this paper to oppose him. He certainly is aware of the fact that these things are being circulated to his damage, and more, he knows exactly who is doing it, yet he remains silent. He should vindicate himself or withdraw from the contest.

Rowan County Convention.

In obedience to the call of the Executive committee, the Democrats of Rowan assembled at the Court-house here on last Saturday. Jas. W. Rumble, Esq., Chairman of the Committee, called the house to order and requested T. C. Linn, Esq., to act as Chairman. This gentleman explained the object of the meeting and announced that the meeting was ready to go into a permanent organization. On motion, the temporary chairman was made the permanent presiding officer and T. K. Bruner and Theo. Buerbaum were elected Secretaries. J. W. Rumble, Esq., then offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved—That it is the sense of this convention that all persons allowing their names to be presented to it and therein voted upon are pledged to abide its action; That it is the duty of any candidate for democratic nomination to announce his intention to violate the action of this convention, in the event of his unsuccessful candidacy, before he permits his name to be placed in nomination and voted upon. D. R. Julian then moved that the convention proceed by nominating the county officers first, which, after a brief discussion, was adopted.

The chair then directed the Secretary to call the roll of townships, and finding all represented, announced that the convention would proceed with the nominations, beginning with the county representative in the lower house of the Legislature. The Secretary was requested to call the roll of the townships, and the chairman of the delegation from each was requested to vote for the choice of the township. The result of the ballot was: Overman 88, Sloan 12, and Stansill 4. Mr. Overman was declared the choice of the convention. Maj. Stansill then moved that the nomination be made unanimous. Carried.

The following county officers were then unanimously elected in the same way: For Sheriff—C. C. Krider. For Clerk of Courts—J. M. Horah. For Reg. of Deeds—H. N. Woodson. For County Treasurer—J. Sam'l. McCubbins, Jr. For Coroner—D. A. Atwell.

There were two candidates for the office of County Surveyor, the ballot resulting as follows: B. C. Arrey 68, J. C. Bernheart 36. The chair declared Mr. Arrey the choice of the convention.

The next nomination to be disposed of was that of a Senator for Rowan and Davie. The chair ordered a call of the roll of the townships, resulting as follows: Shoher 40, Hobson 21, McCubbins, (Sr.) 4, Klutz 20, Blackmer 10. The chair announced no election, and ordered a second call of the roll. Before this roll call Theo. F. Klutz, Esq., thanked the convention for the complimentary vote which had been made in compliance with the instruction of the primary meetings, and asked the delegates to consider themselves no longer bound by instructions, as he was not a candidate before the convention. Proceeding with the roll call the result was as follows: Shoher 73, Hobson 21, Blackmer 10. The chair announced Hon. F. E. Shoher the choice of the convention for the office of Senator. On motion of Dr. Poole the nomination was made unanimous.

The following resolution was then introduced by Kerr Craig, Esq., and was unanimously adopted, as follows: *Resolved*, That our fellow citizen, the Hon. John S. Henderson, has proven himself an able and faithful Representative in Congress, and we hereby pledge him our hearty and united support for re-election. Mr. Chas. D. Crawford then offered the following resolution which was unanimously adopted, as follows: *Resolved*—That the delegates to the Judicial District Convention be and are hereby instructed to cast the vote of Rowan as a unit for John W. Mauney, Esq., for Solicitor.

On the question of delegates to the Congressional convention, it was moved that each township be represented by one half of its representative strength, i. e. one delegate to each two votes. Carried. The chairman of the township delegations were requested to hand in the names, as instructed in the motion just carried. The following is the list of delegates to the Congressional convention:

SALISBURY—E. B. Neave, Dr. J. R. Deen, W. L. Klutz, W. R. Barker, J. F. Pace, D. B. Julian, C. D. Crawford, Joseph Horah, J. R. Crawford, Dr. H. T. Trantham. FRANKLIN—J. B. Ford, H. S. Trott, D. A. Swink, Jas. M. Monroe, J. L. Caudle. UNITY—J. K. Culbertson, J. D. Lawrence.

SCOTCH IRISH—Andrew Fleming, W. A. Allison, Chas. Fleming. STRICKLE—J. M. Harrison, Maj. J. F. Stansill. [Alternates: W. L. Kestler, J. L. Hall.] Mr. ULLA—Jesse W. Miller, G. A. Masters, John S. Knox. CHINA GROVE—Jno. Sloop, Dr. I. M. Taylor, I. Frank Patterson. LITFAKER—J. L. Rendleman, Jno. R. Smith, A. W. Risher, P. A. Sloop. ATWELL—Dr. J. B. Gaither, D. C. Bradshaw, J. L. Sloan, D. A. Sloop, J. Rowan Davis, J. F. Carrigan, Jno. Russell. GOLD HILL—A. W. Klutz, N. B. McCannless, Dr. L. W. Coleman, M. J. Barger. MORGAN—J. J. Newman, J. W. Bassinger, J. W. Miller. PROVIDENCE—C. Kestler, D. L. Arrey, Dr. C. M. Poole, S. A. Earnheart, J. F. Agner. LOCKE—C. H. McKenzie, W. J. Brown, J. F. Robinson.

The chair appointed a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Rumble, Julian and Craig, to prepare a list of delegates to be submitted for the approval of the convention; said list to be Rowan's delegates at both the Judicial and State conventions. The following list was submitted and approved: L. S. Overman, J. F. Ross, C. R. Barker, S. J. Swicegood, J. W. Rumble, D. R. Julian, J. D. Gaskill, Thos. Ray, Jno. Sloop, J. J. Newman, Jas. Mooroe, Jas. McKenzie, H. C. Bost, J. A. Clodfelter, Jesse W. Miller, Dr. C. M. Poole, Wilson Trott, S. N. Wilson, J. C. McLean, J. A. Earnheart, P. D. Linn, Dan'l. Roseboro, J. K. Culbertson, Frank C. Mauney, N. B. McCannless, Alex. Morgan, T. B. Beall, N. Fleming, Jno. O. Houston, Geo. Hall, Maj. Stansill. Alternates: Dr. I. M. Taylor, L. H. Clement, B. C. Arrey, T. C. Linn, Douglas Roseman, Luke Blackmer, Joseph Barber, Kerr Craig, J. C. McCannless, C. D. Crawford, F. E. Shoher, J. K. Graham.

On motion it was agreed that all Democrats attending the State convention from Rowan be considered as delegates.

On motion of J. K. Graham, a committee, consisting of one representative from each township, was appointed to confer with Davie as to the Senatorial nomination, with power to call a meeting at South River for such conference. The chair appointed J. K. Graham, Jno. Sloop, Wilson Trott, C. D. Crawford, Cornelius Kestler, J. J. Newman, Dr. L. W. Coleman, J. K. Culbertson, W. G. Watson, W. L. Kestler, A. H. Henly, C. H. McKenzie, J. Rowan Davis, on this committee.

Col. F. E. Shoher being called, made a stirring speech, reassuring and encouraging to the Democrats, and contrasting the present with former administrations. He proposed to go into the canvass with all the energy at his command. He explained that he had not sought the nomination, but that he felt, since it was so flatteringly tendered him, he could not, in justice to those who so frequently honored him, decline the nomination. He made, as he always does, an able address. L. S. Overman was then called and responded in his usual happy style. He thanked the people for honoring him the third time with their confidence as their representative in the Legislature. He reviewed the present situation under Mr. Cleveland, as against the preceding administrations. He showed what a reformer Cleveland was and told how much had been saved to the people since the advent of his administration. He promised to be with Col. Shoher when the time comes to make the canvass of the county, and to talk to the people when they had more time to listen. No further business the meeting adjourned.

T. C. LINN, Chairman. T. K. BRUNER, Secretary. THO. BUEBAUM, Clerks.

Charges Against Judge Montgomery.

[Correspondent of the Charlotte Observer.] Judge Montgomery has asserted that if it becomes necessary, to bring action against a certain life insurance company to recover the amount of insurance on the life of a citizen of Calabrus county, recently deceased, he would resign his position as Judge to act as counsel for the claimant of the insurance money.

If an attorney for the Insurance Company and it will resist the claim on just and perfectly legal grounds. The action must be brought for claimant to recover. I can and will, if it becomes necessary, substantiate Montgomery's assertion by the affidavit of a most truthful man. If Judge Montgomery meant and spoke the truth when he made said assertion, he must soon resign his Judgeship, if nominated at Lexington on August 4th, and elected in November. If he does not resign to serve as counsel in this action, his assertion was false. The Judge can take either horn of the dilemma he pleases. If he intends to try to show himself a man of truth I consider it trifling with the people of the Eighth Judicial District to ask them to nominate him for Judge at Lexington on August 4th; when, if a truthful man, he must resign; and, if he is not a truthful man, he is not fit for the position of Judge of the Superior Court.

If he keeps his word and does resign his Judgeship, he will be doing a gross injustice to honorable members of the bar of the Eighth Judicial District, some one of whom will accept the nomination at Lexington, will be elected and serve out his term.

Since his appointment as Judge, acting for the claimant in this prospective action, Montgomery, on the 7th day of April 1886, filed up the "notice and proof of claim" for claimant, which I hold in his own handwriting, and otherwise busied himself with this cause of action just as a regular practicing lawyer would do. Maybe, in this thought, he has private reasons for this action. Still, I consider it conduct unbecoming a Judge and one being a candidate for the nomination for that exalted office.

Despising amonious communications and writers, I am, respectfully,
WILL G. MEANS,
Concord, July 28th, 1886.

The Mexican War Cloud.

MEXICAN TROOPS SURREPTITIOUSLY MOVED INTO PASO DEL NORTE. EL PASO, TEXAS, July 23.—The excitement on both sides of the river, among Mexicans as well as Americans, has been so

great that both governments have concluded, for the purpose of allaying it, to conduct further negotiations without publicity. Soldiers continue in large numbers in Paso del Norte, Mexico. The sleepy old place wears a martial air as it is possible for such a relic of antiquity to assume. In marked contrast to this nervous exhibition of military power in Paso del Norte, and in contrast to the eager and excited interest taken in this international question by the citizens of El Paso, is the supremely calm demeanor of the United States authorities at Fort Bliss, within a few hundred yards of the hostile hills of Mexico, on the other side of the shallow mountain stream that can be waded just now with the greatest ease. To look at Fort Bliss to-day nobody would imagine that within one mile of it a hostile city was bustling with armed men, breathing vengeance against the "Americans."

Surprisingly a train-load of troops from Chihuahua, that had been massed and announced Friday night as being on the way to Paso del Norte to increase the Mexican army of observation, arrived there at daylight Saturday morning. There is no knowledge of any military movements, as follows, as the Mexicans are adept in keeping intended military movements quiet and dark. Cutting in is jail at Paso del Norte. A Mexican, named Medina, who insulted the American consul's clerk, has been in the jail for the purpose of awaiting trial, but the impression of his imprisonment got out at the time it did, as it helped materially in allaying the excitement on the Texas side of the river, which was just then at fever heat. He was tried, found guilty of creating a disturbance and fined.

Cutting was brought before Judge Casteneta's clerk, who is waiting that case had become of such national importance that it would have to be transferred to the first district court, where sentence would be pronounced at some future day. Consul Brigham tried to learn when the trial would take place, but he could get no definite information. It is rumored that Mexico is determined not to give Cutting up. It is rumored on the streets of Paso del Norte that a train load of troops, with a park of artillery, is approaching the city from Chihuahua. The situation begins to look very serious.

District Convention.

The Democratic Executive Committee of the 7th Congressional District, met in Salisbury last week, and decided to hold the District Convention in Salisbury, on Tuesday the 3d day of August, for the purpose of nominating a candidate to represent this District in the House of Representatives of the next Congress. L. H. CLEMENT, Of the Ex-Com. July 5th, 1886.

A WISE REFORM.

The habit of administering quinine in powerful doses, as an antidote to malarial maladies, practice has undergone a wide reform. Not only the public, but professional men have adopted, not wholly of course, but largely, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a safe botanic substitute for the pernicious alkaloid. The consequences of this change are most important. Now fever and ague sufferers are cured—formerly their complaints were only for the time relieved, or half cured—the remedy eventually failing to produce any appreciable effect, except the doses were increased. A course of the Bitters, persistently followed, breaks up the worst attacks and prevents their return. The evidence in favor of this sterling specific and household medicine is of no ambiguous character, but positive and satisfactory, and the sources whence it proceeds are very numerous.

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Notice of Dissolution.

The firm of P. M. Brown & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. A. Falconer withdrawing. P. M. Brown will continue the business in all its branches. Either partner will sign in liquidation. P. M. BROWN, W. A. FALCONER, Salisbury, N. C. July 19, '86. 40-1m.

Administrators Sale of Real Estate.

In pursuance of a decree of the Superior Court of Rowan County, made in the special proceeding entitled D. M. Barrier, Administrator upon the estate of John S. Hyde, deceased, ex. et. Hyde and E. J. Hyde, Guardian ad litem of Maggie Hyde, heir at law of John Hyde, as administrator upon said estate, will on MONDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF AUGUST, 1886, sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Salisbury; the following described real estate, to wit: Assets, viz: About 40 acres of land situate in Steele township of Rowan county, containing the lands of S. R. Harrison, William Gardner, and others, and known as the "Axiam place," the same being the land conveyed to John S. Hyde by K. J. M. Barber by Deed registered in Book 5, on page 774, in office of the Register of Deeds of Rowan County. D. M. BARRIER, Administrator. 40-6w.

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