Cough Caution

Never, positively never poison your lungs. If you cough—even from a simple cold only—you should always heal, soothe, and ease the irritated bronchial tubes. Don't blindly suppress it with a stupefying poison. It's strange how some things finally come about. For twenty years Dr. Shoop has constantly warned people not to take cough mixtures or prescriptions containing Opium, Chloroform, or similar poisons. And now—a little late though—Congress says "Put it on the label if poisons are in your Cough Mixture." Good! Very good!! Hereafter for this very reason mothers, and others, should insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. No poison marks on Dr. Shoop's label—and none in the medicine, else it must by law be on the label. And it's not only safe, but it is said to be by those that know it best, a truly remarkable cough remedy. Take no chance then, particularly with your children. Insist on having Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure. Compare carefully the Dr. Shoop package with others and note the difference. No poison marks there! You can always be on the safe side by demanding

Dr. Shoop's Cough Cure

CORNELISON & COOK.

RURAL NO. 4.

The Kesler school boys and Poole school boys crossed bats Friday evening February 5th. The score stood 4 to 12 in favor of the Kesler boys. Good for them! They are coming right along for a crowd of little fellows.

WOODMAN.

A Rare Opportunity

is here offered to the

SICK AND SUFFERING

of our Community.

READ, REFLECT AND ACT,

carefully, thoroughly, accordingly

VISITING SPECIALISTS

from the

Cleveland Institute of Medicine and Surgery

Legally Chartered and Incorporated,
CLEVELAND, OHIO,

will pay their first visit to

Salisbury, N. Carolina,

and will be at the

Empire Hotel,

Wednesday, February 17,

TELL YOUR SICK FRIENDS.

ONE DAY ONLY.

9 A. M. TO 7:30 P. M.

FREE

This institute, composed of a group of regularly graduated physicians and surgeons, licensed, legally chartered and incorporated under the laws of the State of Ohio, sends at its own expense these eminent medical specialists in order to introduce the newest methods and discoveries in medicine and surgery, such as the system of treatment under X ray, Violet ray, Finsen ray, Hydrotherapy, Etc., to give to those who call on the above date, consultation, examination, advice and all medicines required to complete a cure, absolutely free. These specialists will diagnose your case and give you the benefit of their skill and medical knowledge.

There is in this case no experimenting or guess work at your expense. You will be told whether you can be cured or not. If your case is curable they will put you under treatment immediately; if incurable they will give you such advice as may prolong your life. Their treatment always gives quick relief, and ultimately positively cures. Being prepared to cope with each individual case the human system is thoroughly cleansed of the disease in a natural and direct manner, and improvement is noticed at once; even the worst cases are treated without any inconvenience to the patient or the pursuing of his or her daily vocation.

If you are improving under your family physician, do not come and take up their valuable time, as they absolutely refuse to treat any one who is under the care of the local physicians. They wish besides to give each patient plenty of time and their undivided attention, but can not listen to long stories not pertaining to your trouble. They have discarded the old methods and remedies used for ages by the medical world, and which it would be folly to depend upon any longer, for they are not known to cure, as thousands die, depending on them for relief. The following list of diseases only are taken under treatment, to-wit: Diseases of the Nervous System, Heart, Stomach, Lungs, Kidneys, Catarrh, (purulent or dry), Consumption, Epilepsy, Deafness, Diseases of Women, Tumors, Pseudo Cancers, Piles, of a Chronic Nature only. They treat Deafness by an entirely new method, and hearing in many cases is restored at once. Catarrh in all its varied forms, like other diseases if once taken under treatment, is cured permanently to remain so and to never return. It matters not whom you have seen, or with whom treated, do not fail to call, as a visit will cost you nothing, and may restore you to health, or even save or prolong your life, as thousands of persons will testify by unassailable testimonials in all parts of the country. If you suspect Kidney Trouble, bring a two ounce bottle of your Urine for chemical and microscopical analysis.

REMEMBER:—The free offer is during this visit only, and will not be repeated. Persons commencing treatment upon their future visits will be required to pay, but not one cent will be asked from those commencing treatment during this visit for any medicine necessary to effect a cure, irrespective of your position in life, or the number of those who come on above date. Whensoever, or by whom wanted, a positive guarantee to cure will be given under their system of treatment. Those having long standing and complicated disease, who have failed to get well and become discouraged, are particularly invited to call.

NOTICE: — Married ladies without their HUSBANDS, and minors without their FATHERS, will positively not be admitted to consultation unless accompanied by one of their local physicians.

Office Hours: 9 A. M. to 7:30 P. M.

DON'T FORGET THE DATE.

Wednesday, February 17.

FAITH.

Fe. 4 —Judge J. L. Webb, of Shelby, awarded the contract for the granite for his new stone building to the Faith Granite Co., of Faith.

The town officers held their regular monthly meeting Monday night.

R. A. Raney, is loading a car with cotton seed to-day.

W. S. Earnhardt, is building a handsome residence at Granite Quarry for Curtis Josey.

J. M. Wyatt, has gone to Newman, Ga., to work at his trade, granite cutting.

Several union granite cutters are here in our town, waiting for the big union Quarry to start up again. They board with the citizens of Faith.

There will be preaching at the Baptist church here Sunday evening, the 14th, at three o'clock, a large crowd is expected out.

A great many people went to Salisbury, to-day to attend court Some took cotton to sell.

Mrs. J. L. Shuping and her little adopted daughter has gone to Fleming, Ga., to visit her daughter.

The Faith Granite Company, is stripping the dirt off their fine pink granite quarry.

John Kuykendall is getting out the granite to build his new granite residence with, near his father-in-law's, Adolphus Gant

The Nazareth Orphan's Home has bought the Doctor Goodman home place, a fine piece of property. They now have more room.

L. M. Peeler bought one of the horses at Doctor Bower's sale at Gold Hill.

D. A. Wiley is putting in a new phone to-day and running wires to J. C. Lingle's. VENUS.

If you would have a safe yet certain Cough Remedy in the home, try Dr. Shoop's—at least once. It is thoroughly unlike any other Cough preparation. Its taste will be entirely new to you—unless it is already your favorite Cough Remedy. No opium chloroform, or any other stupefying ingredients are used. The tender leaves of a harmless, lung-healing mountainous shrub, give to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy its wonderful curative properties. It is truly a most certain and trustworthy prescription. Sold by Cornelison & Cook.

PINEY WOODS.

Feb. 8.—Our whole community was aroused Thursday morning to hear that Mr. Tyack's store and dwelling was burned to the ground. The writer witnessed the scene in a short time after the building was burned, which was a sad one indeed. Mr Tyack only saved a part of his household goods, everything in his store burned. The burgulars failed to blow the safe open, but it is not known what all they took from the store, as it was impossible for any one to get inside after the fire was discovered.

Aunt Claranne Parker is right sick at this writing, but her friends will be glad to learn that she is improving some.

W. C. Lisk and son, Walter, have returned from Raleigh, where they spent a part of last week.

Dock Parker has bought a saw mill from Mr. Nussman, of Salisbury.

J. L. Basinger, who has been working in Wilmington for some time, was married to a Miss Carr of that place, three weeks ago. He is now living with his father in our community.

Preparations are being made to wire in the country at Flat Creek.

Deal Miller, of Chivey Chase Lake, Md., is visiting home folks. Mr. Miller holds a position with the Electric Railway Co. of that place.

A reward of $100 will be paid by Mr. Tyack for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who robbed and fired his store. We think more will be added shortly. Mr. Tyack will run a business at the Arey house, near his place, and is now ready to serve his customtrs.

SOUTHERNER.

FEEBLE OLD LADY

Has Strength Restored By Vinol

Mrs. Michael Bloom of Lewistown, Pa., who is 80 years of age, says: "For a long time I have been so feeble that I have had to be wheeled around in an invalid's chair. I had no strength and took cold at the slightest provocation, which invariably settled on my lungs, and a cough would result. My son learned of the cod liver preparation called Vinol, and procured a bottle for me. It built up my strength rapidly, and after taking three bottles I am able to do most of my work, and I can walk a quarter of a mile easily. Every aged or weak person who requires strength should try Vinol. I am delighted with what it has done for me."

As a body builder and strength creator for old people, delicate children, weak, run-down persons, and after sickness, Vinol is unexcelled. If it fails to give satisfaction we will return your money.

Smith Drug Co., Salisbury

European Trip Postponed.

MERONEY'S THEATRE
Salisbury,
FRIDAY, FEB. 19.

SEAT SALE, FEB. 15, Box Office.

PRICES

Lower floor,	$1.50, $1.00
Balbony,	$1.00, 75c, 50c
Gallery,	35c

The play you have been eagerly awaiting.

THE CLANSMAN HAS BEEN WITNESSED BY MORE THAN 4,000,000 THEATREGOERS.

GEORGE H. BRENNAN

PRESENTS

THE CLANSMAN

Dramitized by THOMAS DIXON, JR.

From his two famous novels "The Clansman" and "The Leopard's Spots."

Complete and Original New York Production.

50 PEOPLE ON THE STAGE — 2 CARLOADS OF SCENERY AND EFFECTS — A TROO OF N CAVALRY D HORSES

Out of town orders promptly taken care of

The Watchman and Record Voting Contest.

The Candidates are Getting Busy all Along the Line and Interest is Increasing.

The Boys are now at Work and While all do not Expect to Win, None are Willing to Sit Idle.

THE WATCHMAN and ROWAN RECORD's determination to give away one of the best buggies that can be built in these parts, and a splendid, high-grade sewing machine, is beginning to attract attention throughout the county, and those who see by a little extra effort during leisure hours, is likely to bring to them said buggy or sewing machine, are now beginning to make telling use of their time. Of course there is plenty of time to work, but it is not good policy to wait so long before getting busy in earnest, nor should any one be discouraged because he is not near the top. Just keep hammering away and the final result will show for itself. To those who have friends in the contest, the opportunity to do them a kindness that will be remembered, is manifest. Take an interest in his fight, encourage him by voting for him, or better yet, pay something on your own subscription. All of the contestants are worthy people and will appreciate any little help that you may extend.

We would advise all candidates to make their greatest efforts towards securing double subscriptions, two years to either THE WATCHMAN or THE RECORD, or one year to both papers. These papers will to all intents and purposes answer the readers requirements of a semi weekly, and those wanting all the news should take them both.

The standing of the candidates to-day at 12 o'clock is as shown in the list below. No one should become alarmed because he does not stand at the head of the list just now. There is just as much chance for the last as for the first. The one who stands head at the end of the contest will be the winner. The race is not always to the swift, nor to the strong, but to him that persevereth to the end.

THE CANDIDATES.

Neely Lisk, Gold Hill, No. 1	33,975	Votes
John Moulden, Rural No. 7, Salisbury	13,525	"
I. L. Hoffner, Rockwell, Rural No. 2	5,700	"
Edwin Lyerly, Rural No. 6, Salisbury	5,325	"
T. J. Loftin, Rural No. 6, Salisbury	3,450	"
Robert A. McLaughlin, Cleveland, N. C	2,675	"
Wm. Marlin, Rural No. 5, Salisbury	2,625	"
L. A. Ritchie, Rural No. 8, Salisbury	2,100	"
Harvey L. Trexler, Salisbury, N. C	1,850	"
Clarence A Brown, Rural No. 6, Salisbury	850	"
Albert T. Eagle, South Shive Street, Salisbury	100	"
J. C. Coughenour, Rural No. 1, Salisbury	100	"
H. L. Ritchie, Richfield, N. C	100	"
Jno. S. Watson, Rural No. 2, Salisbury	100	"
Walter Riblin, Gold Hill No. 1	100	"
M. L. Eury, Rural No. 4, Salisbury	100	"
J. E. Gaither, Rural No. 5, Salisbury	100	"
H. C. Kirk, Salisbury, Chestnut Hill	100	"
Duke C. Trexler, Mt. Pleasant, N. C	100	"
H. P. Cranford, Woodleaf, N. C	100	"
J. H. Simeson, Spencer, N. C	100	"
W. T. Peeler, Granite Quarry, N. C	100	"
Rev. P. W. Tucker, Granite Quarry, N. C	100	"
Marion Rafty, Rural No. 4, Salisbury	100	"
L. M. Agner, Rural No. 4, Salisbury	100	"

VOTING COUPON.

February 9th, 1909.

Watchman and Record Voting Contest.

This coupon is good for 25 votes for the person whose name appears below.

Name .....

Address .....

Voted by .....

Void 15 days after date.

Who wouldn't give 25 cents to stop a pain 20 times? Just one little "Pink Pain Tablet"—Dr. Shoop's—will stop any pain in 20 minutes, sure! Read the formula on the box. Doctors say it can't be bettered. Checks womanly pains, head pains, any pain. 20 tablets 25c. Sold by Cornelison & Cook.

A Card to the Public.

At the continued and urgent request of many of the substantail citizens of the city. I hereby announce myself as a candidate for Mayor of Salisbury, at the coming election. Subject to the Democratic primary.

A. L. SMOOT

Soldier Balks Death Plot.

It seems to J. A Stone, a civil war veteran of Kemp, Tex., that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough that stuck to me, in spite of all remedies, for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which restored my health completely. I now weigh 178 pounds." For severe Colds, Obstinate Coughs, Hemmorhages, Asthma, and to prevent Pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c and $1 00 Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

The Best Fertilizers for Corn

That the yield of corn from the average farm can be greatly increased by intelligent and liberal fertilization has been repeatedly demonstrated. Large crops of good corn result from preparing the land well, using the right kind and quantity of fertilizer, good seed and proper cultivation.

Virginia-Carolina Fertilizers

will greatly "increase your yield per acre" of corn or any other crop. In some cases remarkable results have been obtained.

Mr. C. W. Caruthers of Sumpter County, Fla., writes: "Words cannot express the value of your fertilizer. It is really so far ahead of other companies' goods, that it would not pay anyone to use other brands, were they given free and put in the field. I can prove what I say to be a fact. I made a test on five acres. I used on one half the land your fertilizer and on the other half another company's fertilizer, same grade; the land received the same cultivation every time. *I kept a correct account of the amount of money I got off each half and I got $300 more from the land on which I used Virginia-Carolina Fertilizer than I did off the other half. I got four times as much corn from the land on which I used your fertilizer.*"

Write today to nearest office of the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company for a free copy of the new 1909 Farmers' Year-Book or Almanac, full of the most valuable and unprejudiced information for planters and farmers; or ask your fertilizer dealer for a copy.

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Richmond, Va.
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Savannah, Ga.
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Fertilizers Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co.

Sales Offices
Durham, N. C.
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Columbus, Ga.
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Shreveport, La.

The Jar of Coughing

Hammer blows, steadily applied, break the hardest rock. Coughing, day after day, jars and tears the throat and lungs until the healthy tissues give way. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral stops the coughing, and heals the torn membranes.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's SARSAPARILLA. PILLS. HAIR VIGOR.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

Biliousness, constipation retard recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

UNION CHURCH.

Feb. 8.—The health of this community is very good at present.

There was a verry large congregation at Union Church last Sunday when Rev. Sprachar delivered a well selected sermon.

H. P. Lyerly will move back to his farm this week, he has recently lived at Graite Quarry.

A. L. Lyerly, of near Union Church, will handle fertilizer's again this season.

W. A. Agner, and H. P. Lyerly, visited at Wm. Rufty's last Sunday.

There was a large attendance at the Jr. O. U A. M. meeting last Saturday night, when there was a great deal of buiness transacted.

There were several parties passed our villiage to attend court this week.

There will be choir singing at Union church Sunday, at 1 o'clock p. m. Everybody is invited to attend.

M. A. Goodman, has been sawing shingles for covering a new barn, which he will soon build.

HUSTLER.

Mortagage Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale vested in us as Assignee and Trustee in a certain mortgage executed by Mary Jane Graham on the 7th day of December, 1901, and recorded in Book No. 19 of Mortgages, page 362, in Register of Deeds Office of Rowan County, said mortgage being taken to secure a certain promissory note with interest, executed by the Mortgagor, and default having been made in payment of said note, we, R. J. Rainey, Trustee, and D. C. Lingle, Assignee, by virtue of the above mentioned power of sale, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the court-house door in the City of Salisbury, on

Monday, the 1st day of March, 1909,

at twelve o'clock, M., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land in Rowan County, North Carolina, adjoining the lands of David Leasor, Jacob Wilhelm's heirs, and others, beginning at a stone in the branch, L. Graham's corner, running thence E. 5 chains to a stake in the public road. David Leaser's corner; thence with his line N. 4 1-2 deg. E. 13.5 chains to a stake in Kluttz' line; thence with Kluttz's line W. 5 chains to a stone L. Graham's corner; thence S. 2 deg. W. 13.5 chains to the beginning, containing 6 acres, 3 rods, more or less.

This 30th day of January, 1909.

R. J. RAINEY.
D. C. LINGLE.

Mortagage Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale vested in me as Mortgagee in a certain deed of trust executed by S. D. Montgomery and wife Mary E. Montgomery, on the 27th day of January 1908, and recorded in Book No 32 of Mortgages, page 109, in Register of Deeds Office, of Rowan County, said deed of trust being taken to secure a certain promissory note with interest, executed by the Mortgagors, and default having been made in payment of said note, I, D. C. Lingle, Mortgagee, by virtue of the above mentioned power of sale, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court-house door in the City of Salisbury, on

Monday, the 1st day of March 1909

at twelve o'clock, M., the following described property to-wit:

Beginning at a stake in the East edge of Monroe Street, 200 feet from the East corner of the intersection of Monroe and Shaver Streets, and runs thence N. E. and parallel with Shaver Street 200 feet to a stake; thence S. E. parallel with Monroe Street 100 feet to a stake; thence S. W. and parallel with Shaver Street 200 feet to a stake in the edge of Monroe Street; thence N. W. with Monroe Street 100 feet to the beginning—Being lots Nos. 30 and 31 on the Smithdeal map of the old Fair Grounds. Said lots situate in the South Ward of the city of Salisbury, North Carolina.

This 30th day of January, 1909.

D. C. LINGLE.

PEOPLES' NATIONAL BANK

SALISBURY, N. C.

Does a General Banking Business.

4 Per Cent.

We pay 4 per cent on time deposits. Interest payable every three months.

Prompt attention given to any business entrusted to us.

Your business solicited.

Peoples' National Bank.

D. R. JULIAN, president. J. D. NORWOOD, cashier.
P. H. THOMPSON, V.-president. J. A. PEELER, teller.

RE-SALE OF LAND.

Pursuant to a decree of the Superior Court of Rowan County rendered in the special proceeding entitled: "Jas. A. Ritchie, Admr. of Peter A. Ritchie, et al. vs. Wiley W. Ritchie, Daniel Peeler, Mary Peeler, W. Ernest Ritchie and others," authorizing, empowering and directing the undersigned, as commissioner and administrator to expose to public sale the land hereinafter described, at the Court House door in Salisbury, the undersigned will, on

Saturday, March 6th, 1909,

at 12 o'clock m., sell to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in the city of Salisbury, the following described real estate, lying and being near Gay's chapel, in Franklin township, 7 miles from Salisbury, county of Rowan, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a hickory 110 chains south of the beginning corner (a post oak) of the 104-acre tract in the subdivision of the Hilliary Elliott estate, and running north 85 west, 59 50 chains to a white oak; thence south 2¾ west, 15 30 chains to a post oak; thence south 88 east. 7 75 chains to a maple in the branch; thence south 3 west. 18.26 chains to a black oak; thence north 79½ east, 24.57 chains to a hickory; thence north 54 east. 5.50 chains to a dogwood; thence south 71 east. 7.50 chains to a pine, dower corner; thence south 28 east, 10 chains to a pine; thence north 41¾ east, 20.50 chains to the beginning, containing 123 acres, more or less, deed for which is registered in book 72, page 270, in the Register's office of Rowan county.

This is a valuable tract of land in a good neighborhood, and title to the same is perfect and whoever buys will get a court deed.

JAMES A. RITCHIE, Admr. and Comr., rural route No. 3, Salisbury, N. C.
R. Lee Wright, Att'y.
February 1st, 1909.

Administrator's Notice.

Having qaulified as administrator of the estate of Dr. A. H. Bowers, this is to notify persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned on or before January 16th, 1910, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the estate are hereby notified to make prompt settlement.

This January 16th, 1909. 6t

J. C. LINGLE, Admr.
John L. Rendleman, Atty.

Notice.—All persons due the late Dr. A. H. Bowers on account are requested to meet the undersigned at Gold Hill, day of sale, Saturday, February 6th, for the purpose of settling said accounts.

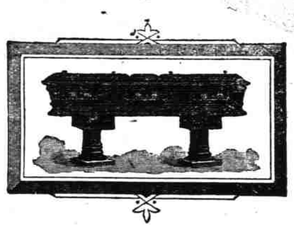
J. CALVIN LINGLE, Admr.

Found.—Some money near Kannapolis, loser apply and describe same to Ed. Overcash.

THE

Summersett Undertaking Co.,

108-110 W. Inness St.,
Salisbury, N. C.,



Carry a full line of Caskets, Coffins and Burial Robes. Latest improved equipments consisting of Hearses, Casket Wagons, Church Trucks, etc.

Special attention given to all calls, day or night, by their undertakers, Mr. T. W. Summersett and Mr. R. M. Davis.

Phone calls: day, 224; night, 529 or 201.

Embalming a Specialty.

FOR SALE.

We have just receievd car of Extra Good Horses, Mares and Mules. This stock is all well broken. Will sell for cash or good paper. We have one pair of Mules five years old that weigh 2,800 lbs.

J. P. HARPER & BRO.

Salisbury, N. C.

Notice to Non Resident.

North Carolina, Rowan County. } In Superior Court Feb. Term 1909.
Dorsie Cole vs Pearl Cole } Notice of Summons.

The defendant, Pearl Cole, will take notice that the above entitled action has been commenced against her by her husband Dorsie Cole, for the purpose of obtaning a divorce from her from the bonds of matrimony on the grounds of adultery, and that she is required to appear at May term of the Superior Court of Rowan county to be held in Salisbury, at the Court House, on May 3rd 1909, and answer or demur to the complaint of plaintiff otherwise the prayers demanded will be granted.

This 27th day of January 1909.

J. F. MCCUBBINS.
Clerk Superior Court.