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According to our news items of 1865, 900 people applied for the postmastership of Raleigh that year. This must have included all the women and children in the place and was almost as bad as it is in Durham this year.

Last week we stated that it was a peculiar co-incident that the city attorney did not discover that the Aldermen had no right to use any of the general funds of the city for the public schools during the former administration instead of doing so now when the schools were so much in need of aid. In making this statement we were of the opinion that it was part of the city attorney's duties to call the aldermen's attention to any violation of the law, or advise them as to the legality of any contract or ordinance proposed or enacted, or as to the legality of the collection of taxes and the expenditure of funds, etc. But, this seems not to be the case, hence we were thrust into doing one of the best lawyers and most upright citizens in the State an injustice. As we now understand it the city attorney has no prescribed duties and is not expected to offer any advice on any subject unless called upon so to do. Burton Craige, Esq., was then, and is now, the city attorney. Every one who knows Mr. Craige knows that, if called upon, he would not have failed to interpret the law correctly then, just as he does now. We take it this question was not raised at that time, the city attorney's advice was not asked, consequently he rendered no opinion. It was not our intention to make any reflection on Mr. Craige, and we hasten to call attention to the error in our former inadvertent statement.

The split-log drag for improving the public roads seems to be one of the best and cheapest methods of keeping the roads in good condition known and yet with the miles and miles of bad roads in this and adjoining counties no one, no public spirited citizen, no county commissioner, no howling bond advocate, or other person, seems to be willing to take a few hours' time to try it or set the example in its use. Probably the most important factor in keeping a road in good condition lies in the matter of proper drainage. The split-log drag will do much in this particular by filling up the holes and ruts and forcing the water off the road bed. Our County Commissioners spent some money, and with fairly good results, last summer by using a scraper on several roads, and now a very favorable opportunity presents itself for a trial of the split-log drag practically without cost for the apparatus and less expense. By the use of this drag they could do much toward satisfying

neighborhoods that are clamoring for macadam roads, set a splendid example and save the county money. However, whether the commissioners will undertake such a scheme or not, no one should sit idle and miss the opportunity to get the good work started. Such work is for both personal and the public good and no one should hesitate to set the example. It not only makes travel better, but it saves both the individual and the county money. It saves time, it saves the team, it saves wear, tear, repairs and taxes, for it takes money for the county to macadamize a road and the county gets its money by taxing the individual. So the more attention those who travel give them, the less attention is needed from the county and should be less taxes, or, it may at least save the county considerable money and give the authorities time and opportunity to more thoroughly prosecute the work of macadamizing roads and keeping in repair those that have been macadamized.

Representative Bennett, of New York, seems to be very much worried over the proposed head tax of \$10.00 on immigrants. He says it will keep out the Russian Jew and the Armenian, both poverty stricken and persecuted people. We believe the average American has as much sympathy for the poor and persecuted as Mr. Bennett, but they realize at the same time that the person who cannot, or is unwilling, to pay ten dollars for the privilege of becoming an American citizen, is not likely to make a very desirable addition to the country's population. Possibly Mr. Bennett could induce the ocean liners to reduce the cost of passage if he cannot prevail upon Congress to let down the bars to 50-cent citizens. Millions of our best citizens would rejoice to see this head-tax made \$25.00 rather than \$10.00.

While on this subject we want to say that we regret to notice that the Southern Railway is now engaged in an effort to catch anything that can pay its fare to a Southern State. Our citizens should protest against this effort to make our section a dumping ground. Our people are awakening to their necessities, and have the ability and hardihood to perform them. There is no cry here for laborers, cheap citizens, and we believe the course of wisdom is to retain what we have in the way of vacant land and raw and undeveloped resources for our own use and hand them down to our children and our children's children, and make it go as far as it is possible to do so. Some may say this is old-fogyism and miserly. We answer, not at all. We, the Southern people, should make our Southland one grand garden, the greatest and most progressive section on earth. We should produce every bushel of grain, every pound of meat, every crate of fruit and vegetables, every stick of timber, every pound of metal, in fact every article to be used, raw or manufactured, not alone for home consumption but for export. This may not mean that strenuousness for which the lot auctioneers and ticket sellers crave, but it does mean a wise conservation of our resources and the keeping of a sure-foot-hold on our native heath. Probably the saddest picture and most powerful plea for the restriction of im-

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migration, or the undesirability of immigration, is what is called the re-settlement of New England; the old settler and their descendants have about all been crowded out and a different but not better order of things exist these now. The negro may not be as reliable as he might be, but he is understood and is much more preferable than the garlic-eaters of the old world.

GRANITE QUARRY.

March 7.—We are having some beautiful weather now. V. P. Lentz moved here from Franklin township last week.

John Honbarrier died, Saturday night, and was buried at Christiana church Sunday evening. The funeral services were conducted by the Baptist minister of Faith.

Miss Ivey Cody spent Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and relatives at Misenheimer Springs.

Misses Jennie Safrit and Mary Shaver, of Chestnut Hill, spent Saturday and Sunday with Misses Cleo and Elsie Peeler.

Miss Jessie Russell, of Salisbury, who has been spending several days with her cousin, Miss Ethel Morris, returned home Sunday evening. Contractors M. V. Lefler and J. C. Safrit will soon have the club room completed.

Mrs. Vance Fisher, who has been sick a few days, is out again we are glad to note.

Boone Memorial Association.

The Daniel Boone Memorial Association will meet, April 30th, at "Devil's Den" the site of the old Boone cabin, five miles from Coolemeem, on the Yadkin river. The occasion will be the 141st anniversary of the departure of that hardy old pioneer for the trackless wilds of the "dark and bloody grounds of Kentucky." A basket picnic and fish fry with addresses by Senator Overman, ex-Senator Pritchard, Gov. Kitchen and Congressman Page will be features. Mr. J. R. McCrary, of Lexington, the association's historian asks that any one having articles of interest belonging to pioneer and colonial times to send them for exhibition after which they will be returned. Mr. Louis D. Bulla, of Asheboro, now owns the old gun wipers used by Daniel Boone at the time he traded the coon skin, more than once, for whiskey during one of his celebrated but widely separated visits to civilization. He, however, values it too highly to let it get out of his possession. — Asheboro Courier.

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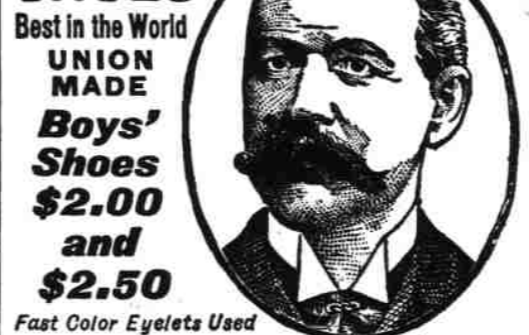
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- Remnant Counter.**
 - Our Buyer picked up some very cheap remnants in White Lawns, Percales, Chambray and Suitings. All going very cheap.
 - White Lawns remnants Worth 10c for..... **5c**
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 - 12c Suiting, dark color, fine for wash skirts. Our cash price is only **5c**
 - Extra good grade of apron Gingham, worth 7c best in short lengths we're selling it for only **5c**
 - Dress Gingham in short lengths, worth 8c for only **5c**
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 - Japonika Silk, worth 85c for only..... **25c**
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 - Shoes and Oxfords.**
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Pursuant to the provisions of a certain mortgage trust deed executed by Jay Wood and Ella Wood to Geo. A. Jackson, trustee, on March 25th, 1908, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Rowan county in Book of Mortgages No. 32, page 202, default having been made in the payment of the mortgage, the said Mortgage Trust Deed was executed to secure the undersigned trustee to sell the premises designed to be sold at public sale at the court house door in Salisbury, N. C., on Saturday, the 19th day of March, 1910, at the hour of 12 M., the following lands:

Beginning at a stake marked a red oak, Dr. B. Wood's corner, thence south 1 deg. east 22 chains to a stake, Johnson's corner, thence north 70 deg. west 5.50 chains to a black gum, Johnson's corner, thence south 84 deg. west 3.50 chains to a black gum, thence north to Jule Wood's line, thence north 89 deg. east to the beginning, containing 2 1/2 acres. See Book of Deeds No. 78, page 321 for back title.

This February 14th, 1910.
G. A. JACKSON, mortgagee and trustee.
John L. Rendleman, attorney.

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State of North Carolina, Rowan county. In the Superior Court, before the Clerk.

John J. Stewart, Adm'r. of Amanda Beaver, vs. Jas. A. Beaver, Mattie V. Beaver, Eugenia M. Beaver, Mamie B. Kerns and husband, Ross Kerns, Georgia B. Brown and husband, Jas. E. Brown, Minnie B. Blackwelder and husband, L. W. Blackwelder and Ruth B. Kenney and husband, Francis J. Kenney.

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NOTICE.

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced before the Clerk of the Superior Court for Rowan county and State of North Carolina by the petitioner, John J. Stewart, Adm'r. of Amanda Beaver; praying that the real estate set out in said petition be sold at public out-cry after due advertisement to make assets with which to pay the debts of said intestate and charges of administration; that the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before the clerk of said court at 10 o'clock A. M., on the 19th day of March, 1910, and answer or demur to the petition in said action or the plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief demanded in said petition.

J. F. McCUBBINS, Clerk Superior Court.

This 15th day of February, 1910. St.

State of North Carolina, Rowan County.

In the Superior Court, before the Clerk.

Essie (Chambers) and husband, Robert Pink Chambers vs. Oliver S. Kern.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced before the clerk of the Superior Court for Rowan county and State of North Carolina by the petitioner, Essie Chambers and husband, Robert Pink Chambers; praying that the real estate set out in said petition be sold at public out-cry in order that the heirs-at-law and next of kin may hold their respective parts in severality; that the said defendant will further take notice that he is required to appear before the clerk of said court at 10 o'clock a. m., on the 9th day of April, 1910, and answer or demur to the petition in said action or the plaintiff will apply to said court for the relief demanded in said petition.

J. F. McCUBBINS, clerk Superior court.

This 8th day of March, 1910. St.

Sale of Valuable Lots.

Pursuant to the provisions of a certain Mortgage Trust Deed executed on September 16th, 1908, by Mary V. Poarch and her husband, S. J. Poarch, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Rowan county in book of mortgages No. 32, page 288, default having been made in the payment of the note for which the said Mortgage Trust Deed was executed to secure, and at the request of the holder of the note thereby secured, the undersigned trustee, will expose for sale at public auction for cash at the court house door in Salisbury, N. C., on Thursday, the 7th day of April 1910, at the hour of 12 M., the following lots:

Two vacant lots adjoining and situate in Southern City, N. C., about 2 1/2 miles northeast from Salisbury on the northwest side of and fronting on Spencer avenue, between the lots of R. Lee Wright and bounded by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning on a stone 80 feet from the southeast corner of Long street and southeast corner of Wright's corner, running thence with Spencer avenue 80 feet south 33 1/2 deg. east to a stone, Wright's corner, thence with Wright's line south 57 deg. west 188 1/2 feet to a 10 foot alley, thence north 33 1/2 deg. west 80 feet to a stone, Wright's corner, thence with his line 165 1/2 feet north 57 deg. east to the beginning stone corner, being lots Nos. 22 and 23 on Heit's map of Southern City.

This March 4th, 1910.
P. N. PEACOCK, trustee.
John L. Rendleman, attorney.

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