The Chatham Record

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1894.

LOCAL RECORDS.

—One pair of good mules and a Nisben wagon for sale by B. Noos, Jr.

—A lot of coffins—walnut, oak and pine—for sale cheap, by B. Noos, Jr.

—Any subscriber to the RECORD can get the *Weekly World* for a year by sending us only 75 cents.

—Just received at Bynum & Headen's one car load Acid Phosphate, one car load *best* riven shingles, and fresh clover seed.

—Just arrived at Bynum & Headen's one car load guano. Flour $3.75 per barrel, also a *very fine flour*. Clover seed. A No. 1 work mule for sale.

—That citizen of Chatham, who does not think the RECORD is worth three cents a week, must indeed be hard to please. Don't you really think so?

—Dr. John H. London, of Chapel Hill, will be at Pittsboro' on Monday, the 12th of March, and remain three days, prepared to do any kind of dental work.

—W. H. Edwards, dentist, of Wake Forest, N. C., can be found in his office at Mrs. Exline's Hotel, on Monday, Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday following third Sunday in each month, prepared to do all kind of dental work.

—Owing to the weight of snow on it, the shed in front of Merritt's drug store fell with a startling crash on last Tuesday, but fortunately nobody was under it at the time. The large windows in the front of the store were broken by the falling timbers.

—One of the most cheering signs of the times in Chatham is the fact that nearly every store in the county has home made bacon for sale. In nearly every store you will find a good lot of nice, juicy Chatham bacon, and this means a great deal.

—Some days ago while they were blasting in grading the Raleigh & Western railroad, in Gulf township, a piece of rock was blown into a small house, in which several kegs of powder were stored, and caused a tremendous explosion, but fortunately not hurting anybody.

—For one week they will make a deduction of 25 per cent on all Hamburg Trimmings, Swiss Embroidery at W. L. London & Son's. They have a very large stock of these goods and they must go. They are offering 100 Shoulder Shawls at 25 cents for choice.

—They are going fast. W. L. London & Son are now offering 200 pairs ladies fine hose at 10 cents per pair. These are nice goods, former prices from 20 to 35 cents, also 1000 yards of nice calicoes at 5 cents per yard, former price 7 cents. These prices will hold good until the 8th of March.

SNOW STORM.—Last Saturday was a very cold, raw day and everybody predicted a snow, and therefore on Sunday morning there was no surprise when, on looking out, everything was seen covered with snow and the fleecy flakes were still floating down. And all day Sunday the snow, sleet and hail continued to pour down with fierce fury and pitiless severity, making a day long to be remembered and forcibly impressing upon all who were exposed to it a realistic idea of what a western blizzard must be. The temperature became very cold, the thermometer during Saturday night indicating as low as 18 degrees above zero. The depth of the snow was about six inches on a level.

The snow covered quite an extended area, being several inches deep at Augusta, Georgia, and even two or three inches at Wilmington, while in Tennessee, Virginia and States farther north it was much deeper and the cold more intense, being several degrees below zero in the State of New York.

PERSONAL ITEMS.—Rev. B. A. Poe, who removed from this county to Burke county about 35 years ago, is on a visit to his old home. He is a son of the late Ransom Poe, who resided about four miles north-west of this place.

Our young townsman, Mr. Ross I. Hill, has gone to Washington to apply for a position in one of the government departments.

On next Sunday ex sheriff S. W. Brewer and Dr. H. T. Chapin will be ordained deacons in the Baptist church at this place. The pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. Cobb, will be assisted in the ordination services by Rev. Dr. Hume, of Chapel Hill.

We are requested to announce, and it gives us much pleasure to do so, that Rev. Dr. Hume will deliver a lecture in the Baptist church, at this place, on next Saturday night. A rare intellectual treat is in store for those who hear it.

Ex sheriff Spence Taylor has been appointed a special deputy collector in this State and South Carolina.

Mr. W. R. Hunter, who has been the railroad agent here ever since the completion of the road in December, 1886, has been offered and has accepted the agency of the S. A. L. at Aberdeen, where his salary will be about twice as much as it was here. This is a very complimentary promotion, as it came unsolicited, and it is certainly a very deserved one. By his efficiency and uniform courtesy Mr. Hunter has made many friends here, who regret his departure and yet are pleased at his promotion.

A Fatal Explosion!

Boiler Exploded at Gulf—Two Men Killed—Others Narrowly Escaped—A Sickening Scene, &c.

On last Thursday the boiler at the steam saw mill of Mr. M. J. Jordan, near Gulf in this county, suddenly exploded and killed two men, and several others narrowly escaped a horrible death. The killed were two colored men, one of whom was the fireman. They were killed so suddenly and quickly that they never knew what killed them, the tops of their heads being blown off and their "brains blown out" literally and scattered on the ground. A more horrible sight and a more complete wreck cannot well be imagined and was sickening even to old soldiers who had witnessed the carnage of battle fields. The boiler was encased in rock and mortar and when it exploded the rocks were hurled in all directions, and the boiler itself was blown all to pieces and scattered around for a considerable distance, pieces weighing 500 pounds being hurled several hundred yards. And yet strange to say there were several men standing near, some only 15 or 20 feet from the boiler, who escaped unhurt or only slightly shocked by the explosion, although large rocks and pieces of the boiler were hurled with terrific force all around them. Why all of them were not instantly killed seems simply miraculous. Mr. Jordan, the owner of the mill, was standing at the log carriage, about 15 feet distant from the boiler, and was knocked down by the concussion but escaped unhurt, except a slight bruise on the back of his head. Mr. George Frasier was standing near Mr. Jordan talking to him about a bill of lumber, and he also was knocked down by the force of the explosion and his right cheek slightly skinned by a piece of the boiler and his shoulder grazed by a flying rock. Mr. Isaac J. Bynum, who was quite near, escaped without even a bruise, as also did Mr. Colon Snipes, the sawyer, who only five minutes before the explosion had been on top of the boiler for some purpose.

The windows in Mr. Jordan's dwelling, about 200 yards distant, were shattered by the concussion and the doors forced open. A hole was knocked in the roof of the dwelling by a large rock. The noise of the explosion was heard several miles, and jarred the buildings at Gulf, over half a mile distant. The roof or covering of the saw mill was blown away and scattered all around. The engine was almost entirely ruined, and Mr. Jordan's total pecuniary loss was considerable, amounting to several hundred dollars.

We happened to be at Gulf on the day of the explosion, arriving there about half an hour after it occurred, and found the good people of that usually quiet place much excited over the horrible accident that had just happened. The scene at the mill was appalling and will never be forgotten by those who witnessed it. It was certainly one of the most terrible accidents that has ever occurred in this county, and it was only by a merciful and almost miraculous dispensation of Providence that it was not worse and did not kill all the persons who so narrowly escaped.

CHATHAM COAL.—We are pleased to know that the coal deposits in this county are now attracting much attention and are being successfully developed. For several years the Egypt coal mine has been extensively worked, and recently expensive machinery has been added to its plant which will greatly increase the output of this valuable mine. Under the intelligent management of Mr. S. A. Henszey, the energetic president of the Egypt Coal Company, that mine will now do a large business. The coal found there is bituminous, but higher up Deep river, on the old Evans place, an excellent quality of semi anthracite coal is now being mined. This coal is within a short distance (about 200 yards) of the Glendon & Gulf railroad, recently constructed from Gulf up Deep river eight miles, and is being worked by the Black Diamond Coal Company, a corporation of Philadelphia capitalists. Two or three shafts have been sunk to the depth of about 100 feet, and the prospects are very encouraging for a deposit of coal in large quantities. These shafts are sunk quite near the mine that was worked during the war, and the coal from which was burned by the blockade runners that plied between Wilmington and Nassau. And it was for the want of this semi-anthracite coal that the famous blockade runner, the "Advance", was compelled on its last trip to use bituminous coal, which caused its capture, because its dense black smoke enabled the Federal steamers to follow and overtake it.

A good deal of this coal has recently been shipped to Raleigh and other points, and is pronounced by experts to be of the very best quality. And by the way we notice that several newspapers have called it Carbonton coal from Moore county, whereas it is Chatham coal about a mile and a half from the Moore county line. We made a hurried visit to this property last Thursday and found quite a large number of men employed at the mine, which was a scene of bustling activity.

—Don't you reckon the groundhog, when it saw last Sunday's storm, was glad it had gone back into its winter-quarters on the 2nd of February? And when you felt Sunday's cold, did'nt you begin to think that, after all, there must be some truth in the ground hog tradition?

A VISIT TO GULF.—We made a hurried visit to Gulf, in this county, a few days ago, and were pleased to note the improvements being made at that ancient place. We say ancient, because it is one of the oldest places in this country, having been settled before the Revolutionary war and Wilcox's mill there was a noted place nearly a century and a half ago. The name "Gulf" was given this place because of a deep hole in Deep river there. Several times the hopes of its citizens have been raised only to be disappointed. When the plank road was constructed there from Fayetteville, nearly fifty years ago, the citizens of Gulf confidently expected that place to become quite an important point. Again, when coal was discovered all around there bright visions filled the minds of its citizens, but the want of transportation facilities checked the development of the coal discoveries. Then the illusory scheme of making Deep river navigable buoyed up their hopes, only to be disappointed by the failure of that project. Finally, about fifteen years ago, the C. F. & Y. V. railroad was extended from Egypt to Gulf and then the latter place at once built up rapidly and became one of the most important stations on that road between Fayetteville and Greensboro'. Some of the most prosperous merchants in the county do business there, and more cotton is shipped from there than from any other point in this county.

The future of this old place is now bright, and its citizens can now reasonably expect their long delayed hopes to be realized. It is becoming quite a railroad centre and will soon have abundant transportation facilities. In addition to the C. F. & Y. V. railroad another and a competing railroad is now being constructed. It is the Raleigh & Western railroad and will be a connecting line between the Richmond & Danville system at Asheboro' and the Seaboard Air Line at Colon, near Sanford. About ten miles have been graded and a considerable force is rapidly pushing on the work. The roadbed will be graded as far as Harper's X Roads by June, and possibly the entire distance to Asheboro' by Christmas. Besides this new road the Glendon & Gulf Mining and Manufacturing Company, in order to develop its mineral properties, has constructed a railroad from Gulf up the Valley of Deep river a distance of eight miles. The building of these two roads have been and will be of great benefit to Gulf and the surrounding country.

Recently a valuable stone quarry has been opened near Gulf and is being worked by a Norfolk company. A train road has been built to the quarry from the C. F. & Y. V. railroad. Another and important improvement at Gulf is the Roller mill put up last fall by Mr. J. M. Melver, which is making as fine flour as can be had anywhere. Already it has an extensive patronage and wheat is shipped there from distant counties along the C. F. & Y. V. railroad.

For the RECORD.

Letter From South Carolina.

ANDERSON, S. C., Feb 24, 1894.

EDITOR RECORD:—Well, things are quiet here now, but these people have no confidence in each other. They will go around town to see where they can get the cheapest bargains and then they will trade and they do a heap of it, they don't care for the people in these towns; it ought not to be so, but nevertheless it is so all the same, but they are good people, I think.

An old gentleman near here got his barn burned a few nights since. Eleven head of mules and horses, forty head of cattle (some fine milk cows among them), and all his feed and corn was burned up in the barn. He had two fine blooded horses he had bought this winter that he valued at $800. He told me he did not mind the loss so much as he did the groans of the horses and the bellowing of the cattle. He said he had lost one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, first and last, but nothing bothered him like this. He had a very large barn, and had five hundred dollars insurance on his barn. He said he had had two thousand dollars on it but that they charged him so much that he thought he would drop some of it. The barn caught on fire about 3 o'clock in the morning, but no one can make him believe that anyone set fire to his barn. He claims that he has no such an enemy as that, but the people here think that it was the work of an incendiary. He thinks some tramps came along, went in the barn to shelter, lay down and for some reason struck a match and it caught on fire in that way. I spent the day with him some time ago. He is able to buy more stock. He has thirty more cattle that were out of the barn at the time of the fire.

Some of the peach trees here are in full bloom, but I expect a cold wave will come from off the mountains and kill them. It is very cold here this morning.

I have got a fine grandson up here. He is one of the finest babies in the State. Most all the ladies come to see him almost every day.

I got a man to walk with me the other day and we walked 12 miles. No more long walks for me soon. I could see over in North Carolina when I was on the mountain. I asked my companion how far it was, he said it was 70 miles. I told him that I did not think that it was that far; he said he knew, for he went there almost every summer. We can see the snow on the mountains from Anderson.

The Alliance here has gone out of politics. They are meeting around to see what they can do.

A man here has brought a suit against a lady for breach of promise. She promised, to marry him and then engaged herself to another man and now the first one has sued her for breach of promise. She is said to be fine looking, but there are fine hundred of them in Anderson. I think that the man that brought the suit is foolish; I would not want a woman that would act that way—that is so fickle. There are too many good and true women in the world for that. Yours,

R. G. EURANKS.

For the RECORD.

Why Farming is a Failure.

Many farmers toil on year after year, and wonder why it is they can never accumulate more than a bare living. The fact that such a state of affairs should exist in a land so prosperous and fertile as ours, goes to show that the management is radically wrong. It is not because you do not labor hard enough, or because your crops are not productive enough. We think one great trouble with many farmers lies in the fact that through the winter months they feed the profits to their horses, etc., when they are not earning them one cent.

Now, we think by pursuing the following methods, this leak and loss of profits could be greatly overcome: Devote a portion of your lands to raising clover, grasses and forage plants, for hay and pastures. By so doing you can have plenty of good hay to feed your stock during winter, which will keep them in good condition, without so much grain, thereby saving the corn and oats; also by having plenty of good pasture to graze your stock on during the summer and fall; thereby shortening the time of feeding, and keeping the horses in good working order without any grain, thus saving the grain that you now feed during the summer and fall. Better still, your lands will increase in fertility, so that your hay and pastures will increase in quantity and quality, also your grain crops will double in yield; thereby making double the amount of grain that you do make under the present way of farming, also saving one half the grain that you now feed, which would be a considerable item in the prosperity of our farmers.

The season for corn planting will soon be at hand, and preparations therefore should be begun early, that the corn may be put in the ground early and in the best possible condition, yet, in order to plant early, the ground should not be broken when too wet; better plant late than have the ground stirred in such a condition.

In cultivating the crop it is very important to begin stirring the soil very early, even before the corn all comes up will have its advantages all the better. This destroys myriads of weed seeds at the period of germination, when most easily destroyed, and by thus early stirring the soil it is kept from packing by too long standing unstirred, waiting for the corn to get sufficiently high for plowing. The above mentioned stirring is best done with a barrow. Plow deep at the first cultivation, as it lets in air and warmth to the roots better; after which give shallow, level cultivation. I believe our farmers should test new varieties of grains and vegetables. It is plain enough that no farmer can profitably try all of the new varieties of grain and vegetables which are brought to his attention. It is equally evident that he ought not to grow the old sorts year after year to the exclusion of all the newer kinds. What should be done is to test a few of the most promising recent introductions. The testing of new varieties is an excellent line of work for neighborly co-operation. By a half dozen farmers living near each other may each try a kind of potatoes or corn, or some other crop, different from what either of them has ever grown before, and at the end of the year each one, though he has personally had but one kind, can be in possession of the main facts which he wishes to know regarding six of the leading new varieties. The cost of such a test will be small and the experiment will be of almost as much value to each individual as would have been a personal test of all the new varieties. Good selected and tested seeds are productive of large and healthy yields.

In the last three years, since we came to this country, we have seeded forty five acres to clover and grasses, and have bought, this spring, $20 worth of clover and grass seed to sow. If every farmer had done even as well on the line, as we have, this country would have a small beginning in grass culture. This is the only way that this country will ever become prosperous and self supporting, but I am afraid it will have a change hands before this work is done.

P. T. WOLFF.

Mr. Wolff Highly Endorsed.

From the Wilmington Star, Feb. 25th.

The last issue of the Chatham Record contains an interesting communication on the subject of grass culture, written by Mr. P. T. Wolff, who writes like a man who knows what he is writing about and means every word of it. He starts out with this broad declaration: "More grass—more cattle, more cattle—more manure; more manure—more money. No grass, no cattle; no manure, no grain; no grain, no money."

This is putting it pretty strong, but it is almost literally true. Of course the writer does not mean that the farmer who does not raise grass cannot raise anything else and can make no money, but he means, and it is true, that there can be no successful nor profitable farming in this or in any other country where the value of grass is not appreciated and where its cultivation is neglected. He takes the position that grass is the foundation of successful agriculture. He is right, and illustrates by calling attention to the fact that the most prosperous agricultural sections both in this country and in Europe, the sections where the farming lands command the highest prices, are those where the most attention is given to the cultivation of the grasses.

Mr. Alexander Creech, one of Raleigh's oldest merchants, died last Sunday.

The Raleigh Christian Advocate and the Western North Carolina Advocate have been consolidated, and the new paper will be published at Greensboro.

Pleasant Grove Methodist church, in Lincoln county, was burned on Friday evening, the 23rd. A singing had been held in the church and the fire in the stove was not properly looked after before the crowd left. The loss is about $1,000. There was no insurance.

The Farmers' State Agricultural Society of Alabama which has been in session at Birmingham, decided to recommend to Alabama farmers that they reduce the acreage of cotton 20 per cent, and to substitute for this reduction crops that will supply home consumption.

Rev. Dr. W. S. Black has been appointed by Bishop Duncan to succeed the late Rev. Dr. S. D. Adams, as Presiding Elder of the Warrenton District of the North Carolina Conference. Dr. Black has accepted and it is understood that he will at once tender his resignation as Superintendent of the Oxford Orphan Asylum.

Probably one of the largest orders ever received by a North Carolina lumber firm is now being filled by a lumber company of Aberdeen. It has closed a contract to furnish a firm in Pittsburg, Pa., with four million feet of lumber in the next four months. Aberdeen does the largest lumber business in the State. It is said that no less than 3,000 solid cars of freight were shipped from that point last month.

Rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, toothache and sprained arm cured. Mr. Jas. E. Murray, Sandy Springs, Md., writes: "I have used Salvation Oil with success for rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago and toothache. I received a fall during the winter spraining my left arm so that I couldn't lift it up. I used Salvation Oil by rubbing and bandaging, and in two weeks was able to go to work. It is an excellent liniment."

For the Intelligent Voter

the coming year will be fraught with more interest than a campaign. By what is done this winter the fate of parties and the history of government will be determined.

The most valuable paper that comes to this office is the New York World. Fearless and Independent, working at all times for the best interests of the people, and never for the selfish ends of any ring or individual, supporting the right and condemning the wrong wherever found, it becomes a great power for good throughout the land. Its policy is defined by its well known motto: "Equal rights to all, special favors to none." The reputation of the Weekly World as an incomparable newspaper is fully established. It reaches for the very best and fullest news of the entire country, and gets it. The celebrated "Tariff Mole" articles are again running in their weekly and are creating widespread attention. Its miscellaneous pages are replete with articles of valuable and interesting information to every one. It is a large 12 page Sunburst paper for only $1 a year. We have succeeded in making special arrangements by which we can furnish the RECORD and the *Weekly World* one year both for only $2.25. Address the RECORD, Pittsboro, N. C.

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☞ Notices of deaths and marriages inserted free. Obituaries charged with cents a line.

PHILLIPS.—On Tuesday, Feb. 20, 1894, Ann Eliza Phillips, aged 19 years, 3 months and 16 days.

A child of sorrow, a weary pilgrim, a loving daughter, affectionate member of Upper Creek Baptist church, near Harper's X Roads. The writer performed the last rite to a congregation of large and tearfully affected by the loss. May God's richest and great support the father and disconsolate mother in their affliction. O. L. EDWARDS.

New Advertisements.

LAND SALE.—ON THE FIRST MONDAY in APRIL, 1894, we will offer for sale, at the court house door in Pittsboro', Chatham county, N. C., 22 acres of land, the same being a part of the tract of land of Lloyd Mann, deceased, now owned by J. L. Burns and Anderson Morris, and being more fully described in a deed of trust executed by said Burns and Morris to Sarah Stroud, William Albright, Oliver Lambe and others, which is duly registered.

W. WORTH HAYES,
Agent for J. L. and ANDERSON MORRIS.
March 1, 1894.

LAND SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF the order of the Superior court of Chatham county, I will offer for sale, at the house of Lucy Lambe, in Pittsboro', on the first MONDAY in APRIL, 1894, all the right, title and interest which the heirs of the late C. F. Lambe have in the following tracts of land, viz: William J. Cockerham's, Thos. Perry and others, on the following terms, viz: One third cash, balance in twelve months with interest, with approved security, and the land will be sold every day thereafter until all is sold.

T. B. WOMACK,
Commissioner.
March 1, 1894.

LAND SALE.—BY VIRTUE OF an order of the Superior court of Chatham county, I will offer for sale, at the court house door in Pittsboro', on the first MONDAY in APRIL, 1894, the following tract of land, belonging to the estate of T. C. Moore, situated in the Baldwin township, near Bonlee station, adjoining the lands of John Thomas, C. Moore and others, containing 50 acres, more or less. Terms of sale: One third cash, balance in two equal annual payments, with approved security, and the land will be sold every day thereafter until all is sold.

T. W. SEARS, Commissioner.
Mar. 1, 1894.

MORTGAGE SALE.—BY VIRTUE of a mortgage executed to the undersigned by A. H. Brooks, which is of record in the office of the register of deeds for Chatham county, in book "S S," page 501, we will sell for cash, at the court house door in Pittsboro', N. C., on public sale, on the 12th day of MARCH, 1894, the following described land, to wit: Adjoining the lands of the Miller heirs and others, in Cape Fear township, Chatham county, N. C., containing 50 acres, more or less, and being the same land conveyed to said Brooks by deed of trust recorded in said register's office.

McREE & WEATHERBURN,
A. L. McNEILL, Attorney.
March 1, 1894.

IMPORTANT SALE!

By virtue of an order of the superior court of Chatham county, made in the special proceeding for partition wherein Charles C. Burns et al. are petitioners and J. W. Cole and others are defendants, I shall sell in order for sale at public auction at the court house door of PITTSBORO', on MONDAY, the 26th day of APRIL, 1894, that valuable real estate in said county, known as the old

Silas Burns' Mill,

containing about one and a quarter acres, together with the water power, the mill, machinery, and the old home place of Silas Burns, near to Moncure, containing about 8 acres.

Terms—One third cash, balance in six and twelve months with interest.

R. A. LONDON,
Commissioner.
March 1, 1894.

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NOTICE.—HAVING QUALIFIED AS EXECUTORS of the last will and testament of J. C. Scott, deceased, late of Chatham county, N. C., we hereby notify all persons holding claims against said deceased to exhibit the same to us for payment, and all persons indebted to said deceased are requested to make immediate payment.

J. A. SCOTT,
J. C. SCOTT.
Feb. 15, 1894.

DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Thomas & Thomas, at Carbonton, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and the new firm of Lyon & Thomas will pay all the debts.

CLEVELAND THOMAS,
W. G. LYON.
Feb. 15, 1894.

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January 11, 1894.

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We are informed that some unscrupulous wagon makers, or their agents, are selling wagons which they claim are the same or as good as ours.

Because there are different factories close together is no reason they should make any same quality of work than any other factory in this county and if you want the best, see that it bears the name of J. I. Nissen, and do not be deceived by any one saying theirs is as good. We use the best material, best workmen, and finish all our work by hand. And guarantee every wagon to give perfect satisfaction. To meet the scarcity of money we have just reduced the price.

If you want a buggy made, call on our agent, W. L. Loftus & Son, Pittsboro, N. C.

We lead, others follow. Round hound lightning day.

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In effect December 3d, 1893.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

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Leave		Leave	
"	[illegible]	"	4.45
"	[illegible]	"	5.12
"	2.15	"	2.15
Arrive	[illegible]	Arrive	1.20
"	[illegible]	"	1.45

NORTH BOUND CONNECTIONS.

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Dec. 28, 1893.

MORTGAGE SALE.—BY VIRTUE of a mortgage executed to me by J. J. [illegible] and wife, which is of record in the register of deeds office for Chatham county, in book [illegible], page [illegible], I will sell for cash, at the court house door in Pittsboro', on SATURDAY, the 10th day of MARCH, 1894, the following described land, to wit: [illegible] containing 150 acres, and adjoining the lands of W. A. Harper and others.

J. W. O'KELLY.
February 15, 1894.