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Couple Have 21 Children

A family of twenty-one children has been found in Santa Rosa county, Fla. The father, J. H. Taylor, is a preacher, farmer and merchant at Berrydale, twelve miles north of Milton, the county seat, and the last of his family consisted of twin boys who were born on January 21. The whole family, it is stated, live within a few miles of the old homestead, and a very singular fact is that neither of the parents is yet out of their forties. They both appear to be in the best of health, and Rev. Mr. Taylor, in Milton the other day, stated that they were all happy and that they were "trusting in the Lord to continue in His shower of blessings upon them." They had always been happy, he said, had always continued in good health, and hoped to so continue.

County Homes

Wilson county is certainly to be commended for its action this week when it sold the present county home for the purpose of erecting a modern one. There are unfortunates in every county whom the county has to care for—folks who are disabled in body and feeble in mind oftentimes. Indeed the large per cent of those who come to be supported by the county are defectives in one way or another. Perhaps if they had been endowed with full faculties their last days would not be spent in a county home. But the commendable thing is to take care of these people properly. Those of us who have our heating systems, lighting system and bath room conveniences can hardly conceive what it would mean to have to look after twenty or thirty or more partially helpless men and women with open fires, kerosene lamps and a well in the yard.—Smithfield Herald.

Catches Live Hawk

The Siler City Grit states that Mr. C. C. Cheek, while spending a few days with his mother and sisters at Ore Hill, upon hearing a great commotion among the chickens in the back yard, went out to investigate. He found a large hawk among them and attempted to frighten it away, but it refused to leave and showed fight, whereupon Mr. Cheek, without gun, club, rock or any other implement of warfare, proceeded to capture the hawk with his bare hands. It was a fine specimen and measured three feet from tip to tip.

East Durham Baptist church, of which Rev. H. F. Brinson, formerly pastor at Smithfield, is pastor, plans to erect a building to cost \$40,000.

Hamlet will vote in March on \$100,000 bonds for school improvement.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine. Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by millions of sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts three times as fast as the mucous membrane, expelling the mucus from the sinus and preventing the disease from returning.

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The Wandering Boy

Printed by Request.

Out in the cold, far away from home,
Somebody's boy is wandering alone,
No one to guide him or keep his foot-
steps right,
Somebody's boy is homeless tonight.

CHORUS:

Bring back to me my wandering boy,
There's no other left to give me joy,
Tell him his mother, with faded cheek
and hair

At the old home is waiting him there.
Search for him and bring him back to me;

Far, far away, wherever he may be,
Tell him his mother at the old home is waiting there.

Well do I remember the parting words
he said,
We'll meet where no farewell tears are shed,

There'll be no goodbyes in that bright
land so fair,
When I come with life, I'll meet you
up there.

O, could I see him and fold him to my
breast,

There's no other left to give me joy,
Bring back to me my wandering boy.

Out in the hallway there's a vacant
chair,
Yonder, the shoes he used to wear,
Empty the cradle that once he loved so
well,

Oh, how I miss him, no one can tell.
Can I forget him or cease to hold him
dear?

He was my boy when once he was here,
Although he wandered in darkness and
sie,
Bring him to me, I'll welcome him in.

Commissioner's Sale of Land

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Chatham county, N. C., in a certain special proceeding therein pending, entitled *Georges W. Rives, executor of Wiley Alston, deceased, vs John McIver Alston*, the undersigned commissioner will, on

Monday, March 29, 1920,

at 12 o'clock m., sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the court house door in Pittsboro, N. C., that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in Hickory Mountain township, Chatham county, N. C., adjoining the lands of M. A. Cockman, P. G. Dixon, Ed Cook and others, containing 50 3/4 acres, more or less, and being the lands owned by the late Wiley Alston, deceased, at the time of his death, and fully described and defined by the title deeds by which he held the same.

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It Pays to "MAKE YOUR OWN PAINT"

Kinston business women are planning the organization of a Chamber of Commerce. It may have another name but its purposes will be the same.

The Farmville school board has let contract to J. W. Stout for erection of high school building containing 24 rooms to cost \$125,000.



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Total	\$1,188,568.29

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Capital stock	\$ 25,000.00
Undivided profits	29,529.53
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Valuable Land to Be Sold at Auction

On Saturday, February 28, I will offer for sale, on terms to suit the purchaser, the place known as the Beckwith land, consisting of 141 acres with some cleared lands and a lot of pine and oak timber on the uncleared part. This land is well situated, being near several churches and good schools, about 1 1/2 miles from Farmington station in Williams township, Chatham county, N. C., and is on a public road. This is an agreed sale for among three heirs, and it will be in separate lots and a week on the premises. The sale will begin at 12 o'clock on the premises.
This February 8, 1920.
N. J. WILSON.