

The Tarboro Southener.

BE SURE YOU ARE RIGHT; THEN GO AHEAD.—D. Crockett

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TARBORO, N. C. THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1910.

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AN OLD ADAGE SAYS

"A light purse is a heavy curse." Sickness makes a light purse. The liver is the seat of nine tenths of all disease.

Tutt's Pills

go to the root of the whole matter, thoroughly, quickly and restore the action of the liver to normal condition.

Give tone to the system and solid flesh to the body. Take No Substitute.

FREY'S VERMIFUGE

is the same good, old-fashioned medicine that has saved the lives of little children for the past 60 years. It is a medicine made to cure. It has never been known to fail. If your child is sick get a bottle of FREY'S VERMIFUGE.

A FINE TONIC FOR CHILDREN. Do not take a substitute. If your drug store does not keep it, send twenty-five cents in stamps to

H. S. FREY, Baltimore, Md., and a bottle will be mailed you.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage, executed to the undersigned, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Edgecombe County, N. C. in Book 112, page 490, I shall sell for cash at the Court House door in Tarboro, N. C. on Thursday, the 31st day of March, 1910, a certain piece of parcel of land, lying and being in said County and State, and in Tarboro, adjoining the lands of Ned Hudson and others, described as follows: being a part of that numbered 8 in the division of certain lands, a report of which is recorded in said office in Book 63, page 4, and beginning at the Western corner of said lot at the intersection of Panola and Baker streets, thence running in a southerly direction along said Panola street fifty feet to Ned Hudson's corner; thence in an easterly direction perpendicular to said Panola street one hundred and fifty feet cornering thence in northerly direction in a line parallel with said Panola street, fifty feet to said Baker street, thence in a westerly direction along said Baker street one hundred and fifty feet to the beginning. Reference is hereby made to said mortgage for a particular description of said land.

HENRY JOHNSTON, March 1, 1910.

NOTICE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust recorded in Book 146, Page 331, Edgecombe County Registry and executed on the 13th day of April, 1909, by Frank Battle and wife to the undersigned, I shall sell at public auction, for cash to the highest bidder, at the court house door in Tarboro, North Carolina, on Tuesday, 12th day of April, 1910 at one o'clock P. M., the following piece, parcel or lot of land lying and being in the County of Edgecombe, in the State of North Carolina, and described as follows: "Being situated in the town of Whitakers, N. C., and lying on the south side of the road leading from said town to the farm formerly owned by Wiley Bradley, deceased, and being the identical land conveyed to said Frank P. Battle by H. J. Wheelock and containing about one acre, the said deed of conveyance from the said Wheelock to said Battle being duly recorded in Book 135, Page 52, Edgecombe County Registry, to which deed reference is had:

This the 8th day of March, 1910.

E. B. GRANTHAM, Trustee.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

By virtue of the powers and directions contained in a judgment rendered in the civil action entitled W. C. Proctor, et al., pending in the Superior Court of Edgecombe County, we will on the 9th day of April, 1910, at 2 p. m., in the city of Rocky Mount, N. C., sell at Public Auction that certain tract of land known as the Lindsay Bullock home place, bounded by the lands of John Bishop on the South; by W. R. Cox's steam mill farm on the West; by the Minnie place, and North by Tar River, containing 480 acres more or less.

Terms of Sale—One third cash and balance in two equal payments, one and two years from date of sale, with interest on deferred payments at 6 per cent per annum. The deferred payments to be evidenced by notes of purchaser and secured by first lien on the land.

This March 8th, 1910.

T. T. THORNE, JACOB BATTLE, Commissioners.

Progressive Tea.

Except in attendance the progressive tea given by the William Dorsey Pender Chapter U. D. C., for the benefit of the Wyatt Fountain fund was a pronounced success Thursday evening. The homes of the hostesses were beautifully decorated with an appropriate taste that was exquisite.

The refreshments served, were all that an epicure could ask and the music and recitations were in keeping with the occasion and the charming women who planned them.

But there was no great turnout of the people, whether due to want of civic pride for the memorial fountain is to be given to the city and county, or because the public overlooked the occasion, one cannot say, but it was probably the latter. But anyway the Fountain Fund is \$27.90 larger than it was before and this is some progress and some more.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder. It cures painful, smarting, nervous feet, and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Ease makes tight or new shoes feel easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous, itchy, aching feet. Always use it to Break in New shoes. Try it today. Sold everywhere. By mail for 25 cents in stamps. Don't accept any substitutes. For FREE trial package, address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Trial Moved.

After trying all day Friday to obtain a jury and securing only two to try E. E. Powell for the killing of Policeman Dunn, Judge Ward finally granted the motion of Powell's counsel to move the case to another county and made Warren the county.

Sam Taylor Killed.

Washington, March 31. Samuel G. Taylor, a member of a prominent family here was shot and killed in a resort on the outskirts of this place last night. Three shots were fired by Carl Kelly, all into the body of Taylor. Taylor, on being shot started to make his way to a hospital, but fell and died before reaching it.

Kelly left the scene of the shooting in great haste and was chased by a posse with dogs. Automobiles also joined in the pursuit. Kelly made his escape, but later telephoned the sheriff from his residence in this city.

A strong guard was placed about the jail after Kelly had been lodged therein, an excitement was intense. But no attempt was made on the jail.

The cause of the killing has not been ascertained, but it is said that a woman was at the bottom of it.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh

That Contain Mercury. As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescription from a reputable physician.

Town Topics.

We are asked "Is your town a unit or a collection of units." There are over 5,000 units, but so far they have not been collected.

The value of a visitor is said to be worth five dollars a day to a town. Not unless he goes away with praise on his lips, and surely our hotels are not praise incubators.

Men who claim to believe in the development of their towns so long as others do the work and put up the money, are in danger of an attack of neuritis of the pocket book.

With the meekness that who can't help opportunity knock and the willing committee blind who can never see the dust Opportunity raises in race for live towns, is it any wonder that such towns have civic malaria.

Saved From the Grave.

"I had about given up hope, after nearly four years of suffering from a severe lung trouble," writes Mrs. M. L. Dix, of Clarksville, Tenn. "Often the pain in my chest would be almost unbearable and I could not do any work, but Dr. King's New Discovery has made me feel like a new person. Its best medicine for the throat and lungs." Oysterine coughs, stubborn colds, hay fever, laryngitis, asthma, croup, bronchitis and hemorrhages, hoarseness and whooping cough yield quickly to this wonderful medicine. Try it 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by W. H. MacNair.

—Dunbar butter, the best made, always fresh at Hub Grocery Co.

—Just received complete line of 1 crystal Patent Cots Oxford for Crockett Oxfords, Robertson-Buffin Co.

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To Form Local Option League.

Editor Southerner:

Doubtless you have noticed the criticisms of the State press and the individual communications regarding the local option, that was held here on the 26th of February, which was addressed by Hon. W. A. Self, of Hickory. There will be another meeting called in April to organize a Self government or local option league in all the townships of Vance, and a committee of three will be appointed in each to secure the names of all voters who favor the repeal of the prohibition law. (Now on the statute books of North Carolina.) which will give the people the right to decide whether liquors shall be manufactured, sold or prohibited in their respective counties. This is self government, to deprive them of this right is contrary to the principles of a Democratic government.

Those behind the movement are not soakers or sots, neither are they demagogues seeking office at the hands of the people, but are sober, thoughtful and conservative, but they do contend that prohibition has created more unrest and lawlessness in the State than any law ever enacted, and it is a fraud and farce upon the people.

The people realize they have been deceived by demagogues of both parties who posing as moralists made prohibition their slogan, on which to ride into office, thus there were more politics than morals or religion. The people of Vance intend fighting prohibition throughout the coming campaign and will vote for no man as candidate for the Legislature unless he pledges himself to vote for the repeal of the onerous law. Republicans and democrats are a unit on this question; they've ignored politics and are working harmoniously together. Let others do as they choose, the people of Vance will carry the county by several hundred votes in favor of Local Option.

COLEMAN MACNAIR.

Henderson, March 29th.

The Call of the Blood.

In purgation, finds voice in pimple, boils, sallow complexion, a jaundiced look, moth patches and blotches on the skin, are all signs of liver trouble. But Dr. King's New Life Pills make rich red blood; give clear skin, rosy cheeks, fine complexion, health. Try them. 25 cents at W. H. MacNair's.

North Carolina Patents.

Granted this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. Wallace B. Davis, Asheville, window look; Benjamin F. Massey, Charlotte, extension car-step; Archibald McGilchrist, Graphville, brake for steam vessels; Geo. F. Robertson, Charlotte, Fountain pen filler; E. E. Shore and W. T. Wilson, Rural Hall, drying rack for hay; Thomas A. Weston, Arden, friction clutch. For copy of any of above patents send ten cents in postage stamps with date of this paper to C. O. Snow & Co., Washington, D. C.

Justice Brewer's Death.

It is inevitable that the death of Justice Brewer should reopen discussion of the Supreme Court's attitude in the Anti-Trust cases. This is so for the reason that Justice Brewer's was the casting vote in the Court in its important Northern Securities decision in 1904. In a bench of nine, four justices had found for the company in that appeal case and four against it. Justice Brewer added his voice to the formal decision for the dissolution of the merger but his opinion ran upon lines so different from that of the other four justices whose conclusion was similar, that it was welcomed even by Wall Street. He dissented from many of the more sweeping conclusions of these four associates, contending that Congress did not intend by that (Anti-Trust) act to reach and restrain all trade which destroyed those minor contracts in particular course of decisions as common law affirmed were reasonable and ought to be upheld. But he contended that an admission made before the Court by counsel for the company that "if the parties interested in these two railroad companies, can through the instrumentality of a holding company, place both under one control," then through the same machinery, "could the control of all the railroad companies in the country be placed in a single corporation," and the conceivable result might be that "a single corporation, whose stock was owned by three or four parties, would be in practical control of the whole transportation system of the country." For this reason Justice Brewer found against the company. — New York Evening Post.

Worse Than Bullets.

Bullets have often caused loss suffering to soldiers than the scum L. W. Harrison, Burlington, Me., got in the army and suffered with the years. "But Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me when all else failed," he writes. Greatest healer for Sores, Ulcers, Boils, Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Bruises and Piles. 25 cents at W. H. MacNair's.

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EXPERIENCES OF A PREACHER

(By a Teacher.)

Part II. Did you ever think that it took a man with a good digestion to be a Methodist preacher, and especially a circuit rider. Of course it is understood that a successful minister must visit, and visit not only the good old country homes where he sold delicious pure butter, juicy ham and good old-time mufins and buttermilk blintzes, but he must also go the other way where he gets soft white butter, rancid meat and "cart-wheel" blintzes.

For the average country member, to think you are the kind of a preacher that you ought to be, you must at least take one meal with them during the year. And in speaking of these things, it isn't with an idea of mockery of our rural districts, for some of the best, most hospitable homes, some of the purest people of our land are found in these country. At a preacher very soon discovers some people, who would have been benefited by a cooking school, or two or three lessons in elementary cleanliness.

On one occasion in the month of August my father went to a home to visit one of his sick members, and the lady of the house, being so urgent in her request, he decided to take supper with them before returning home. But alas, he couldn't just know the trend of affairs.

The evening passed very pleasantly and it wasn't long before supper was announced. The dining room and kitchen proved to be one room of just ordinary size, with a temperature of about ninety degrees, and, in the words of my father: "The table was indeed a temptation—from which to run, a feast for the Gods—or of swine." There were eight who sat down to partake of that supper, served from flaming red cloths and there were sixteen blintzes—"Pound-cake" four inches in diameter—distributed over the table in four plates for their benefit. At one end there was a pot of enormous size filled with squash, that smelled strongly of burnt grease, and at the other end was a dish of fried meat. The air was filled with an odor that told forcibly of black, insipid coffee to come forth later. My father, never having eaten any squash, even when it was well cooked, decided that his supper must consist of fried meat and gravy, blintzes and coffee; so he sat to work not eating, but choking it down with nothing to assist in the choking process, for the first slip of food had told him that it was hot as well as black. But he was getting on nicely now. He was half through with his meat and blintzes, and had thus far kept a smiling countenance and had also helped in the conversation on hogs, cows and the farm in general. But at a pause in the conversation he had time to pay more attention to his plate, and to his horror discovered that his meat was seasoned with skippers. What should he do—should he excuse himself from the table. He studied for a moment and then stily scraped all skippers to one side of the plate, placed a piece of blintz in his gravy, began eating and talking and smiling once again—making sure to reserve the little animals. But the host became terribly wrought up over the cotton question, and my father in trying to decide the matter for him, forgot the skippers for a moment and when his attention was again called to his plate, he had let his last piece of blintz go too near the reservation and at that minute had them in his mouth, chewing away on them. This then was the supreme moment. He hastily took up his hot coffee, poured it down his throat letting it scald as it went, placed his knife and fork on his plate, smiled and took up the thread of the conversation once more.

And what was the result of that experience, you ask. I did not notice my father when he returned that night, but the next day, as the children were somewhat noisy in their play, my mother went quietly out to them and told them that they must let father rest that day, and too, the doctor brought him a tonic.

But to this day those simple country folks never suspected why my father never chose to take a meal at their home again, though he was on that circuit for four years.

And this man who had two talents—humbleness and love for humanity—gained other two talents—self forgetfulness and self control—and I imagine the angels host chanted, "Well done, good and faithful servant."

(To be continued.)

The Demon of the Air

is the germ of LaGrippe, that breathes in brings suffering to thousands, its after effects are weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disorder of liver and kidneys. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the regulator of Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. Thousands have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system and restore health and good spirits after an attack of Grip. If suffering try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed by W. H. MacNair.

My Commission expires Dec. 4, 1911.

State of North Carolina,

Insurance Department.

I James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Edgecombe Homebased and Loan Association of Tarboro, N. C., filed with this de-

ANNUAL STATEMENT.

For the Year Ending December 31, 1909, of the Condition and Affairs of the Edgecombe Homebased and Loan Association, Incorporated.

Sept. 7, 1909, Tarboro, N. C.

MANAGEMENT.

C. A. Johnson, President; John Cheshire, Secretary and Treasurer; Henry A. Gilliam, Attorney; Directors: W. M. Arnheim, J. H. Bell, J. M. Baker, H. T. Bryan, G. A. Holderness, Geo. Howard, C. A. Johnson, Ed. Pennington, W. J. Thigpen, M. A. Curtis, K. L. Robertson.

STOCK.

Amount of authorized shares—\$1,000,000.00

Par value of each share \$100.00

Number shares in force at beginning of year 5,802

Number shares subscribed during year 1,449

Number shares cancelled and withdrawn during year 999

Number shares in force at end of year 5,352

Number shareholders—white, 429

Number shareholders—colored, 369

Receipts.

Cash on hand December 31, 1909, as per last report, 2,894.77

Installments paid, 71,432.75

Installments paid in whole on in part, 24,804.87

Loans on shares paid interest received, 12,712.82

Fines received, 30.10

Rance fees, 266.00

Transfer fees, 15.50

License fees, 27.50

Delinquent Taxes repaid, 21.64

Money borrowed, 8,500.00

Other Receipts in detail, 5.65

Premium on stock, 652.26

Balance Due on new loans, 652.26

Total, \$162,908.77

DISBURSEMENTS.

Loans on Mortgages, 55,882.50

Loans on Mortgages, colored, 2,985.00

Loans on shares, 22,433.99

Paid on Withdrawals, 18,980.75

Paid on Withdrawals as property, 1,170.04

Paid on Matured Shares, 47,446.32

Salaries, 475.00

Advertising and Printing, 209.39

Interest, 399.14

Rent, 100.00

Taxes, 621.68

Borrowed money repaid, 9,500.00

Paid on old loan, 50.00

Supplies for office, 28.00

Other Disbursements in detail, 1.00

Light, Fuel, Lights and water, 41.19

Freight and Drayage, 2.67

Fee on Annual Report, 5.00

Paid Janitor, 19.00

Auditing Books, 198.60

Total Disbursements, \$162,322.56

Balance on hand, 586.51

Total, \$162,908.77

ASSETS.

Loans on Mortgages (face value), 219,467.47

Loans on Shares, 31,496.41

Cash in office, 24.55

Cash in bank, 561.94

Furniture and Fixtures, 105.68

Total, \$251,656.07

LIABILITIES.

Due shareholders, installments paid, 216,968.85

Due Shareholders, matured shares, 2,629.46

Borrowed money, interest on, 70.75

Surplus, 855.96

Total, \$220,545.04

State of North Carolina, County of Edgecombe as:

C. A. Johnson, President; John Cheshire, Secretary, of the Edgecombe Homebased and Loan Association of Tarboro, State of N. C., being duly sworn, each for himself depose and say that they are the above described officers of the said Association, and that on the 21 day of Dec. last all the above described assets were the absolute property of said Asso. free and clear from any liens or claims thereon except as above stated; and that the foregoing statement, with the schedule and explanations therein contained, assumed or referred to, are a full and correct exhibit of all the assets, liabilities income and disbursements, and of the condition an affairs of the said Association on the said 31st day of December last, and for the year ending on that date, according to the best of their information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

C. A. JOHNSON, President.

JOHN CHESHIRE, Sec'y.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of March A. D. 1910.

F. L. DANCY, J. P.

My Commission expires Dec. 4, 1911.

State of North Carolina,

Insurance Department.

I James R. Young, Insurance Commissioner do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct abstract of the statement of the Edgecombe Homebased and Loan Association of Tarboro, N. C., filed with this de-

perment, showing the condition of said Association as the 31st day of December, 1909.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and date above written.

JAMES R. YOUNG, Insurance Commissioner.