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The Peruvian's Sacred Number. The Peruvians cared nothing for any of the supposed mystic properties of either three, five or seven. To them the four was sacred, and around it they entwined the main features of all their religious ceremonies and queer beliefs.

Obituary. Mrs. Olivia J. Parker, the beloved wife of Cornelius Parker, was born near Seaboard, Northampton County, N. C., Feb. 14th 1841, died August 9th, 1904, at one o'clock P. M. and therefore was 63 years, 5 months 25 days old.

Changed. A rich lady dreamed that she went to Heaven, and there saw a mansion being built. "What is that for?" she asked of the guide "For your gardener."

LASKER MILITARY INSTITUTE. (Charter Applied for.) SCHOOL OPENS MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1904. Board of Directors: P. T. Hicks, President. R. P. Morehead, Treasurer.

Buggies Wagons Harness. If you are in the market for a Buggy, Wagon or any kind of a vehicle please call on me before purchasing. I buy the goods in such quantities as enables me to sell at the lowest possible price at which good goods of this kind can be offered.

Meherrin Valley Bank, BOYKINS, VIRGINIA. OPENED FOR BUSINESS OCTOBER 1ST, 1902. Your business is respectfully solicited, promising safety, promptness and courtesy.

The Bank of Rich Square, General Banking, Exchange and Collections. SAVINGS DEPARTMENT. Interest paid on one dollar and upwards and compounded every six months.

THE BANK OF WELDON, WELDON N. C. Organized under the laws of North Carolina Aug. 20, 1892. State of North Carolina Depository. Halifax County Depository.

The Passing of the Pen. "The typewriter has destroyed the golden future that we foresee for our business," said a manufacturer of pens. "If the typewriter's field of usefulness keeps on enlarging there will scarcely be any need for pens fifty years hence."

Notice-Land Posted. All persons are hereby forbidden to mud or seize or to hunt with gun or dog on my lands situated in Roanoke township adjoining the lands of G. W. Coe, J. W. Griffin, A. J. Outland, E. H. Horton and others.

Notice. Having qualified as administratrix cum testamento annexo of the estate of John J. Wheeler deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned for payment on or before the 28th day of July 1904, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

Buggies, Surries, Carts, Wheeld, Wagons, Windows, Doors, Blinds, Screen doors, Screen Windows, Milk Troughs, Lawn Swings, Brackets, Window and door Frames, Flooring, Ceiling, Moulding and a hundred other things for sale at Rock Bottom prices by Farmers Ginning & Milling Company, J. T. BOLTON, General Manager, RICH SQUARE, N. C.

RICH SQUARE FEED STOER. I have now supplied "a long felt want" in Rich Square by establishing a general Feed Store. I now have in stock a supply of Hay, Corn, Oats, Middlings, Cotton Seed Meal and Hulls, &c.

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Table with columns for Southward and Northward routes, listing destinations like New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and various times.

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Notice. The defendants above named will take notice that an action or Special Proceeding entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Northampton County, North Carolina to sell a part of the land of which the late J. J. Wheeler died seized and possessed, for partition among the plaintiffs and defendants, as their interest may appear.

Notice. The School Committee of Kirby township will meet at Conway, N. C., on Friday Sept. 2, 1904, at 2 P. M. for the purpose of electing teachers for the public schools of Kirby Township, and transacting such other business as may come before them.

HEADQUARTERS FOR AMERICAN FIELD AND HOG FENCE. Made of large, strong, high-grade steel wires, heavily galvanized. Ample provision for expansion and contraction. Is practically everlasting. Never goes wrong, no matter how great a strain is put on it.

Going for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. Don't put yourself in this man's place, but keep a bottle of this remedy in your home. There is nothing so good for Colic, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

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INSURANCE!! W. T. JOYNER, GARYSBURG, N. C. The only (exclusive) Insurance Agency in Northampton County. Fire, Life, Accident and Bond Insurance placed in best Companies.

Plant Berries for Birds. Last autumn, when a New York family was seated around the breakfast table, a young wood thrush flew into the dining room through the open window. It was a straggler from a flock on its way south.

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