

THE ROANOKE PATRON.
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LOCAL.

Several cool mornings this week.
See notice to magistrates in another place.
The schools have begun and now for hard study.
Cotton opening slowly—a week or two behind time.
Read new notices in this issue. They cut short our local column.
Yesterday morning was clear and gave promise of fair weather.
Mr. Walter Brooks, of Portsmouth, Va., was in the village Tuesday.
If you have over-indulged in eating or drinking take a dose of Simmons Liver Regulator.
Forward peanuts are said to be excellent but late ones will not be so good.
Our fishermen and hunters say the Sketers are terrible in the low-grounds.
The fall session of the C. B. F. Institute opened yesterday with flattering prospects.
Nice time for the District G. T. meeting at Margarettsville Tuesday and Wednesday.
Fodder pulling progressing, but the weather has not been very favorable for curing it.
A medicine endorsed and used by physicians and druggists—Simmons Liver Regulator.
Hon. T. W. Mason, member of the State R. R. Commission, was in Jackson Monday.
Mr. Reuben Majette has accepted the position of clerk in the store of Mr. J. W. Truitt at the depot here.
Miss E. K. Cook, daughter of W. C. Cook, of our village, left Tuesday morning for the C. B. F. Institute at Murfreesboro.
Mrs. Jennie Majette and her daughter May, of Mammy's Neck, came to our village on a visit Tuesday evening.
We learn that Miss Annie Parker opened her school at Lasker Tuesday. She will doubtless have a flourishing school.
Mr. A. W. Futrell took charge of Prof. Bradleys' school here, during his absence at the Good Templar meeting at Margarettsville.
Prof. Bradley, Jesse Parker and Misses Lula Parker and Irene Bristol attended the late session of the Chowan District Lodge, I. O. G. T., as delegates from Potocasi Lodge.
Protracted meeting at Van's Grove and Woodland this week, conducted by Rev. J. L. Holden assisted by Rev. Wm. Grant. Services at Van's Grove in the day and at Woodland at night.
Having decided to make a change in our business at Potocasi, we are offering our entire stock, consisting of a general line of merchandise, positively AT COST! Good bargains offered—come at once.

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All the county Commissioners were present at their meeting Monday, and a part of the business transacted was the appointment of tax collectors, special and general, who will be required to meet at Jackson 1st Monday in October to give bond. Mr. P. B. Murphy was appointed in this (Roanoke) township.

FROM HARDTIMES.

MR. EDITOR:—Having seen in the PATRON of Aug. 27th an article under the head of the independent farmer, I thought I would say a few words

Farmers are not independent because they won't be. There is the cotton Exchange, the corn Exchange, and many other exchanges simply to rob the producer and consumer, middle-men organized so that the producer shall not sell direct to the consumer. Our Congressmen will quarrel over frivolous matters, and protect the rings and combinations, and we farmers quarrel and fight over their election, and then we grunt and endure it, and they say or think we are fools. The people that toil have the power if they will use it, and can remedy the great evils; will we do it? Can the men be found to represent us to say the different exchanges, the liquor traffic, and the present fence law and dog law are not pleasurable and profitable to the farmer? Yes, most any candidate will say these evils shall be remedied, but

when elected he drifts along in the old channel, knowing if I bother with minded men I am doomed; if I tamper with the liquor dealer I am gone; if I say the present system of fencing costs more than the stock is now worth, I am gone forever; and if I say sheep raising is profitable, or can be made so, which would be equivalent to saying, worthless dogs must die, I had as well fold my political hands across my breast and say, dead!

Can not our farmers' organization remedy these evils? Give us men with backbone to do what is best for their constituents regardless of self-interests. Well, we are disposed to grumble, and grumble we will; but if our law makers don't do something to lessen the number of dogs, we must abandon the idea of even trying to raise sheep.

I wish Mr. Kicker would kick at the dogs and accomplish as much as he did when he kicked at the babies, or the mothers.

Who is Francis? Hardtimes wants a wife. I don't know whether Francis would suit me or not. She seems to know something about the Scriptures, and I believe she would like to preach; but I don't mind that, for if she comes here and shares with me, she won't have much time to preach. Now, Mr. Kicker, I am not jealous, but when a couple quarrel so much before they are married, they are apt to fight afterwards, you know. I am not of a jealous nature, but only advising you for your good.

HARDTIMES.

Sept. 9, 1891.

ROXBEL BRIEFS.

Why the Roxbel Briefs are not printed the writer can not for the life of him tell.

More goods are being received by our merchant, Dr. P. C. Jenkins, than ever has been heretofore by any one merchant at once.

Roxbel Academy was opened this morning with a pretty good number of students and more expected soon. Will give list of students next week perhaps.

Miss Fannie Norfleet has accepted a position as teacher at Roxbel Academy but will not begin teaching until the first of November.

Usual services at the Episcopal church Sunday morning and at the Baptist at night but not much of a crowd owing to the inclemency of the weather.

The dwelling for the Principal of the school here will be built between now and the first of the coming year. It will be located on the proposed new street, East Church. Mr. A. J. Parker and family are in town on a short visit to their many friends. We are all pleased to see friend Jack and hope he will make his visits more frequent than he formerly has since his departure from Roxobel.

Mrs. Bob Arrington of Rocky Mount who has been visiting in Roxobel for the past few days, returned this p. m. Her daughter Mrs. Powell accompanied her home and will spend a couple of weeks.

We will make our news letter this week pretty short so as to give space for the preceding weeks letter. Would be pleased if the PATRON would give us space every week.

Roxobel, N. C., LEROY. Sept. 7th, '91.

"Another Link Broken,"

Mr. J. L. Shaw relief Operator S. & R. R. passed quietly away at Seaboard, N. C., Thursday evening at 6 o'clock, after two days illness of congestive chill. Mr. Shaw was 22 years of age and leaves a wife and one child to mourn their loss. He was an efficient operator and very popular with his brother operators. His sudden death has cast a gloom over the line. His family has the sympathy of all the operators on the line in their sad bereavement.

HIRAM.

Shoots the Ashes from a Cigar.

The most expert rifle marksman in the world will give daily exhibits of his skill at the Southern Exposition, to be held in the city of Raleigh, N. C., from the 1st of October to the 1st of December. It is said that he can shoot the ashes from a cigar in the mouth of his assistant. He shoots an apple from the head of his assistant, and through a finger ring held by his assistant. If there is anything interesting or amusing Patrick means to have it for people who visit the Exposition.

NOTICE TO MAGISTRATES.

The justices of the Peace in Northampton County are hereby notified to meet at Jackson on the first Monday in October next, to decide whether Boykins bridge shall be rebuilt or not. Sept. 1891. Wm. Grant, Chm.

SALE OF LAND BY SHERIFF.

By virtue of two executions in my hands, returnable to Fall Term, 1891, of Northampton Superior Court, wherein Sneedering & Co., and Adams & Buck are Plaintiffs and J. W. Duke is Defendant, I shall, on Monday the 5th day of September 1891, at the court house door in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of J. W. Duke in that tract of land known as the Dick Jordan tract said to contain 10 acres adjoining the lands of Dr. H. Stancell, Sam'l Pruden and others and lying on the road leading from Turners Cross Roads to Harris' Shop and one store house and lot in the town of Seaboard adjoining the lot of J. T. Maddrey & Co. and known as the Laurence & Daughtry lot to satisfy said executions and cost. This 3d day of September 1891. M. F. STANCELL, Sheriff. Northampton County.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of sundry executions in my hands, returnable to Fall Term, 1891, of Northampton Superior Court wherein G. Gump & Son & Co. are Plaintiffs and M. W. Shields is Defendant, I shall, on Monday the 5th day of October, 1891, at the court-house door in the town of Jackson, Northampton county, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of M. W. Shields in that tract of land known as the Bar tract, said to contain 1/2 acre adjoining the lands of W. E. Harris on the North, Punch Maddrey on the South and East and road leading from Jackson to Seaboard on the West, to satisfy said executions and cost. This 4th day of Sept., 1891. M. F. STANCELL, Sheriff. Northampton County. [sep 10 6t]

NOTICE.

North Carolina,) Suprior Court. Northampton County. J Fall Term. W. H. Bedgood, Plaintiff, vs. Susan F. Bedgood, Defendant.

The Defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior court of Northampton County to obtain divorce from the said defendant; and the said defendant will further take notice, that she is required to appear at the next term of the superior court of said county to be held on the fourth Monday in September, 1891, at the court house of said county in Jackson North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, or the Plaintiff will apply to court for the relief demanded in said complaint. This 1st day of Sept. 1891. J. T. FLYTHER, Clerk Superior Court.

NOTICE.

By virtue of one execution in my hands, returnable to Fall Term, 1891, of Northampton Superior court, wherein James L. Lassiter, adm'r. of P. M. Presson, is Plaintiff and James E. Martin is Defendant, I shall on Wednesday, the 7th day of October, 1891, at the court house door in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, Sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest of J. E. Martin in that tract of land known as the Martin tract said to contain 30 acres adjoining the lands of J. M. Martin, E. C. Johnson and Lemuel Bridges, also one Store house and lot, and one house and lot in Margarettsville adjoining the lands of S. E. Long, Mrs. J. D. Moore and others, to satisfy said Execution and cost. This 7th day of Sept., 1891. M. F. STANCELL, Sheriff. Northampton County.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having taken out letters of administration according to law on the estate of John H. Joyner, deceased, all persons having claims against the decedent are hereby notified to present them to me for payment on or before October 1st, 1892, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. Debtors to said estate will please make immediate payment. THOMAS M. JOYNER, Adm'r. By W. W. Peebles & Son, Atty's for Adm'r. Sept. 7, 1891. sep 10 6t

NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of the last will and testament of Isaac O. Outland dec'd, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against the estate to present them for payment, on or before the 1st day of September, 1892, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All debtors will please make prompt payment. This Aug. 25th, 1891. R. G. OUTLAND, Executor. aug 27 6t

COTTON GIN.

I have one second-hand, Forty-Saw Stonewall Cotton Gin and Condenser, practically as good as new, which I will sell cheap, or would exchange for a larger one. JOHN W. KTON, Rich Square, N. C. 19 3m

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NOTICE!

By virtue of Sundry executions in my hands, returnable to Fall Term, 1891, of Northampton Superior Court, wherein Patterson, Madison & Co., et als are Plaintiffs and Sam'l Story and G. A. Story are Defendants I shall, on Monday the 5th day of October, 1891, at the court house door in the town of Jackson, Northampton County, sell to the highest bidder for cash, all the right title and interest of Samuel Story and G. A. Story in that tract of land known as the Louis Story tract said to contain 160 acres adjoining the lands of John W. Taylor, W. T. Capel, Wm. Roberts and lying in Occoneechee Township, to satisfy said executions and cost. This 5th day of Sept. 1881. M. F. STANCELL, Sheriff. Northampton County.

NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of the County of Northampton, rendered at spring term, 1891, in an action therein pending, wherein J. A. Burgwyn was plaintiff and S. M. Lockhart, Et Als., were defendants, I shall on Thursday, Oct. 1st 1891, expose to sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, before the Court-house door in Jackson, a certain tract of land situated in Northampton County and known as the Dean tract, containing 820 acres, more or less, and bounded by the road leading from Jackson to Halifax, the land of the late John Summerell, the Mainstroke tract the Alvester tract and the lands of P. F. Faison, Geo. P. BURGWIN, Commissioner. au 27 4t

NOTICE.

The undersigned having qualified as executor to the last will and testament of William Scull dec'd, hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make payment of same; and all persons having claims against the estate, will present the same before the 1st day of September, 1892, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. Wm. Grant, August 17th, 1881. Executor. aug 20 12 m

NOTICE.

Having qualified as Executrix of the last will and testament of W. E. Miles on the 25 day of April 1891, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to the estate of the said W. E. Miles, to make immediate payment and settlement, and all persons having claims against said estate will present them for payment on or before the 1st day of September, 1892, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. This 10 day of August 1891. MARTHA MILES, Executrix. au 13 6t.

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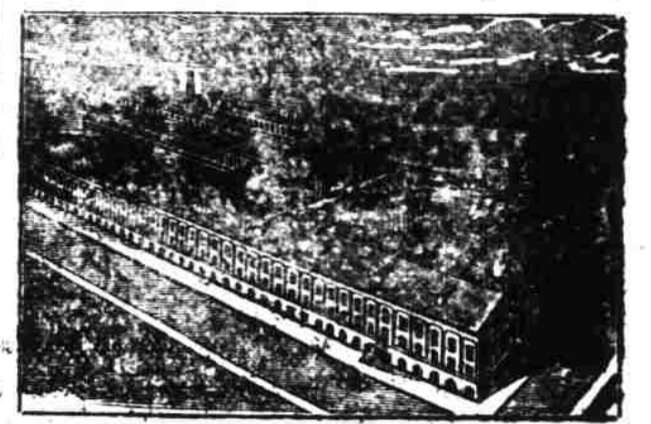
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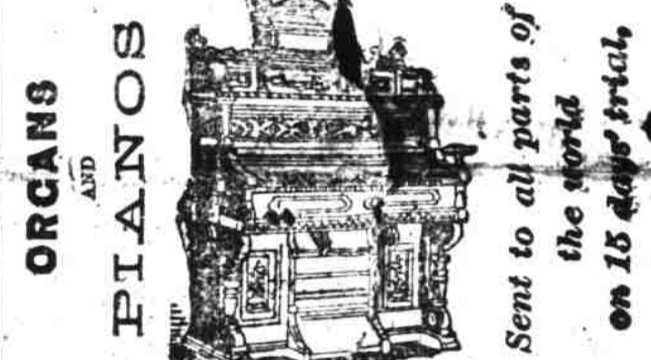


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