I have had occasion to use your Black-Draught Stock and Poultry Medicine and am pleased to say that I never used anything for stock that gave half as good satisfaction. I heartily recommend it to all owners of stock. J. B. BELSHER, St. Louis, Mo.

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### Notice!

of trust executed to me by James V. Me- my apparently is then repentant. Farland and wife, Lucy A. McFarland, on the 27th day of October, 1900, and record-din Book "I" pages 569 to 575 of the office of the Register of Deeds of Rutherford county, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by the said deed of trust. and upon demand of the holder of the long, narrow and well proportioned. notes. I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the court house door in the town of Rutherfordton, at 12 o'clock, noon, on the

20th day of December, 1902. the following described tract or parcel of hand, to-wit :- Lying and being in the county of Rutherford, on the waters of Cathey's creek, known as the Toliver Davis home-stead, beginning at 4 dogwoods, and running thence north 2 west \$1 poles to a stone pile at the north end of the bridge; thence north 50 west 12 poles to a stake; thence north 10 west 38 poles to a stake; thence north 28 east 180 to the first joint. poles to a post oak on north side of Big road; thence south 66 east 2112 poles to n Spanish oak on east side of road; thence with said road south 48 east 22 poles to a sten on the west side of the road; lards, elegantly curved. thene) south 23 poles to a big white oak; th n a south 5! east 36 poles to a post oak; thence north 50 east 12 poles to a post oak, side of road; thence south 8 east 130 poles to a birch, north side of creek; thence down mill creek north 85 east 23 to es to a stake; thence south 48 to a stake at the moth of Holland's creek; the list. thence up said creek as it meanders south 61 west 36 poles to a stake in creek; thence west 29 poles to a pile of stones. with his line 157 poles to the beginning, under the foot without touching it. containing 300 acres, more or less, being the same land conveyed by Matt Mc-Braver and wife to the said James V. McFarland by deed dated December 8th, 18'6, recorded in Book 70, No. 130, of said Register's office, and being the same land described in said deed jof trust. This November 19th, 1902. SOLOMON GALLERT, Trustee.

# Notice!

By virtue of a mortgage deed from Mary Owens and Amos, Owens to me, registered in the Register's office for that?" Rutherford county in Book L of real estate mortgages on page 147, I will sell at public auction for cash at the court house door in Ratherfordton on

Monday, January 5th, 1903, the following described lands lying in he said, "but I didn't think anybody'd Rutherford county adjoining the Elizabeth Murry lands and the Jenkins land, beginning at a rock spile in Elizabeth Murry's line about 25 links north of the Sweexy white oak corner of the Jenkins tract, and runs with his line south 140 poles to a rock, corner of sale to A. P. Owen's, now A. W. Owens; thence with said line east 100 poles to a chestnut, corner of same; thence south 160 poles to a stake and pointers, corner of same; thence north 12 west 198 poles to a chestnut by a large rock in Elizabeth Murry's spread over the beans in a thin coat- New York Times. line; thence with it north 55 west 184 poles to the beginning, containing one hundred and fifty-three acres, more or less. This property will be sold under the powers of the said mortgage for the purpose of applying the proceeds to the discharge of the costs recovered by the plaintiff from the defendants in the action entitled "Sarah Caufield against | Officer-It is quite simple. I danced Omos Owens and Mary Owens," as is with her three times in succession. The set forth in the said mortgage deed. The costs so recovered amounts to

about one hundred and five dollars (\$105) as will annear by bill of cost in the said cause as taxed by the Clerk of the Saperior court. This December 5th, 1902. SARAH CAUFIELD, Mortgagee.

McBrayer & Justice, Attorneys. .

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### HUMOR IN HORSES.

Story of an Animal That Has More Than Its Share.

Only those who are unfamiliar with animals doubt that they have a sense of humor. Jimmy is a lively road horse who has ideas of his own and very original conceptions of what is amusing. One day the children had crected a small tent on the lawn and sat within it drinking lemonade and playing that they were benditti. Jim- in Mrs. Silsbee's "Half Century of my walked softly up to the side of the | Salem." tent and slowly inserted his nose through a convenient slit, says Our Dumb Animals. Eyes and ears followed and, his head once within at the back of the unsuspicious revelers, Jimmy gave one tremendous sneeze of that kind which is half a snort.

The banditti fell back in every-direction, and the horse, withdrawing from the tent, laughed silently to himself before going back to his grass cropping. Jimmy's favorite amusement is that of scattering a flock of sheep. When he is feeding with them in the posture, he suddenly stops eating and then dashes over the hillside. Then he stands watching them until they again settle to their nibbling and after a short luncheon of buy a carpet, but rolled up in a little his own repeats the pleasing diversion. Although this horse is the gentlest creature in the world, it pleases him exceedingly to frighten any one who has shown timidity in his presence.

Jimmy's two mistresses harness him without trouble or danger, but he delights in alarming one girl cousin who visits at the house. Sundry fidgetings and nervous starts of her own were enough to show Jimmy of what manner and temperament she was, and he is merciless in taking advantage of that knowledge. If she enters the stable where he stands accepting the harness in the most doelle manner, he opens his mouth, showing a wicked row of teeth, and makes a feint of snap-By virtue of the power of sale confer- ping at her. She shricks, his mistress red upon me by the provisions of a deed scolds and reasons with him, and Jim-

#### FACTS ABOUT FEET.

The typical Irish foot is flat, rather broad and not usually long.

The Frenchman's foot is proverbially The Scotchman's foet is high and thick, strong, muscular and capable of hard work.

the foot of a certain type of savage. and the toes are all the same length. The Englishman's foot is in most cases short and rather fleshy and not as a rule as strong as proportionately it

The Russian's foot poesesses at least one peculiarity which is worth noticing. The toes are generally "webbed"

The Spaniard's foot is generally small and, thanks to the Moorish blood which flows in the veins of most Span-

The latest measurements seem to show that America is in the process of developing a race with the smallest feet among all the civilized nations.

The Teutonic and Scandinavian nations appear to have the largest feet. east 50 speles to the mouth of branch Swedes, Norwegians and Germans near ford; thence south 34 east 20 poles standing in this respect at the head of

The Arab's foct is famous for its high arch, whereby a true Arab may, an ash in Hudlow's line; thence west saying that a stream of water can run

> Seemed to Have Get Out. A Chicago man on his summer vacasation with the proprietor. He commented on the attractiveness of the surroundings and finally asked the ho-

tel keeper how many acres there were in the property. "About forty," replied the proprietor. "I see there is another resort a short

distance north of you. Who owns hungry than cat a whole meal of "The Widder Simmons."

"You and she join, do you not?" The landlord's sunburned face turned

a shade or two redder. "We're expecting to next October," found it out yet."

## French Coffee.

The delicious flavor which all travelers in France discover in the coffee of that country is got, it is said, by the addition of a little butter and sugar during the roasting process. To every three pounds of roasting berries a tablespoonful each of butter and powdered sugar is added. These in melting ing, which holds the aroma and contributes a caramel flavor that is deliclous and distinctive.-Harper's Bazar.

A Modern Adonis.

Lady-Your partner has fainted, I hear. How did that happen? great happiness was too much of a strain for her nerves. I am now taking my departure lest I should do any , 'What are the wild waves saying?"further damage.-From the German.

## A Cold Wave.

The forecast of sudden changes in the weather serves notice that a hoarse voice and a heavy cough may invade the sanctity of health in your own home. Cautions people have a bottle of One Minute Cough Cure always at hand. E. H. Wise, Madison, Ga., writes: "I am indebted to One Minute Cough Cure for my present good health, probably my BOOKS, STATIONERY life." It cures coughs, colds, la grippe, bronchitis, pneumonia and all throat and lung troubles. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the phlegm, draws out the inflamation, heals and soothes the mucus niembranes and strengthens the lungs. Florence Mills, Forest City: Twitty & Thompson, and City Drug Store.

### A QUEER PICTURE THING.

The Way One Art Treasure Was Rescued From Oblivion.

Few chapters in the world's history are more curious and interesting than that which deals with the fortunes of its art treasures. In the cathedral at Montreal is, or was a few years ago, a large piece of tapestry which had been discovered in a back street of a New England town. The story is told One day a certain Mr. Miller passing

Something peculiar in its appearance made him stop and look closely at it, when he discovered, to his astonishment, that it was a splendid piece of tapestry, with life sized figures wrought from Raphael's cartoon, "Feed My Lambs." The woman was quite willing to

tell how she obtained it. It was, in fact, a standing grievance to her. Her husband was a sailor, and when he went out on one of his voyages she among them, sending them scudding had begged him to bring her a carpet for her best room. As it happened, he did not visit a port where he could shop on the quay at Malta he had found the tapestry and purchased it, thinking it might answer the purpose. It was too large for the room, and the woman had to turn a big piece under. She folded the piece back, revealing part of the superb border of fruit and flowers, wrought in silk and gold thread, as fresh as when it was first worked. But the owner eyed it with contempt. She never did like the queer picture thing, she declared,

It was the opportunity of a lifetime. Mr. Miller promptly offered her the choice of any carpet in the stores in exchange for her "queer picture thing," and the woman as promptly accepted the offer. They went downtown together, and she selected, with unbounded delight, a hideous pattern warm and ill tasting. of glowing reds and greens. Her face | Beautiful mirages frequently appear was full of triumph when she returned. The best room at last was to have a carpet that was a carpet!

It is safe to say that no bargain ever gave more complete satisfaction to both parties than the one made that morning in Derby street, Salem.

## A GREAT WORRY CURE.

The Tartar's foot is short and heavy. | Common Sense Is the Dest Remedy

That Can Be Prescribed. I ence asked a physician what cure he could suggest for the worrying hab- is estimated that about 700 tons are us .- "John Dunford, M. P." it. "I would prescribe common sense," he said, "and if a man or woman hasn't got a stock on hand and cannot cultivate one the medical man is powerless." This worrying nonsense grows. The best means to cure it lies in the hands of the woman herself.

and thoroughly unlovely?

to be worried. Consequently she looks by exclaiming, "I don't want Happy, than she can comfortably carry out body with a skin face!" and firmly believing in the coming of Webb's corner; thence south 41 poles to indeed, always be known, the Koran another day, she does not prograstinate, but simply will not let the domestic machinery grind her down to ill entered the parlor with her bundle in

health and an early old age. She is a frequent batker and regards | this morahi. health as the prime factor of life, to be and one day became engaged in conver- She sleeps nine hours and also takes a nap during the day, arranging her week." work in the most systematic manner. Her little memorandum slip always shows two vacant hours-they are for rest. She eats heartly, but of the most digestible food, and would rather have a mouthful of good foed and go partly cheaper things.-Philadelphia Laquirer.

## An Orphant

A well known professor has a bright boy, who one day at the age of four appeared in his father's study clasping In his hands a forlorn looking little chicken which had strayed from a neighboring fneubator.

"Willie," said his father sternly, "take that chicken back to its mother." "Ain't dot any mudder," answered

"Well, then, take it back to its father," said the professor, determined to maintain parental authority.

"Ain't det any fader," said the child. "Ain't dot anythin' but an old lamp!"-

It Makes Them Wild. "I wonder why they always call them the 'wild waves?'" says the thoughtful one. 'I don't know, but I think I know

"So many fools happen along, and as soon as they see the waves they ask,

#### Baltimore American. Fight Will Be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall, of Beall Miss., has to say "Last fall my wife had every sympton of Consumption. She took Dr. King's new discovery after eyerything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Gnaranteed by T. B. Twitty and Thompson & Watkins, Druggists. Prihe 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Dewitt's Early Risers The famous little pills.

### A VAST SALT FIELD.

How the Product Is Obtained In the Middle of the Colorado Desert.

In the middle of the Colerado desert, a little to the north of the Mexican

are at work overturning the great de- a 'Why-ah, let me see now,' before posit with massive plaws and scrapers, we plucked up the courage to blurt getting it into great piles preliminary out, 'Make me twenty-one again.' to putting it through the refining process. The salt plows used to secure the any too much sense now, with all harvest are great four wheeled implements driven by steam and managed by two men. The salt crust is thrown have to be in mind as well as in body. up in parallel ridges; then laborers The mind is what the body is. It with hoes work it to and fro in the water, washing out the dirt preliminary to stacking it in mounds to be taken to the mill.

Salt springs in adjacent foothills are constantly contributing to the deposit, and so heavily laden are they with almost pure salt that the plow has hardly passed on before a new crust has formed in the furrow left. This fact renders it unnecessary to operate more than a small portion of the vast de-

As may be supposed, work in these fields is performed under the most trying conditions. No white man can stand the intense heat, and for this reason the work is done wholly by Japanese and by Coahuila Indians. Of these the Indians are by far the better adapted to the work, the Japanese performing only one portion, sewing the sacks in which the salt is shipped. The atmosphere, laden as it is with particles of salt, gives rise to a painful thirst, and the only available drinking water comes from a single well. It is

above the great salt field in the daytime, sky pictures of magnificent cities and flower detted, tree shaded fields. The moonlight, too, produces wondrously beautiful effects upon the great field of gleaming salt. For several weeks in the year the thermometer on the salt field averages 140 degrees, and the reflection of the sun nace. The deposits vary in thickness from ten to twenty inches and form a solid crust over the great marsh. It now plowed up daily .- New York Trib-

A Little Child's Loneliness. Little Mabel, says the Woman's Jour-

nal, had been put to bed alone. Presently she appeared in her nightgown If she will just call a little horse at the head of the stairs, saying plainsense to her aid, resolve not to borrow tively, "I'm lonesome!" Her mother trouble, to be cheerful and think upon gave her a favorite rubber doll named the right side of things, she will live Happy to take to bed with her and for gant.' longer and be able to retain her beauty. a few minutes she was quiet. Then Every woman has the strongest desire | she reappeared with her plaint of loneto keep her good looks. Why, then, someness. This time her mother redoes she take the course which is sure | minded her that God was with her and to make her yellow shinned, dull eyed sent her back to bed with a reproof. The Englishwoman is greatly ad- and when her mother went to her little mired for her utter refusal to worry or | Mabel summed up her sense of misery

> Mere Maiden Timidity. "Well, mum," said the cook as she her hand, "I must be after goin' away

looked after before everything else. going?" asked her astonished mistress, decently and in good order"-as he

wait for a few dars."

"Oh, I couldn't, mum." "Why not, pray?"

cd with him to ask such a thing."-Philadelphia Press.

A New Piece of Music. The Chinese statesman kindly com- bed.-Exchange. plied with his request and, getting his paint pot and pencil, drew queer looking figures up and down the portrait. play it on the piano!"

## Nothing Peculiar.

walker. what makes them wild," says the "What did he say?" "He said that everybody would."-Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

> Mike's Poodle. Hogan-Mike? "Blooded? I sh'd say he wuz. W'y. when he wuz a pup th' dec had to bleed

> him to kape him from bein' a bloodhound, faith!"-Chicago News. Earned It, In Chicago.

> "How did he ever get the title of 'Hon?' "He declined a nomination for alderman once."-Chicago Tribune.

Wood intended to be made into pian-

os requires to be kept forty years in perfect condition, so it is asserted. A Timeiy Topic.

City Drug Store.

LIKE TO BE YOUNG AGAIN!

Yes? Well, Here Is One Man Who Would Rather Be Excased. "We all say that we'd like to be border and 264 feet below the level of mean it," says Harvey Sutherland in graft this idea upon existing organizathe sea, lies a field of crystallized sait Ainslee's. "We'd like to have as good tions, it would result in great advan- on November 25th, 1962. more than a thousand acres in extent, health as we had when we cast our tage not only to the young people bepresenting a surface as white as 322w | first vote, and we'd like it if we didn't | longing to such associations, but also and beneath the moonday glare of the have to visit the dentist so often and to the towns themselves. sun so describe that the maked eye so expensively. But if it came to the cannot stand its radiance. It stretches point that the genii bounced out be- men side tracked all along the pathaway for miles and miles about Salton, fore us and sulkily growled: 'What is ways of life because they were not Colo., an ocean of blazing, blistering your wish? I will obey, I and the oth- taught the value of good manners and er slaves of the lamp,' I fancy we

> "Because, you know, you haven't your experience of the world, and if you were twenty-one again it would reers. seems a terrible price to pay for a new set of teeth and an undiscriminating appetite. What? To walk again that weary, tortuous road; to discover again how many kinds of a fool and a failure one can be, and not half try either; to have to take over again all those terms of old Professor Experi- money. ence? Huh-uh! Not for me, You may if you like. Even if I could start anew with what I have learned of life, which would come far short of what I should really need, it seems to me that it would be a bore to have to sit through the performance again. I suppose if ever there was a success-

ful man, a lucky man, it was Martin Luther, and yet when the electress of Brandenburg wished him forty more birthdays he told her he would sooner give up every hope of heaven he had than spend forty years more on earth. To be sure, he would have had to spend them in Germany, but that's

### EPIGRAMS IN DIALOGUE.

The following "bouquet" is picked from various plays, successful and oth Nothing can work such havoe as a

fool .- "Sowing the Wind." We may scale a mountain only to trip over a mole hill .- "Queen's Favor-

Those who wait for other men's produces a glare like that from a fwr. | shoes must tread roughly sometimes .-

Life's like baccarat. Chance gives the cards. We only play what's dealt Joy, joy-one cannot touch joy every

day. One must take things as they are .- "Pellens and Melicande." Wrinkles, you know, my dear, are the diary of a woman's life in cipher.-

"His Excellency the Governor." In a woman's word book "I hate you" often means "I like you." That's worth remembering. - "The Terma-Ladles, like bills of exchange, are al-

exchange, are much pleasanter to meet. the man in the buggy, kept his eyes -"Her Own Rival." I suppose honesty's like the gout. It Soon she was heard weeping bitterly, runs in certain families for several generations, and then it skips a genera-

tion.-"The Rogue's Comedy." Oh, isn't there one perfect world out young at fifty. Undertaking no more and I don't want God; I want some of all the millions, just one, where everything goes right and fiddles never

#### get out of tune?-"The Masqueraders." An Essay on Rain.

"In a general way I approve of rains," said the grumpy person when he reached home after a drenching. "What do you mean? Why are you "They are a fine thing when they come "I am goin' to be married next placed his umbrella where it would drip on the parlor carpet-"but I want "But surely, Bridget, you won't leave to go on record right new"-removing me so suddenly? You must ask him to his soggy new hat and saturated coat-"as declaring I am opposed to these rains that begin on the day before yesterday and keep coming"-gazing at his "Sure, mum, I'd like to oblige you, eight dollar trousers, which resembled but I den't feel well enough acquaint- dishrags. "It wouldn't be so bad," he resemed as he took his shoes off and let the water run out, "if it rained straight down, but when it rains zigzag and up and crosswise and catacor-General Horace Porter, the Ameri- ners it's time to protest. A dod gasted can soldier, once asked Li Hung Chang day like this has no right to be on the for his photograph for his daughter, calendar"- and so on until he got to

The Montefiore Family. The late Sir Moses Monteflore, the Handing it then to the general, he ex- "grand old man" of the Jews, the modplained that the left hand column con- ern Moses bringing thousands and tens tained a list of his titles, while the of thousands out of bondage and poverright hand side bore a list of the posts, ty into the land of peace and plentyhe had filled. When he reached home, and really he had his reward, rounding Porter gave the photograph to his little out his century in fine shape, his spirgirl, saying: "Here's what you wanted, itual eye not dimmed nor his natural If you can't read it, probably you can strength abated-was once taunted through?" with being a descendant of the murderers of Christ. He said nothing at the time, but called on his accusers next | nickel." "I told the boss that I would like an day with a chart of his pedigree, showincrease in my salary," said the clerk ing that the home of his fortsars, the at the neckwear counter to the floor- "old homestead," had been in Spain for discovered another interesting peculiar- as the dower lands of Mrs. N. H. Morover 2.000 years, about 200 years before ty in Americans.-Chicago Record-Christ was born.-New York Press.

Wasn't Looking For That Run.

Applicant-Yes, sir. Superintendent-I'll have to ask you a few questions. How far is it to the north pole?

Applicant-Gee whiz! If you're gowant the job.-Indianapolis News.

Asthma and Eczema Cured. Intelligent physicians say that fifty percent of the cases af asthma and eczema are caused by an excess of uric acid, know the value of money?"

in the system. Uricsol, the great California Rhenmatic Remedy, curcs the above diseases. Druggists sell it at \$1.00 As this season of Coughs and colds it per bottle, or six bottles for \$5.00. If ideas on the subject."—Washington is well to know that Foley's Honey and you are interested, send stamp for book Star. Tar is the greatest throat and lung rem- of particulars to the Lamar & Rankin edy. It cures vuickly and prevents serious results from a cold. Sold by The Drug Co., Atlanta, Ga., or Uricsol Chemical Co., Los Angeles, Cal.

## THE NEED OF COUNTESY. COMMERCIAL BANK.

It Is to Business and Society What Oll Is to Machinery.

We find a great many men and wo- Overdrafts ..... beating clouds of dust from a carpet. Here daily throughout the year men should study quite awhile, with many youth. The result is that they have sive in manners and have not been able to win favor or attract trade or business. In other words, their bad manthem back and handicapped their ca- Undivided profits ...... 1,011.63

It is astonishing how fine manners and politeness in children develop into Dae other banks . . . . . . . . 2,080.66 ease and attractiveness in manhood and womanhood. Other things being equal the employee who is selected for advancement is the one with good manners, a fine, gracious denecanor, a good presence. These qualities are the best kind of capital, even better than

Everywhere we see young men and best of my knowledge and belief. young women drawing big salaries largely because of their superior politeness. The fine mannered are wanted everywhere as superintendents, as salesmen, as traveling representatives, this 9th day of December, 1902. as clerks, as private secretaries or as credit men. In fact, agrecable deportment is the one indispensable quality sought after everywhere.

There is nothing else which will so quickly open the door to opportunities, to society, to the hearts of all. Courtosy is to business and society what oil is to machinery. It makes things run smoothly, for it eliminates ! ing noise.-Success.

Price Bemanded. well known in social and educational auction, on circles, acknowledges the truth of the Monday, the 5th day of January, following story: He was driving with a very pretty and attractive young woman when on the outskirts of the city they met a lad of about twelve years

should be hers.

"Say, sonny," he called, "what will you take for your dog?" "Nawthing," replied the lad.

"Nonzense," eried Mr. Blank, "Here's \$5 for him." "No, I won't. This here dog ain't for sale."

"Ten," said Mr. Blank, and then, growing desperate, "fifteen, twenty." But the owner still refused. All the time the conversation was golowed a little grace and, unlike bills of ling on the youth, although talking to

fixed on the other occupant of the vehicle, and at last he said gravely: "I don't want yer money, but if you'll

msy have the dog." Mr. Blank was speechless. He stared and the costs of the action. at the boy an instant and then put the whip to his horse, starting him off at a

'The story goes that a mile was gone over without a word being spoken, when as the horse's rapid gait became slower as it turned down a country lane the pretty girl turned ever sc slightly and said shyly, "Oh, Mr. Blank, why didn't you buy that dog?"-Baltimore Sun.

Man's Influence. The only responsibility that a man cannot evade in this life is the one he thinks of least, his personal influence. Man's conscious influence when he is on dress parade, when he is posing to impress these around him, is woefully mosphere which is affecting every other. So silently and unconsciously is this influence working that man may ALFHA MORROW, Administratrix of forget that it exists .- W. G. Jordan.

Katerial For a Whole Chapter. "Have you-aw-ever thought what you would do," asked the literary foreigner as his cuble train entered the

"Often," replied the Chicago man. "I should demand the return of my est bidder, on

And the literary foreigner made a memorandum in his notebook. He had ests in fifty-two (52) acres of land known

#### A German Custom. In some parts of Germany the girls

Herald.

queen of flowers plays a part. If a to pay debts against the interstate of girl has several suitors and wishes to know which of them would be true to her, she takes rose petals and drops them into a bowl of water, giving each the name of one of her admirers. The ing to put me on that line, I don't leaf that remains floating longest represents the man whose faithfulness she may rely on and whom she would therefore do well to choose.

## A Prejudiced Opinion.

"Is it true that men of genius do not "I'm afraid it is," answered Mr. Stormington Parnes. "Most men of genius see so little of it that they never have a chance to form any definite

Subscribe for THE TRIBUNE, only \$1.00 per year, always in advance.

Report of the condition of the Com-If young people, especially in small | mercial Bank of Rutherfordson, at Kuthyoung again, but I doubt if we really towns, would form "courtesy clubs" or erfordton, N. C., at the close of business

### RESOURCES. Loans and discounts, ..... \$23,478.24 Furniture and Fixtures..... 1,006.00 Due from banks and bankers, 12,185.68 LIABILITIES. Capital stock...... \$10,000.00 ners and repulsive ways have kept Surplus...... 1,000,90

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Deposits subject to checks . . . . 50,437.49

Cashier's checks.....

J. F. FLACK, Cashier. State of N. C., Rutherford County.

Sworn to and subscribed before me M. O. DICKERSON, C. S. C.

Correct-Attest: T. B. TWITTY, JOHN C. MILLS, M. H. JUSTICE, Directors.

# Notice!

By virture of a judgment and decree of the jar and friction and the nerve rack-ing noise.—Success. foreclosure rendered at the September term 1902 of the Superior court for Rutherford county, in the action entitled "Anna C. Morgan, guardian for Mary Logan A GOOD CHANCE TO BUY. Whitehead (nee) Morgan, and Anna C. Morgan in her individual capacity But He Hadn't the Nerve to Pay the against M. W. Logan and Arrie G. Logan," I will sell at the court house door A handsome backelor of Baltimore, in Rutherfordton, for cash, at public

the following described lands, to-wit: Lying in Rutherford county on Second Broad river adjoining the lands of Robleading by a chain a singularly ugly ert Fite and others being the lands conbut finely bred bull terrier. The pretty | veyed by P. B. Logan and wife to Mangirl went into raptures over the doc, ley W. Logan, and registered in the Regand her escort determined the animal lister's office for Rutherford county in Book 60, No. 172, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a walnut on the bank of the river; thence south 49 west 113 poles to two pines; thence south 38 west 72 poles to a stake in the road; thence south 83 cast 58 poles to a B O and pine; thence north 45 east 33 poles to a pine; thence north 60 east 110 poles to a sycamore on the bank of the river; thence up the river as it meanders to the

beginning, containing - acres. Also a second tract known as the Mill tract, containing eight acres more or less, including the mills and water power and all appurtenances thereto, adjoining the Celia Logan dower, and the lands of J. G. Logan. The said lands will be sold to satisfy the said judgment for the sum of eleven hundred dollars just give that lady there a kiss you (\$1,100) with interest on the same at six per cent per annum from June 19, 1856,

Parties desiring to purchase valuable property will find it to ther advantage to examine the above property before date of sale. This December 5th, 1902,

#### B. A. JUSTICE, Commissioner. McBrayer & Justice, Attorneys.

Notice. By virtue of a decree of the Superior court of Rutherford county, cutitled 'Alphia Morrow, administratrix of John S. Morrow, deceased, against Claude Morrow and others, heirs at law of John S. Morrow, deceased," the undersigned will sell at public auction at the court house door in Ratherfordton, on on the

5th day of January, 1903, about ten and three-quarters acres of hand lying in Cool Springs township, adthe lands of Joe Bardin, Joseph Hantsmall, but his unconscious influence, lev and the Middleton Sutton tract and the silent, subtle radiation of his per- the Coxe lands. Said land will be sold sonality, the effect of his words and to create assets for the payment of delts acts; the tritles he never considers, is and the surplus, if any, to be partitioned, tremendous. Every moment of life he among the heirs at law of the deis changing to a degree the life of the | ceased. On this tract of land is a neat whole world. Every man has an at- cottage, and anyone desiring such troperty will do well to call on the undersigned who will show them the said lands. This December 6th, 1902.

## McBrayer & Justice, Attorneys.

John S. Morrow Deceased.

Notice! By virtue of a decree made in the spedal proceedings entitled "W. J. Mode, in when you were about half way against D. F. Morrow and others." I will sell at public auction at the court house door in Rutherfordton, to the high-

January 5th, 1903, three undivided elevenths (3-11) interrow, lying about two and one-half (\$16) miles southeast of Forest City, adjoining the lands of Watkins, Smith and others. Said interests of B. M. Merrow in the lands will be sold subject to the life on pany-So you want a job as fireman, have a pretty custom in which the tate of Mrs. N. H. Morrow. The

### of B. M. C. Morrow, dar as McBrayer & Justice, Attorneys. J. C. Green.

W. J. MODE, Administra

undersigned. This December

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