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## ANNOUNCEMENT.

An assuming the management of The Anglo-Saxon, I promise the people of Richmond county as good local paper as I am competent to make.

I will print the news, and do all for my people I possibly can. I have never been accused of being a flatterer. I believe in candor. But I do not think we should wait for a mar to die to bring our floral offerings. I'll do all the kindness possible. I shall strive to make this paper a necessity, as it has been in the past, hoping to merit your patronage.

I solicit the aid of all the friends of the paper to assist me in making a paper that we will all be proud of. Let's try.  
D. S. POOL.

## WHITHER ARE WE DRIFTING?

Everything Going Wrong, Says "Big Ike" A Halt is Needed

Mr. Editor:—Speaking of the old days at the country school brings back fresh to our memory the old church on the hill, where our fathers and mothers worshipped; when we only had preaching about once a month, and everybody was glad to go. The amen corner was always full; so was all other parts of the church. And most all went there for the good there was in it. Everything was not so systematic as it is this day. The old hymns were used and the people all over the church sang to the glory of God. There was genuine religion in those days. It was a rare thing to hear profanity, and the ones that used it were looked upon as something awful, and were shunned by the best people. How different now and oh, how sad, when we see little boys, and lots of men, too, that curse and swear, smoke the deadly cigarette and drink too. Ain't it awful to think about. Yet we are told that the world is getting better; we have more churches, finer churches, and preaching at almost any time.

Back in those days there wasn't many barrooms. The whiskey seller was looked upon as a bad character. Today they are almost in control of the political affairs. In fact, so much so that no one they oppose can ever be elected to any office.

Things have indeed wonderfully changed. The old field schools, the old church, in fact, everything. The hum of the old spinning wheel and the cards are heard no more. How well do we remember that every night that was mother and sister's occupation until bed time, while we boys would go possum hunting, corn shuckings and have such good times; and when the product was turned off from the old country loom and made into the little jeans coat and pants, what proud boys we were. And such cloth! None like it now.

Everybody was healthy. No appendicitis, peritonitis and other deadly diseases we now have discovered; and the doctors were not always cutting and slashing folks as they do now.

The boy in the old time school was flogged if he was unruly, but it is not done that way now. The rod is spared and the child is spoiled. I don't advocate too much rod myself, but a little is necessary in some cases.

Is the world growing better? Verily, we hope so, but we shud-

der when we read in every paper of the suicides, the homicides, the murders, the divorces and all these things. We are in doubt. The Bible says life for life, but it all depends now on whether you have the money or not, or your popularity in your community. Money is the thing—the root of all evil. The poor man that murders his neighbor is hanged, unless he has money. The merchant assigns, the homestead is laid off but he still lives and prospers. The poor wage earner, toiling hard for a living, who fails to meet his just debts, is dishonest. So is the world in which we live. Vanity! vanity! all things are vanity. And divorces! We shudder at the word. Every city, almost every town, has them. Shame! shame! When will our lawmakers learn wisdom?

These are things for us all to think about, and may we think right and just and for the good of our land and country.

BIG IKE.

## THE PRESENT WEEK IN CONGRESS

### The Cuban Bill to Have the Right of Way

It is the intention of the Senators to confine as closely as possible the legislation of the present extra session to the bill to introduce effect the Cuban treaty, and with that end in view, the daily sessions of the Senate during the present week will be brief. The work of introducing bills and of presenting petitions will go forward, but, with the exception of the Cuban bill, neither bills nor petitions will be taken up in the committee nor discussed in the Senate during the week. It is quite well understood that Senator Morgan is prepared for a prolonged discussion of the situation on the isthmus of Panama but, while he seems not to have taken any one into his confidence, the general supposition is that he will defer his speeches until the new canal treaty shall be sent to the Senate. There is an understanding on the part of the Senators that even though the negotiation for the new convention be forthwith completed, it will not be transmitted to the Senate until the beginning of the regular session of Congress in December. It is expected that the Cuban bill will be received from the House on Friday, and it is probable that a session will be held on that day, in order that the bill may be referred to the committee on foreign relations, which will begin its consideration at once.

The committee on military affairs will meet during the week to consider the nomination of General Wood, and as soon as practicable after the committee reports on it, the question of consideration will be brought before the Senate. It is probable that some time will be spent in the Senate in executive session in consideration of other nominations.

The bill making effective the reciprocity convention was taken up in the House Monday and disposed of Thursday. It probably will be sent to the Senate on Friday. A rule was reported by the committee on rules Monday providing for a vote at 4 p. m. Thursday with intervening motion. On the adoption of the rule the House will go into committee of the whole and discuss the Cuban bill.

The program of the minority is well defined by the resolution adopted at the Democratic caucus. A rule cutting off amendments will be opposed, in order that an amendment may be offered, striking out the differential on refined sugar and eliminating the 5-year clause. The resolution made it the sense of the caucus that the Democratic members should vote for the bill either "upon the adoption or rejection of the amendment."

With the House in committee of the whole, Speaker Cannon will be given an opportunity to consider further the make-up of the House committees for the present Congress.

### A Great Pity.

Pilot Mountain News.  
It is a great pity for the usefulness of a grand and noble institution like Trinity College to be ruined by such a man as Prof. Bassett. The Methodist church should set its seal of disapproval hard and fast on such actions and utterances and the sooner such admirers of the black skins and flat noses are discharged from the head of the branches the sooner she will reach the purpose its founders intended it to reach.

## The Stock Law in Richmond County

Mr. Editor:—I will write you a few more lines on the stock law question. I have prepared a very lengthy letter but will not send it at this time; may later. I will say that it is awful hard to think that a few white men, who are able to fence their land, with the help of a few who have reduced themselves to poverty by actual treachery, should impose a law on a lot of good people and starve them to death or drive them into poverty. There are not but a few in this part of the county who want this law, and they are too durned trifling to build fences and want the county to fence for them. And they are not worth a "cuss."

Now, out here we have all been Democrats and we are now reapin' the reward of our democracy. I hope it will be but a short while before this law will be wiped from the face of the earth and a party may get into power that will not pass such unjust laws. In all my life I have never heard of the Republican or Populist parties doing as mean as we are treated by this act. But as the old saying goes, "the big fish always will eat up the little ones."

But this act is unconstitutional, and I hope the fence will never be built. If it is we will have to petition to the board of county commissioners to build us a county home out here to provide for good Democratic friends out here. We want it two miles square with five hundred rooms, and we will want it right after this law goes into effect.

I have been voting the Democratic ticket for the last 18 years and of course I hope to grind the rock that will destroy my happiness the rest of my life, but so help me God I will never vote that way any longer; and God help the man that has become so low as not to want his neighbor's stock to eat his grass, when our great Creator says that the beasts of the earth should subsist on the vegetation of the earth. Where is the man's religion who says your cattle shall not eat my grass? Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

This act should convince any responsible man or men that is in favor of just and fair measures and honor, that it will not do to put any confidence in politicians or parties. If we had had a responsible legislature we should never have been treated as we are. We will live only but a short while so let us try to injure no one and face God with an unspotted soul, and we will not be bothered then with rich men nor stock laws either. Strive to be honest and just to all men and submissive to our Heavenly Father.

Mr. Editor, please publish and I will have more to say later.  
M. M. CHANCE  
Gibson's Mills, Nov. 14th.

## Case Against Alfred Daniel a Clear One

Col. P. M. Pearsall, who returned Sunday evening from Trenton, where he was one of the counsel who prosecuted the negro Alfred Daniel for the murder of Mr. F. G. Simmons, father of Senator F. M. Simmons, says that the evidence upon which Daniel was convicted of murder in the first degree was perfectly clear and conclusive. The witness John Parker and others who were the first to reach Mr. Simmons, found his gun some distance away from him, with the butt end toward the place where the negro stood. The gun was positively not cocked, and this fact was shown absolutely and directly by those witnesses. When they first picked up the gun they broke it, and found that neither one of the shells had been exploded. Then they closed it and pulled the trigger, but the safety catch was on. It was a hammerless gun, and Mr. Pearsall, fearful it might be one of those that come to safety when closed after being broken, examined it closely and says it was not one of that kind. When the catch was released, it would remain cocked even after being broken and closed again. So the fact that the gun could not be fired when the trigger was pulled showed that Mr. Simmons had not released the safety catch.

—News and Observer.  
E. Z. Zemp, cashier of the Farmers and Merchants bank at Camden, S. C., committed suicide last Monday. Col. E. Miller Boykin, president of the same bank, accidentally shot himself the same day.

The United States Supreme Court has decided against Howard and Hawley, the gold brick men. They must serve their sentence.

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McLendon & Williams,

Attorneys at Law,

Hamlet, N. C.

## NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of authority conferred on me by appointment of the Superior Court of Richmond county, in an action therein pending, entitled D. A. Parsons and A. W. E. Capel, trading and doing business under the firm name of D. A. Parsons & Co. vs. Martha C. Bowden, I will, on the first Monday in December, 1903, the same being the 7th day of said month, at 12 o'clock m., at the court house door of Richmond county, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described lands and premises, lying and being in Richmond county, in Steele's township, adjoining the lands of William Parsons, and the lands of D. A. Parsons and Mrs. Rosanna P. Crump, bounded as follows: Beginning at a locust tree corner, near Reddick Bowden's, deceased, old homestead on the west side of the public road leading from Morrison Hill to Peckin, and running thence various courses of said road to Big Buffalo creek, to stake William Parsons, Sons & Co.'s corner, then down the various courses of said Big Buffalo creek to Neill G. and Cornelia Nicholson's line, where William Parsons, Son & Co.'s land corners in said Neill G. Nicholson and Cornelia Nicholson's line; then with the line S. 36 E. about 248 poles to a pine and two pine pointers; then N. 80 E. to Reddick Bowden's corner (now Rosanna P. Crump's corner), on a post oak near a corner under the firm name of the Page Lumber Company, and a horse mule named Jesse W. Page, wife of Jesse W. Page, by deed from W. M. Ostick and wife dated the 11th day of Jan., 1895, by deed which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Richmond county in Book EEE, pp. 271 & c., to which due reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said land.

—P. C. WHITLOCK, Commissioner.

## MORTGAGEE'S SALE

Under and by virtue of the power contained in a certain mortgage deed and chattel mortgage, executed on the 26 day of April, 1901, and recorded in the Register of Deeds for Richmond county, N. C., in Book RRR, page 132 & c by the Hoffman & Troy Railroad Company, a corporation, and Alex. McN. Page, Jesse W. Page and David A. Page, for themselves individually, and members of the firm trading and doing business under the firm name of the Page Lumber Company, and Alex. McN. Page, wife of Jesse W. Page, by deed from W. M. Ostick and wife dated the 11th day of Jan., 1895, by deed which is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Richmond county in Book EEE, pp. 271 & c., to which due reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said land.

SECOND—A tract or parcel of land lying and being in Richmond county, North Carolina, described as follows, to-wit: adjoining the lands of P. D. Walker, Alex. Page & Bro. and others, bounded as follows, viz: bounded on the same is bounded and described in a certain deed made by John W. McKay and wife, Mary E. McKay to William J. Hawkins, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Richmond county in Book X, pp. 457-8 and 9, to which due reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said land, it being the same land conveyed to A. F. Page by Collin M. Hawkins and wife, by deed which is recorded in Book ZZZ, pp. 371 & c., in the Register of Deeds of Richmond county, and the same land conveyed to A. McN. Page by deed from A. F. Page and wife, dated the 9th day of May, 1899, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds

of Richmond county in Book NNN, pp. 47 & c., to which reference is hereby made for a more particular description, containing about 7,000, more or less.

THIRD—One saw mill known as the Little Mill No. 2, saw and all fixtures, machinery and appliances connected therewith, and also one 20-horsepower Tanager & Delaney engine and boiler and all fixtures and appliances connected therewith, situated on the Dawkins land on Millstone creek, in Richmond county.

FOURTH—Also the turpentine still and all fixtures and appliances connected therewith, situated near the saw and planing mills of the Page Lumber Co. near Hoffman, N. C., and being the only turpentine still, owned by the Page Lumber Co.

FIFTH—The saw mill known as Mill No. 1, saw and all fixtures, machinery and appliances connected therewith, and one 35-horsepower Richmond Locomotive Works engine and boiler and fixtures, situated about four miles from Hoffman, in the county and state aforesaid.

SIXTH—Also the Shay Tram Locomotive No. 317, and also four cars owned and operated on the tram railroad of the Page Lumber Company, in the county of Richmond, N. C.; also two other tram engines which are subject to mortgage of L. J. Jones, trustee, one known as Bill Fitz, operated on the tram road of the Page Lumber Company near Hoffman, N. C., and the other known as Janey, operated in connection with the saw mill of said Page Lumber Co. on the Ledbetter lands, near Rockingham, N. C.

SEVENTH—Also the saw mill known as mill No. 3, saw and all fixtures, appliances and machinery connected therewith, and one 35 horse power Richmond Locomotive Works engine, boiler and fixtures, situated on the Ledbetter lands about five miles east of Rockingham, N. C.

EIGHTH—Also the saw mill known as mill No. 4, saw and all fixtures, machinery and appliances connected therewith, and one engine used therewith, and one Redding Boiler and all fixtures connected therewith, situated on the W. M. Jones & Co. land in Beaver Dam township, State and county aforesaid.

NINTH—One planing mill plant known as the W. M. Jones & Co. plant, including two boilers, one 40-horse power and the other 60-horse power; one double cylinder made by Tanner and Delaney; one 8-horse engine; two planers, one Keystone and the other Glen-cove; one 2 saw Raley & Hermance edge; one dry kiln and apparatus; one steam pump; all other machinery, appliances, fixtures and tools used in connection with said planing mill plant.

TENTH—Also the following horses and mules, to-wit: One gray horse named Frank about 13 years old; one gray horse named Charlie about 14 years old; one bay horse named Bandbox about 10 years old; one sorrel horse named Larry about 9 years old; one bay mare named Alice about 9 years old; one black horse mule named Bob about 6 years old; one black horse mule named Pete about 6 years old; one gray mare mule named Mag about 9 years old; one black horse mule named Mack about 6 years old; one bay horse mule named Tom about 13 years old; one sorrel horse mule named Snap about 13 years old; one black mare-mule named Kit about 8 years old; one bay mare-mule named Lucy about 9 years old; one black horse mule named Pete about 8 years old; one black horse mule named Sug about 13 years old; one black horse mule named Eclipse about 13 years old; one bay mare mule named Dan about 13 years old; one gray horse mule named Bob about 13 years old; one bay horse mule named Heck about 9 years old; one bay

mare mule named Ida about 8 yrs old; one sorrel horse mule named D. C. about 7 years old; one bay horse mule named Henry about 13 yrs old; one sorrel horse mule named Tobe about 9 yrs old; one gray horse mule named Joe about 11 years old; one black horse mule named Sam about 8 yrs old; one roan horse mule named Bob about 11 yrs old; one bay mare mule named Lyde about 8 yrs old; one bay mare mule named Heck about 13 yrs old; one bay mare mule named Rody about 8 years old.

This the 5th day of Nov. 1903.  
ANNIE L. WALL,  
Mortgagee.

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FIRST—A certain tract or parcel of land in Richmond county, adjoining the lands of James McQueen, the Hawkins land and others, which was conveyed to said Alex. McN. Page, Jesse W. Page and David A. Page, by deed from W. M. Ostick and wife, dated the 11th day of January 1895, which deed is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Richmond county in Book EEE page 271 & c., to which reference is hereby made for a more particular description of said land.

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This the 5th day of Nov. 1903.  
Mrs. Fannie L. Wall,  
Jas. P. Leak,  
Thos. C. Leak, Jr.,  
Executors of H. C. Wall,  
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