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L. F. BALDWIN, Adm'r.
Womack & Hayes, Attys.

Summons By Publication.
NORTH CAROLINA Superior Court, CHATHAM COUNTY, Sept. 21, 1897.
Alice Council et al vs. Rufus Pearson et al.

This is a proceeding for partition of land and it appearing to the Court that Rena Pearson is a non-resident of N. C. and is necessary party to this action, it has been ordered by the Court that said Rena Pearson be summoned by publication to appear before R. H. Dixon, C. S. C. of Chatham County, on the 4th of November 1897, and answer or demur to the complaint on file in his office, or the relief therein demanded would be granted and she is hereby so notified and summoned to appear and answer.

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BY VIRTUE OF THE POWERS contained in a certain deed of mortgage executed by Emiline Tripp to C. L. Lindsay on the 9th day of March 1894, and registered in office of Register of Deeds of Chatham County in Book C. S. page 45 of sec. 1, I will on the 18th day of October, 1897, at the court-house door in Pittsboro, N. C., offer for sale, to the highest bidder for cash, a parcel of land in said county and state of N. C., in said township adjoining the lands of Will Tripp, A. W. Norwood et al, containing twenty acres immediately around and including the house where, in the late said Emiline Tripp resided, said house being in the center thereof. Also one black mare mule bought by Emiline Tripp of C. L. Lindsay.
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The editor is not responsible for the views of correspondents, but will allow nothing to enter the columns of the CITIZEN that he knows to be false or slanderous.
We want intelligent correspondents in every township in the county.

Spain has so far failed to subdue Cuba and really seems to be getting farther from subjugation. Rev. A. J. Diaz, the Cuban exile said at Chattanooga, Tenn., at the Southern Baptist convention, that the Cubans would never be satisfied short of independence and that they would never be subdued until they were all killed. Spain to conquer them, he said, must simply wear them out which she can never do. Just as he said, she has not. There has been talk of our government interfering. Thomas Estrada Palma, the head of the Cuban Junta in New York, defines the situation as follows:

"Inasmuch as the Cubans are now more than ever firmly resolved to accept nothing short of absolute independence, the offer of the new Spanish ministry to grant autonomy can make no effect in terminating the war."

"We are satisfied that the hour of our complete freedom is at hand and this offer only confirms us in the belief that Spain knows that she has lost Cuba. We care not whether there is a Liberal or Conservative ministry. We did not listen to Canovas when he offered autonomy, we will be acknowledged as such by Spain, whether under a Liberal or Conservative ministry, or under a republican or Carlist regime, before we lay down our arms."
"We are confident of speedy success. We are fully prepared for the most aggressive campaign of the war. Spain played her best cards first, and lost. What Campos and Weyler, with forty generals and over 200,000 men, failed to do, no other general can accomplish."
"I reflect the unanimous opinion of all our generals and our government when I say that the only solution is our independence."

"We are going to win this fight. The people will triumph in this generation. A few years will witness the adoption of the initiative and referendum, the nationalization of natural monopolies and the successful inauguration of the grand movement which will result in a scientific system of production and distribution. Do your share in this splendid work; the most superb that ever inspired the aspirations of a people.—The New Time."

The cotton farmer whose crop this year is about two-thirds of an average crop, bringing him a fraction under six cents a pound, is not yet fully satisfied with the wave of prosperity even if he does have to pay \$1.00 a bushel for wheat. We need more money in circulation. Farmers should never become lulled by any temporary gust of relief—be satisfied with nothing short of the Omaha platform.

The state has recovered from Stewart Bros., former state printers, over \$5,000 worth of paper. This paper they refused to give up until it was taken from them by process of law. How men do hold to office and its emoluments!
Sanford has an incorporation for manufacturing clothing. We wish the enterprise success. Anything that tends to prevent the trusts and rich corporations from handling all our money.

The Hayseeder, edited by S. Otho Wilson has made its appearance. Its editor seems to be endeavoring to run a paper for his own justification and glorification.

SOME REMARKS ABOUT THE CONDITION OF GERMAN AGRICULTURE.

A few days after I wrote the article on German Agricultural Conditions as the result of some rather imperfect observations I had made in the Province of Saxony in Prussia I was called to the University of North Carolina to teach History and Economics. It has therefore been impossible for me to complete that account in the following issues of the CITIZEN as I had promised my Chatham friends.
In comparing the price of land in Germany with that in America it is necessary to bear in mind that the farmers there are heavily protected by the government and receive in consequence a much higher price for their produce.

As near as I have been able to compute, the price of wheat there was \$1.20, of rye \$1.00, of barley \$0.75 and of oats \$0.50 a bushel. Good butter sells for 35 cts., beef at 20 cts., and pork is a little higher than beef. Peas bring about \$2.00 a bushel and potatoes about \$15.00 a ton. Now these are cash prices and every grower finds a ready market in every town. The public highways are in superb condition and the cost of transportation is very small.

It is even doubtful whether land could bring such prices without the extremely low rate of interest prevailing all over Europe and the sugar beet culture. I regret my inability to compute with any degree of accuracy the price of sugar beets.
In the Province of Saxony and the Duchy of Anhalt this is most important crop and requires a far greater degree of intelligence and skill in its culture. The farmers generally own and operate the sugar factories as stock companies and those who market their own beets are paid according to the polarisation or the amount of sugar contained in the beets. Suffice it to say, this is considered the most remunerative of all the crops.

Another element to be considered in accounting for the cost of land is the price of farm labor. This is in general higher than in North Carolina. A farm laborer receives about \$17.00 a month and about half an acre upon which to plant potatoes. I will say just here that the Irish potato is the chief food supply of the poorer classes in Germany, and, indeed, in most of the European countries.

I have in the above list enumerated the chief farm products with the exception of hay. In regard to grass culture I can give very little information of value. Besides lucerne and clover, lupine is extensively cultivated and especially prized as a green manure to be used on red land. I have been told by agricultural scientist that this improved the quality of land more rapidly than any other grass. I should like very much to see this tried in Chatham by way of experiment; because its success in Germany and Poland has been so phenomenal.

ERNEST T. BYNUM.
P. S. I might have remarked that the barley crop exceeds that of all the cereals. One can conceive of its importance from the fact that the Germans consume more than 500 million gallons of beer annually.

The governor of North Carolina showed true grit and honesty in bouncing two railroad commissioners, one a democrat and one a populist, for accepting favors from the railroad corporation. In Texas nothing is thought of railroad commissioners accepting luxurious journeys and other favors from the corporations they are supposed to watch and regulate. The people of Texas, in their school houses, may some day wake up to what fools are being made of them.

Under the North Carolina governor there would have been a wholesale bouncing on account of the so-called compromise.—Southern Mercury.

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THEIR BET.

One election story is that an itinerant Georgia preacher, who had one horse and a large family, was so confident of Bryan's election that he said to one of the members of his congregation:
"I don't bet, an I ain't agoin ter bet, but if anybody would just make believe that they wagered a hoss ag'in that air 'crescent o' mine that Bryan won't be elected, an keep their counsel about it, it would be all right with me, an I'd jest consider, between me an him, that my hoss wuz stakes ag'in his!"
"All right, brother," said the member. "We'll jest look at it in that light, an if McKinley is elected I'll have two hosses an you none."
It was "a go," but the following Sunday the congregation was amazed to see the preacher tramping to town, where he arrived, way-worn and mud bespattered, and, announcing the platform, began preaching against the "evils of betting."
"Yes," he cried, "there are men in this here congregation so lost ter right an justice that they would bet ag'in the one hoss of a poor man, take it from him an make him walk ter glory for the balance of his days! If such a man is in the hearin' o' my voice to-day, let him tremble! He can't take that election hoss ter heaven with him. If he could ride it plumb into the pearly gates, the Angel Gab'l would holler 'Whoa' an, while the tremblin wretch dismounted, he would hear these words, like the knell o' doom, 'Whar did you get that hoss?'"
After the sermon and the benediction some one took the parson by the arm and led him out into the grove and handed him a bridle (and there was a horse connected with it) and said:
"Here's yer darned old hoss! Pray fer me on your way home!"—Frank L. Stanton in Chicago Times-Herald.

The average politician is paid so much a fool to fool the average voter, and being paid to do so, he studies the slickest methods. Corporations and trusts shut off his pay if he can't both fool the people and serve them. The politicians to do this successfully, have to give and promise their local county manipulators big fees, pensions or salaries. The result of all this kind of politics is, that the official class and the favored corporations eat up in taxes and freights the substance of the people. School house clubs may remedy the evil, or the people may remain in slavery. Give us a state railroad to the tramp ships and a defect of political rings.—Southern Mercury.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold that caused him to be in a most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of a gripe and recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein, we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Bynum & Headen, Pittsboro, N. C.

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Ar. Henderson	12:56 "	1:20p.m
"Durham	4:32 "	4:00p.m
"Raleigh	2:16 "	3:34 "
"Sanford	3:55 "	5:13 "
"Southern Pines	4:22 "	5:56 "
"Monroe	6:43 "	6:11 "
"Charlotte	8:30 "	11:25p.m
Atlanta, (Union Depot) (Cent. Time)	8:50p.m	6:30a.m

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