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**The Leader in the News and in Circulation.**  
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 Saturday, Nov. 21, 1896  
 NORTH CAROLINA'S PENSIONERS.  
 State Auditor R. M. Furman is busy just now sending out the warrants to those who are entitled to pensions under the act of the General Assembly providing for Confederate pensioners. The State will pay this year to its pensioners \$104,704, which is the total amount for 1896. There are four classes of our pensioners and they are classified as follows: Such as have received a wound which renders them totally incompetent to perform manual labor in the ordinary avocations of life, one hundred dollars; such as have lost a leg above the knee or an arm above the elbow, seventy-five dollars; such as have lost a foot or leg below the knee, or hand or arm below the elbow, or have a leg or arm rendered utterly useless by reason of a wound or permanent injury, fifty dollars; such as have lost one eye, and to all widows remaining unmarried, and all other soldiers who are otherwise disabled to perform manual labor by reason of wounds received in the Confederate service, twenty-five dollars.

To the credit of North Carolina it is said that she is one of the most liberal of the Southern States in her provision for her Confederate veterans and dependents. She is one of the few States which pension Confederate soldiers who have been residents of the State for twelve months before making application, although they may have formerly resided in another State. The fact that North Carolina pays over one hundred thousand dollars annually to her Confederate heroes and the widowed women of those heroes will go down into history as a tribute to her name which will shed a halo about it, like the quality of mercy, which in the words of Portia in the Merchant of Venice, blesses both those who give and those who receive.

The total number of pensioners this year is 5,322 and they are divided as follows: In the first class 130; in the second class 240; in the third class, 322; in the fourth class 1,842 soldiers and 2,788 widows.

When the managers of the Southern Railway determined last year to transfer their ocean business from West Point to the harbor of Norfolk and Portsmouth, The Norfolk Ledger expressed the opinion that the change would result in making that port the third in importance of the cotton ports of the country, and the figures of the cotton movement show that the prediction is coming true. The Ledger says: The year prior to the time that the Richmond and Danville Railroad made West Point its deep water terminus, the cotton contributed by that system of roads to our receipts enabled the port of Norfolk and Portsmouth to take the third rank. New Orleans of course coming first, and either Savannah or Galveston second. After the change the annual receipts at West Point ranged from 250,000 bales, and our port fell back to the fifth on the list, where it has remained until the

present year. Thus far this season the receipts here have reached about 300,000 bales, and as but about half of the crop has yet been marketed, it is probable that more than 700,000 bales will be received before the season closes. The conditions at our port are now more favorable than they have ever before been for the development of the general export trade—cotton, lumber, grain, provisions, logs, coal and staves and from this year forward a steady increase may be expected in our export business.

**Ducklin's Anker Salva.**  
 The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by John Y. MacRae.

**More Curative Power**  
 Is contained in a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla than in any other similar preparation. It costs the proprietor and manufacturer more. It costs the jobber more. And it is worth more to the consumer. It has a record of cures unknown to any other preparation. It is the best to buy because it is the one true blood purifier.

Hood's pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. Gentle, reliable, sure.

When baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.  
 When she was a child, she cried for Castoria.  
 When she became a Miss, she clung to Castoria.  
 When she had children, she gave them Castoria.

**Notice To City Tax Payers.**  
 The city tax list for 1896 has been placed in my office for collection. I will be in my office for that purpose every day from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. All taxes not paid by December 1st are subject to a penalty of 1 per cent, and an additional 1 per cent on the first day of each month thereafter until paid.  
 W. B. HUTCHINGS,  
 City Tax Collector.

**New Shoe Store.**  
  
 We call special attention to our new line of  
**Ladies' Fine Shoes,**  
 including all the latest shapes, styles and toes now made in  
**Ladies' Fine Up-to-Date Footwear**

Everything Absolutely New, and warranted to be just as represented. Read the following prices:  
 Ladies' Fine Dongola Kid Button Boots, heel and spring heel, in all the new sizes, at \$8c, \$12, \$15 and \$17.  
 Ladies' Fine Dongola Kid Button Boots, heel and spring heel, in all the latest shapes and sizes, at \$2, \$2 22 and \$2 50.  
 Best line of Men's, Boys' and Children's Shoes in the State.  
**S. C. POOL.**  
 S. B. NORRIS, Manager.

**"PROCRASTINATION Is The Thief of Time."**  
 If you neglected to buy your winter's supply of coal and wood in the summer as your interest requires that you should have done, give us your order now and avoid the rush which always comes with the first spell of cold weather. Convenience and economy demand that you buy your season's supply of fuel at once, and to get in and put away before winter will be a source of satisfaction to you for months to come. Our stock is now complete and we solicit your orders for best goods at lowest prices.

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**COAL and WOOD.**  
 Phone 150. Office 109 Fayetteville St.

**It's This Way**  
  
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"Say! Pa, are you reading eye advertisements?"  
 "No sonny, I am reading of the 'soft snap' Whiting Bros. have on clothing."

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 A big lot of Boys' and Children's Suits. 10c Socks for 5c.  


**Merit**  
 Made and Merit maintains the confidence of the people in Hood's Sarsaparilla. If a medicine cures you when sick; if it makes wonderful cures every where, then beyond all question that medicine possesses merit.

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 That is just the truth about Hood's Sarsaparilla. We know it possesses merit because it cures, not once or twice or a hundred times, but in thousands and thousands of cases. We know it cures, absolutely, permanently, when all others fail to do any good whatever. We repeat

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
 In the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.  
 Hood's Pills  
 In the best—in fact the One True Blood Purifier.

**Land Sale.**  
 Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Wake county, in a certain civil action, No. 721, summons docket of said court, entitled B. F. Morgan vs. J. W. Ryals, Nancy A. Britt and Joseph Austin, I will on Monday, the 21st day of December, 1896, at noon, sell at public auction at the court house door in the city of Raleigh, N. C., the following described tract of land lying in Panther Branch Township, said county, and adjoining the lands of George Partin, A. E. Smith and others and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in Little Creek, thence north 4 degrees east 4 chains and 22 links to a stake, thence north 87 degrees east 14 chains and 44 links to a stake, thence north 40 degrees east 16 chains and 90 links to a stake, thence south 87 degrees east 13 chains and 50 links to a stake, thence north 3 degrees east 11 chains to a stake in the Penny corner, thence north 83 degrees west with L. J. Weathers' line 49 chains to a stake on Juniper Branch, thence down the various courses of said branch to Little Creek, thence down said creek to the beginning, containing one hundred and two and a half acres (102 1/2 acres) as more fully appears by deed of Nancy A. Britt and others to J. W. Ryals and wife, date March 15, 1884, Registry of Wake county, Book 87, page 400, and known as the homestead of said J. W. Ryals. Terms cash.

ARMISTEAD JONES,  
 Commissioner.  
 Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 13, '96.  
 Try BLACK-DRAGON tea for Dyspepsia.

**There is no Time**

During the year when you can't find HERE what you like to wear in clothes, hats or furnishings. It is our strong point—something to suit you at bottom prices.  
 If you see our line of men's suits at \$5, \$7, \$9, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$20 to \$25 you will see the equal at what even an ordinary tailor would charge you double our price, and as far as fit goes they can't improve on our styles. Try us and you save the difference in price, besides delays and trouble of trying to get what you want.

**Our Suits**  
 are of the very latest cut and fabrics, fit perfect, wear as well as anything you could have made.  
 No use your buying boys' clothes that are only half way made and poorly trimmed and pay as much or more than you can buy the best and strictly reliable sort for here. Our prices are very reasonable, our variety double and more than anywhere else. Your money back for all purchases if you want it.

**S. & D. BERWANGER,**  
 Leading One Price Clothiers.

**Sale of Land in Cedar Fork Township.**  
 On Saturday, November 21st, 1896, at the Court House door in Raleigh, at 12 m., by virtue of the power given us in a deed of mortgage, executed by A. S. Pollard and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wake county, in book 78 at page 673, we will sell at public outcry, the following described lands, situated in Wake county and said township, to wit: First, the tract conveyed to said A. S. Pollard, by John W. Hinsdale, commissioned by deed dated May 21st, 1894, adjoining the lands of Joseph Marshall, S. C. Maroon and others; Beginning at a red oak, W. B. Scott's corner, thence North 87 1/2 degrees; west 209 2/5 poles to a stake, Marshall's corner then North 2 degrees East, 22 poles to a small sourwood; then North 87 1/2 degrees West 74 poles to a stump, M. C. Sorrell's line, then South 87 1/2 degrees; East 64 poles to a stake, then South 2 degrees; West 24 1/2 poles to pointer S. C. Maroon's corner, then North 1 1/2 degrees, East 74 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing about 127 acres. Second the tract of about 18 acres adjoining the lands of Lucy Page, J. Watkins, J. Q. Adams, and Dennis Sorrell and described in a deed from Susan Page Jere Watkins and wife to said Pollard dated Nov. 10th, 1880. Third, The Home tract of said Pollard, on which he formerly lived adjoining the lands of Thos. Pollard, J. Q. Adams and others and described in deed to him from G. W. Lynn dated January 1st, 1872 and registered in Register's office for said county in Book 34 at page 239. Terms cash.

**Valuable City and Country Real Estate for Sale.**  
 On Monday, the 21st day of December, 1896, at the court house door in Raleigh, N. C., we will sell to the highest bidder at public outcry the following real property belonging to the estate of the late William G. Upchurch: 1. The house and lot on McDowell street in the city of Raleigh, which was occupied by said W. G. Upchurch as a family residence at the time of his death. This lot fronts about 155 feet on McDowell street and runs back about 210 feet. There is also an alley or entrance to the premises from Martin street. The dwelling is a handsome two-story wooden building with seven rooms and there are suitable stables and out-houses on the lot. This property is covered by the first estate, doer, of Mrs. Eleanor M. Upchurch, widow of said W. G. Upchurch and will be sold subject to her rights. 2. A lot in the village of Oberlin, near Raleigh, adjoining the lots of Spence, Davis and others, fronting on Wade's avenue, being lot No. 27 in the plat of said village as recorded in Register's book 22, at page 684, containing about one acre. 3. A tract of land containing 151 acres, more or less, in Swift Creek township, Wake county, about four miles southwest of Raleigh in the section of country known as Rhankate. It being the land conveyed to W. G. Upchurch by H. J. Upchurch and wife by deed registered in Book No. 138 at page 190 of the said Register of Deeds office. 4. A tract of land containing about 60 acres, lying in the said Rhankate section of Wake county and bounded on the north by the lands of office late Wm. Grimes, on the east by J. W. Cole's land, on the south by the Holly Springs road, and on the west by the lands of George Green; it being a portion of the land conveyed to W. G. Upchurch by deed registered in book No. 52, at page 41 of said Register of Deeds office. 5. Lots Nos. 271 and 272 in the plan and map of the Raleigh mill, property south of the city of Raleigh. The lots adjoin each other and lie on the corner of Glendale street and Maywood avenue and are each about 60 ft by 150 ft in size. They are described in a deed registered in book No. 109 at page 494 of said Register of Deeds office. 6. A tract of about 20 acres, lying about 1 1/2 miles south of Raleigh, adjoining the lands of the Carolina Mills, known as "Upchurch's Blackball place." It being the land now occupied by Bryant Smith, Esq. This property is well improved, has a large barn and stable and good dwelling on it, and the land is in a high state of cultivation and a fine market garden. There are a number of large suppressing vines and a good orchard on the place. Sale made by virtue of powers conferred upon the undersigned executors by the will of W. G. Upchurch, deceased. Terms of sale: one fourth cash, balance to be paid in three equal annual installments with interest from date of sale. CHAS. H. BELVIN, Executor of W. G. Upchurch, deceased. D. D. UPCHURCH, W. G. Upchurch, Executor of W. G. Upchurch, deceased. Nov. 21st, 1896.

**DON'T Overlook This!**  
 We give prescriptions special care and attention at all hours, day or night. If that is what you want, we are.  
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**Wynne and Birdsong,**  
 North Side Drug Store,  
 Halifax street, one block south of Peace Institute.

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 Of Fayetteville and Martin Sts., Just as you Come Up from the Park Hotel  
**MacRae's Branch Pharmacy,**  
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 Just the thing for Fair Week, Call around boys, will be glad to see you.  
**John Y. McRae.**

**COULD HAVE COMING.**

Lookout, are you ready for it? If not, come and get your shoes. Some beautiful blankets, quilts, comforts, rubber shoes, pillows and coats, capes, cloaks, jackets, umbrellas, lap robes. Do not forget your horses, we have plenty of blankets for them.  
**Lyon Racket Store**

**Sale of Land Near Raleigh.**  
 As executor of the late J. H. Bobbitt I will offer for sale at the Court House door in Raleigh, at 12 o'clock, on Saturday the 5th day of December, 1896, a valuable tract of land about 2 1/2 miles east of Raleigh, containing Ninety-four acres, more or less, adjoining the lands of W. E. Holleman, deceased, J. D. Dodd, J. W. Cross and others, it being the tract of land formerly owned by Jas. Moore and previously by M. A. Parker. About 60 acres of this tract are in a good state of cultivation, of which a part is well drained low-grounds. Good tenant house and necessary out-houses and a good well of water are on the premises. Terms \$350 cash, balance three equal annual installments with interest from date of sale.  
 J. H. H. BOBBITT,  
 Ex. of J. B. Bobbitt.

**SALE OF LAND.**  
 Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court, in a civil action, No. 6012, at a session of the Court at Raleigh, on December 18th, 1896, we will sell at public auction at the court house door in the city of Raleigh, on the 15th day of the following month, all that certain tract of land situate in Johnston county, in the township of Wake, beginning at a stake in the line of the late Jonathan Pool's line, thence a 26 1/2 poles to a stake said Watkin's n w corner; thence a 35 w 3 1/2 poles; thence west 89 1/2 poles to two red oaks on the bank of Neuse river, thence up the various courses of said river, thence with his line a 85 1/2 poles to the beginning, containing 594 acres. Also the same line and place, we will sell the personal property set out in said decree, consisting of 1 mule, 1 horse, 2 wagons, harness, farming implements and part of crops, made on said land. Terms cash.  
 ARMISTEAD JONES,  
 THOS R. FURNELL,  
 Commissioners.

**NOTICE.**  
 J. C. Maroon, administrator of the estate of Cherry Penny, deceased, vs. Mary Walters and Henry Walters, her husband, Mary Allen, Lillie Allen, Roxie Allen, John Allen, George Allen, George Penny, Ada Penny, and Annie Holloway, heirs at law of Cherry Penny, deceased.  
 To Mary Walters, Henry Walters, Mary Allen, Lillie Allen and John Allen, defendants above named.  
 You will take notice that a special proceeding has been instituted in this court by J. C. Maroon administrator of Cherry Penny, deceased, entitled as above, for the purpose of obtaining an order for the sale of the real estate of his said intestate, to create assessments for the payment of the debts of the estate and the charges of administration, and you are hereby required to appear at my office in Raleigh, N. C., on the 24 day of December, 1896, to answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff in said order or proceeding, otherwise the relief prayed for will be granted.  
 D. H. YOUNG,  
 Clerk Superior Court of Wake Co.  
 October 19, '96.

**PISO'S**  
 For Consumption  
 For the last 20 years we have kept Piso's Cure for Consumption in stock, and would sooner think a groceryman could get along without sugar in his store than we could without Piso's Cure. It is a sure seller.—RAVEN & CO., Druggists, Ceresco, Michigan, September 2, 1896.

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 which is entirely fire proof and burglar proof, has been added. The doors controlled by combination, automatic and time locks, built by the Miller Safe and Iron Works, of Baltimore, and superintended by Mr. J. M. Morrison, of New York, an expert in burglar proof work. In this vault we have placed  
**SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES**  
 of the very latest design, the convenience of which can best be appreciated when all they are seen, and all are invited to see them.  
 The renter of the box has the key, and no one can get access to the contents of the box without the presence of the renter, and if he should lose his key, the holder could not gain access to the box, the contents of which can be known only to the renter. There is ample room in the boxes for the storage of deeds, valuable papers, wills, bonds, stocks, etc., and perfect security is obtained for very moderate cost.  
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