

INAUGURATION RUSH.
Hotels in Washington busy booking guests.
By Telegraph to the Press-Visitor.
Washington, Dec. 3.—The principal hotels are crowded with applications for accommodations for the first five days of March. The applications are far in excess of any previous inauguration period so far in advance of the time fixed for the ceremonies. Most of the applications are from clubs and large parties, and such applications have precedence with the hotel managers, for the reason that the visitors can be more readily, in hotel parlance, "doublet up." This means the placing of four persons and upward in one room, according to the size of the room. The rule seems to be to accept no offers for a less period than four days, each person to pay \$5 per day, or \$20 for the visit, regardless of whether it is limited to one day or extended to four.

You Can Be Well.
When your blood is pure, rich, and nourishing for nerves and muscles. The blood is the vital fluid, and when it is poor, thin and impure you must either suffer from some distressing disease or you will easily fall a victim to sudden changes, exposure, or overwork. Keep your blood pure with Hood's Sarsaparilla and be well.
Hood's pills are the best after-dinner pill, assist digestion, cure headache, 25 cents.

MORTGAGE SALE.
Under and by virtue of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned by J. B. Bobbitt, deceased, and recorded in book 135, at page 505, Register of Deeds office for Wake county, we will expose to sale at public auction at the door of the court house of Wake county, in Raleigh, N. C., at 12 o'clock on Saturday, the 29th day of December, 1896, the following described lot or parcel of land, situated on the east side of South West street in the city of Raleigh, between Morgan and Hargett streets, adjoining the lands of the late Kimbrough Jones, on the north, another lot belonging to the estate of J. B. Bobbitt on the south, being part of city lot No. 154, as shown in Sheriff's map, and the northern lot, as now enclosed by fence, of the lot conveyed to J. B. Bobbitt Dec. 14, 1878, by D. M. Carter et al, by deed recorded in book 53, at page 14 in said Register of Deeds office, and fronts on said West street 55 feet, and 4 inches and runs back east in depth 108 feet. Terms of sale cash.
PEELE & MAYNARD,
Attorneys for Mortgagees.

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J. N. HOLDING,
B. S. JERMAN,
Trustees.

Sale of Land.
Under and by virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Wake county, entitled Allen vs. J. W. Parnell, and at request of defendant, I will on the 4th day of January, 1897, at 10 o'clock, sell at public auction, at the court house door, a tract of land in New Light township, in Parnell county 41 9/10 acres more or less, bounded on the north by the lands of T. C. Powell, P. H. Mangum and others; east by the land of J. W. Wiggin; south by New Light road; west by Tom Edwards' gin lot and Oxford road, known as Edwards' land and conveyed to J. W. Parnell by W. C. Brewer. Terms cash.
THOS. H. FURWELL,
Dec. 3-14s. Commissioner.

CITY HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.
By virtue of authority conferred by a certain deed of trust from G. H. Perry and Maria Perry, his wife, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Wake county, N. C., in book 120 at page 577, I will on Monday, January 4th, 1897, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, a certain house and lot on the South side of West Cabarrus street, between Dawson street and the North Carolina Railroad, being part of lot No. 49 in the plan, (Shaded Map) of the city of Raleigh, N. C., said lot being bounded on the North by the Churchhill Harris lot and West Cabarrus street, on the East by the lots known as the "Bonsur Lot" and the "Duke Lot," on the South by Lot No. 24 in the said Plan of said city and on the west by said Railroad and the Churchhill Harris lot.
Place of Sale: County court house door, in Raleigh, N. C. Time of sale: 11 o'clock a. m.
EABERT HAYWOOD, Trustee.
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Executor's Notice.
Having this day qualified as Executor of the estate of the late Crady Hinkle, deceased, this is to give notice to all parties having claims against said party will present them to me on or before the 15th day of November, 1896, and will be paid in full at that time.
J. J. LEE,
Executor.

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We have in stock a special lot of hall racks that usually sell at \$12.00, we will now close them out @ \$8.00.

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CHOICE GROCERIES
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THOS. PESGUD.
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Administrator's Notice.
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Cherry Penny, deceased, late of Wake county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the said estate to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 8th day of October, 1897, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery, and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment to me.
J. C. MASCOU, Adm'r.
R. T. GRAY, Atty.
October 7, 1896.

To the Tax Payers of Wake County.
I urge and insist that I must collect the taxes, and that each taxpayer must come forward and settle at once. It is important that I should close up my tax account for the year 1896, and hence make this urgent appeal. To all who come forward and settle before December 1st, 1896, I shall charge no cost; but after that I shall charge cost as allowed by law. This is positively the only notice I shall send out.
M. W. PACE,
Sheriff of Wake County.
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Administrator's Notice.
Having qualified as administrator of the estate of A. K. Weather, deceased, I hereby give notice to all persons having claims against said estate to present them to me for payment before the first day of October, 1897 otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of the same. All persons in debt to the said A. K. Weather are requested to come forward and settle the same at once.
G. H. CLARK,
Administrator for A. K. Weather, Deceased. oct14 1896

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G. H. CLARK,
Administrator for A. K. Weather, Deceased. oct14 1896