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Pursuant to a decree and order of sale made by the Superior Court of Granville county in the Special Proceedings entitled, Ann Rogers, B. F. Bullock et al. Ex parte, I shall on

Just Received at C. A. Carroll's Grocery

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JANUARY JOTTINGS.

SHORT-STOPS IN THE LOCAL LINE

Gathered and Condensed for the Eye of the Reader. -Mr. C. A. Carroll is quite happy now, as a bright eyed girl has arrived at his home.

-The floor in the new Episcopal church has been laid and the wainscoting will soon be finished. -Look sharp for bargains as W. L. Rice, at Happy Corner, will continue his great reduction sale until the first of March.

-Master John Hall, Jr., now has Gus Hall, Jr., quite a fine boy, to keep him company, and Mr. A. S. Hall is proud of him.

-Mrs. R. W. Lassiter, who has been on the sick list for two weeks, is convalescing, and we wish her a rapid restoration to health.

-Mrs. Julia Minor, Mrs. W. A. Parham and Mrs. E. T. Rawlins, who have been quite sick several days with gripp, are much better we are pleased to learn.

-We are very glad to learn that Taylor-Cannady Buggy Co. will have to turn out 50 buggies a week to keep up with orders, so popular has become their make of buggies.

-Rev. F. W. Hilliard will hold services and preach in St. Peter's church, Stovall on Sunday next, Jan. 27 at 11 o'clock a. m.

-In the advertisement of A. A. Lyon, Commissioner, for sale of land the date of sale should be Feb 16th instead of the 10th. Please note the change of date in said advertisement.

-Owing to the severe weather but little work was done on the cotton factory the past week.

-Mr. Watson is completing a nice green house and a commodious barn on the Hicks place near town.

-Mr. Will Dorsey has moved from Broughtonsville to Oxford and now occupies the Holloway house on Raleigh street.

-The first quarterly meeting of the year will be held at the Methodist church the first Sunday in February by Dr. J. T. Gibbs.

-The twin elephant sign in front of the double stores of Mr. J. D. Brooks, on Hillsboro street, attracts a great deal of attention.

-The Fayetteville dispensary was a profitable and well managed affair. It cleared \$12,341.39 for 1900 above the saloon system.

-Death is the total eclipse of all life's hopes to those who have no hope in Jesus, and it behooves every one to be ready for the eclipse.

-Andrew Lyon, of Knop of Reeds and one of our long standing colored subscribers was in Oxford Friday and called on the editor to leave a silver wheel for the PUBLIC LEDGER another year.

-Mr. James Paris, who has charge of the street force and rock crusher, has commenced to rock the sidewalks which will prove a blessing to the large number who have to walk, and of course will thank the town fathers for remembering them.

-Note the change in the advertisement of W. S. Beck for sale of land from Feb. 13 to the 20th.

-Read change in the advertisement of Mr. Wash Lynch, as he is just the man to sell you a splendid watch.

-We call attention to notice of incorporation of Oxford Seminary for Girls, and to amend the charter of the Oxford & Coast Line Railroad by the Legislature.

-A large number of members of the Legislature from the fifth congressional district called on the Governor and urged him to retain Gen. B. S. Royster as Adjutant General.

-Otis Hobgood, the popular mail carrier on Route No. 2, who has been sick for a few days is better. Mr. Buck Brown has succumbed to the gripp and is in bed. Mrs. Frank Spencer who has also been quite sick is much better.

-Durham Herald says, the example of the noble Wilmington girl who refused to allow the wedding ceremony to be performed because the groom-to-be appeared on the scene under the influence of whiskey is to be commended. If there were more girls like this there would be fewer drunks.

-Everybody has to tramp, tramp, and will wear out shoes, and we invite your attention to the advertisement of Mr. Will Dorsey, who has succeeded Mr. E. K. Howard in business, as he is selling shoes at cost. Now is the time to buy, so go and see him as he says they must and should be worn by the people.

-Do you intend to pay for the Public Ledger? If not please write us a postal card and tell us so and the paper will be discontinued at once. We cannot afford to send it to any one free of charge.

-The Oxford market is still on top on prices. All our warehouses made splendid sales Tuesday as our farmer friends after the sales had bright smiles on their faces.

-Your attention is called to sale of land in another column by E. C. Harris, substituted trustee.

Queen Victoria after a reign of over 60 years, Queen of England died Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock of paralysis, surrounded by the members of her family, and that country is in sadness and gloom.

-The man who has an excuse or a reason for being in business ought to tell the people what that reason is, and C. A. Carroll, the groceryman, next to Johnson Warehouse, says his only excuse is, that he is determined to sell you the best freshest groceries for the least money.

-About 3:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, a sad and almost heart-rending accident occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. Haskell, on Pine street, Durham, by which their four-year old son, Barney, was burned to death.

-It is a pleasure to us to see that Hon. A. W. Graham's services are proving so valuable in the Legislature, as he is a hard worker, and as he is chairman of the important committee on Proposition and Grievances of the House, chairman of the Third Division of judiciary committee, and is a member of Finance, Roads, Constitutional Amendment and Claims committees.

-The Congressional investigation of the West Point Military Academy has borne fruit rather unexpectedly. Saturday night, when the Congressmen were hurrying their inquiries to a termination, the cadets of all four classes held a meeting in Grant hall and unanimously decided to abandon exercising and hazing of every form as well as the practice of calling out fourth class men.

-Wilmington Messenger: As we understand the question Judge Graham and others who agree with him are not opposed to increasing the governor's salary if it can be done legally and properly.

-The North Carolina Tobacco Growers' Association met in Raleigh Jan. 16 and John S. Cunningham was unanimously elected President. The association instructed Mr. Cunningham to go before the Legislature and obtain a charter giving the farmers of the State ample power to erect at any desired point tobacco cotton and fertilizer factories.

-It is a pleasure to us to note that Governor Aycock requested our very efficient Adjutant General Beverly S. Royster and Quartermaster General Macon to continue to act until he has had time to consider his course fully.

COMING AND GOING.

YOU KNOW SOME, BUT NOT ALL.

They Will Come and Go All the Same. -Judge Graham spent Sunday at home.

-Mr. John Booth is on a visit to his family. -Rev. A. McCullen was in Henderson Monday.

-Mr. Henry Hundley is on a visit to his old home. -Mr. J. S. Hall was in Louisburg Monday on business.

-Miss Nellie Currin is now visiting Miss Mary Ferebee at Norfolk. -Rev. J. H. Floyd, of Person county, was on his streets Tuesday.

-Miss Dora Sater, of Charlotte, visited Mrs. Julia Minor the past week. -Mr. H. O. Farman, of the road, enjoyed Sunday with his family in Oxford.

-Mrs. Iverson Skinner, of Wilson, is on a visit to Mrs. Cynthia Skinner. -Misses Susan and Alice Graham are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Robt. Strong, in Raleigh.

-Mrs. Pinnix and sons are now boarding with Mrs. R. O. Gregory on College street. -Mr. E. T. Husketh, of Wilton, was on our streets Thursday called to see the editor.

-Miss Willman and Miss May Francis, the popular milliners, have returned to Baltimore. -Mr. W. P. Lyon and two sons, of Wilton, were in Oxford Tuesday and called to see the editor.

ROYAL Baking Powder. Made from pure cream of tartar. Safeguards the food against alum.

Death of Cadet Redmond Bunn. A gloom pervaded our community Wednesday night last after we had issued the paper when the sorrowful announcement was made that Cadet Redmond Bunn at Horner Military School, had quietly passed beneath the veil of tears, and a bright and popular young earthly light had gone out forever.

He enjoyed the holidays with his devoted parents at Rocky Mount, and a few days afterwards was taken sick which developed into typhoid pneumonia, and gradually grew worse until death claimed him as its own. He received every possible attention at the hands of the school authorities and Dr. S. H. Cannady, the excellent attending physician.

Hon. and Mrs. B. H. Bunn, his devoted parents, were at his bedside when death overshadowed his brow, and the tender sympathies of our whole community go out to them in the hour of great sorrow which almost suddenly cast a dark shadow upon their hearts and home.

The remains were taken to Rocky Mount Thursday for burial, and it was a sad parting with the cadets and officers of the school, as they loved and honored "gentle, kind, manly and companionable Redmond Bunn; gentle as a girl and blessed with a lovable character," said one of the cadets.

Mr. Bunn is an old time friend of the editor, and our warmest condolence go out to him and his dear wife in the overshadowing gloom that hangs like a pall over their bleeding hearts.

His jewels from below, To live in mansions of eternal rest, Where pain and death can never go.

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