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## Sale of Land.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed to me on the 26th day of May, 1905, by M. C.Ran-som and others, as Trustees of the Saint's page 88, of the Office of the Register of Beeds of Granville county, I shall, on MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17TH, 1908,

sell to the highest bidder, for cash, by public auction, at the Court House door, in land, near the town of Oxford, to-wit: That the road leading from Oxford to Rag'and's store, known as a part of the Barky Gee land, adjoining the lands of A Baker on the North, kev. J. R. Griffith on the East, the public road on the South and John Builock on the West and containing about 24 acres, more or less, it being all the Banky Gee land on the North side of said road except 4 acres sold off to John Bullock; said tract of land being the same land conveyed to M. A. Hicks and wife, see Deed Book 58, page Granville County. This January 15, 1938. B. S. ROYSTER, Trustee. Time of Sale 12 o'clock M.

Do you have backache occasionally, or you feel all tired out, without ambition and Bladder Pills. They promptly relieve backache, weak back, inflammation of the bladder and weak kidneys. Sold by J. G. Hall

## SHORT POINTED LOCALS. MOVING OF BUSY THRONG.

THE WEEK.

What is Going on in Around Town and Country.

Mr. Ira Beck, of Creedmoor, was in town Wednesday.

Mr. C. W. Pleasants, of Route 7, was in Oxford Wednesday.

Mr. L. F. Smith, is still kept in doors by illness, at his home, the Exchange

The law has caught "the old man," and he looks happy as he presides over the grand jury as foreman.

Take a careful perusal of the new ads this week. Our merchants have some interesting things to say to you.

The jury having sat on the case of Lank Daniel, finally sat on Lank, who is booked for an engagement at the

Mrs. Annie Landis returned Saturthe best possible service day from Norfolk where she had been to attend the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Thomas A. Gatch, of Baltimore.

> Messrs. J. H. Baker & Co., of Wake Forest, have purchased the stock of goods of Mr. W. Leak Peace, on Ral- his home with grip. eigh road, and will continue the business at that stand.

I want to thank the many good people who have been so kind as to help me to get the beautiful doll which I so much appreciate.

ELIZABETH BRAGG.

Those naughty boys who carry guns and are disposed to be fierce are receiving prompt attention at the hands Best line of Gigars and of Judge Guion. His Honor is giving

Mrs. Annie Landis received a telegram Tuesday morning, announcing around town last week. Gome and give us your trade the death of her sister in-law, Mrs. Thomas C. Hicks, of Lancaster, S. C., which occurred Monday night at 8

> Little Miss Elizabeth Bragg was an Oxford visitor Saturday. the lucky recipient of the doll given by the Gem Electric Theatre Co.. winning by 11 votes. The vote was: Elizabeth Bragg 1,115,Ruth Pitchford 1,-104 and Fannie Taylor 407.

The national political pot is beginning to simmer. It will soon be time for the appearance of the gentlemen who "point with pride" and keep their "eye singled." It is also time for the looking about the burgh last week. country to begin to go to the demnition bow-wows.

Mr. J. M. Farabow, of Stem, came in and turned over to us a pocket book containing some money. When the proper owner comes in and identifies himself and gives proof of ownership, we will be glad to turn it over to him. It is fortunate that it happened to be an honest and honorable man who found the purse.

#### West-O'Brien.

both formerly of Oak Hill, were on neuralgia. Christmas day married at the residence of Mr. Nat Williams, in Durham

## Two Big Pigs.

Mr. G. C. May looked in at the shop one day last week and, with much Ark, which is duly recorded in Book 64, pride, stated that he has raised two pigs, eleven months old, that weighed respectively, 450 and 465 pounds, Mr. May has been contesting with Mr. Oxford, the following described tract of Milton Hobgood for the pig championtract or parcel of land on the North side of ship, and thinks that he has the drop on Mr. Hobgood.

#### Thanks to the Dispatch.

Messrs. Frank M. aud W. Mott Pinnix, formerly of Lexington, sons of the late Marshall Pinnix, Esq., anof land being the same land conveyed to M. C. Ransom and others. Trustees of Saint's nounced in the last issue of the Oxford her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Britt. Public Ledger that they had purchas-1, of the Office of the Register of Deeds of ed that paper and would edit it in the future. The Dispatch extends best wishes for a prosperous newspaper. The short visit to her mother, Mrs. J. H. grip. Public Ledger, already a good paper, Horner. "stitches" in the side, and sometimes do will doubtless progress rapidly under without energy? If so, your kidneys are out of order. Take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. They promptly relieve back tlemen.

Subscribe to the Public Ledger.

BRIEF LOCAL HAPPENINGS OF PEOPLE YOU KNOW AND THOSE YOU DON'T KNOW.

Items to Keep Reader Informed of The Faces of Those Caught in Pass ing Coming and Going by Our Man-About-Town.

Mr. W. B. Cash was in town Thurs

Mr. E. F. Currin was in town last

Mr. Roy Badgett came in town last

Mr. M. L. Coley. of Cozart, was in Oxford Friday. Mr. J. B. Currin was on the streets

Saturday. Mr. C. H. Cheatham was a Satur-

day visitor. Mr. W. T. Minor spent Sunday wih his mother.

Mr. Titus Currin visited Oxford on business Friday.

Mr. Crawford Hobgood was looking about town Saturday. Mr. Clayton Daniels was in town is a visitor this week.

on business Saturday.

Mr. J. F. Meadows is quite sick at to Oxford Mouday. Mrs. Lavinia Maddry is suffering

from an attack of grip. Mr. W. T. Blackwell, of Route 4, came in town Thursday.

Mr. T. E. Bobbitt, of Fishing Creek, was in town last Saturday.

Col. W. H. Osborne, of Greensboro, was in Oxford last week.

Mr. J. W. Floyd, of Route 2, came attending court Tuesday. to Oxford Saturday.

Mr. M. Blalock, of Culbreth, was seen on the streets last week.

Mr. J. H. Andrews, of Raleigh, was Mr. J. G. Shotwell, of Berea, was in came in town this week.

Oxford on business last Friday. Mr. Graham Royster, of Buchanan,

was an Oxford visitor last week. Mr. J. S. Bailey, of Route 4, was

an Oxford visitor last Saturday. Mr. S. T. Dickerson, of Dement, was

Judge A. W. Graham returned Saturday from a flying trip to Raleigh.

Mr. J. Ed Duncan, of Stem, called at the editorial den last Saturday.

Mr. W. R. Taylor, after spending a day in Oxford, returned to Wilson

Messrs. Melvin Bragg and Marion Taylor returned from Richmond last

A belated report came in that Mr. Mrs. C. H. Easton is indisposed James O'Brian and Miss Lena West, from a combined attack of grip and

> Mr. E. D. McCall, route agent of the Southern Express Co., was in Ox- day. ford last week.

in Oxford looking after business interests last Friday.

Miss Jennie Frances, of Baltimore. is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Landis, on Front street.

Miss Annie Lee Currin, of Macon Ga., is visiting her grand parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Marsh.

Mrs. G. W. Hobbs, of New Jersey. arrived in Oxford last Friday to visit

Mrs. Judge Winston, of Durham, came to Oxford Saturday to pay a

Willie Grimsley, are both quite sick Mount, visited Miss Imogen Cannady, at their home, suffering from an at- who is sick at Mrs. Anna Landis' restack of grip.

Mr. A. S. Frazier, of Berea, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. E. P. Wheeler, of Stem, was in town Tuesday. Mr. C. R. Gordon, of Clay, was

court Monday.

Wednesday. Mr. S. N. Goss, of Lyons, was in town Tuesday.

Mr.J.A.Davis, of Route 3, attended court Tuesday.

Mr. T. Ball, of Kittrell, visited Oxford this week.

Mr. R. W. Knott, of Route 1, was in town Tuesday.

Mr. W. C. Currin, of Route 1, was in Oxford Tuesday.

Mr. T. E. Dement, of Route 3, was n town Tuesday. Mr. S. V. Morton, of Route 4, was

n town Wednesday. Mr. Joseph J. Farris is visiting rel-

atives in Greensboro. Mr. W. C. Currin, of Greensboro,

Mr. M. M. Nelson, of Oxford No.

7, is attending court. Mr. J. W. Garrett, of Nelson, Va., was in Oxford Monday.

Mr. P. G. Pruitt, of Route 6, was in town on business.

Mr. H. Suit, of Berea, was in Oxford on business Monday.

Mr. J. P. Cannady, of Route 1, was

Mr. D. W. Adcock, of Route 4, is Mr. Jack Howard was looking all anding court this week. Mr. J. C. Yergin, of Hester, was in

town the first of the week. Mr. H. W. Davis, of Bullock, is in Oxford attending court.

Mr. Walter Farabow, of Route 6,

Mr. V. Γ. Cheatham, was in town on business Wednesday.

Ex-Sheriff Sam Fleming was in town Tuesday attending court.

Mr. J. M. Tillotson, of Route 5 was attending court Tuesday.

Mr. Z. V. Turner, of Northside, was in town Tuesday on business. Mr. Z. E. Lyon, of Creedmoor, was

an Oxford visitor Wednesday, Mr. L. D. Royster, of Virgilina, Route 2, was in Oxford Monday.

Mr. N. F. Hobgood, of Route 4, called at the sanctum Tuesday.

Mr. H. H. Latta, of Berea, came around to the print shop Tuesday.

Bishop J. M. Horner, of Asheville, visited relatives in Oxford last week.

Dr. O. W. Holloway, of Northside, paid a visit to the editorial den Tues.

Mr. Chas D. Currin, of Route 6, is Mr. S. R. Howard, of Route 4, was in town attending to business this

Mr. Wilkins Stovall, of Sassafras Fork township, is in town attending

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Harris, of Creedmoor, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thos. | 66 Harris on College street. Rev. F. M. Shamburger, of Eden-

ton Street Methodist church, Raleigh, is in Oxford for a " days. Misses Annie Elizabeth and Sallie tain. Can be attached Wortham, neices of Miss Annie Ham-

Mrs. Nat Cannady, of Cannady's Mrs. T. L. Booth and sister, Miss Mill, and sister, Miss Jones, of Rocky Mrs. W. J. Averett Dead.

On last Sunday morning, Mrs. Averett, wife of Mr. W. J. Averett, and sister of Mr. Ernest M. Dean, of Oxford, died at her home near Providence. The deceased lady, who was 29 years of age, is survived by her husband, her mother, and five children. She was Mr. A. P. Overton was in the city buried at the old Averett burying ground, the Rev. J. A. Stradley conducting the funeral services, which were held at the residence. These were the pallbearers: Messrs.L. Thomassor, William Dickerson, Will Fuller, J.P. Bradsher, W. D. Thomasson, and Tom

Walters. Mrs. Averett was a devoted member of the Baptist Church, in which she birthday and holiday presents. has held membership from childhood J. Robert Wood was the undertaker.

Joh: -"What kind of tea do you like best? Priscilla— 'Go tees, some but Rocky Mountain Tea best.' John— 'Why Hollister's Rocky M untain Tea best?' Priscilla— 'It speaks for itself, John.' [Makes lovely complexions.] J. G. Hall.

## Gift to Episcopal Church.

The following clipping taken from the Raleigh Evening Times will be of much interest to Oxford people: "The Home Mission Board of the Presbyterian Church of the United States has declined the country estate, "Beaux Chenes," presented to them as a gift by John Roebling, the multi-millionaire son of Colonel Roebling, of Brooklyn bridge fame. Mr. Roebling an-Mr. J. S. Peed, of Creedmoor, came nounced his intention of abandoning all guaranteed at Hall's Drug his estate, which joins that of George Store. W. Vanderbilt's "Biltmore," and to leave Asheville, because the town has voted "dry." On account of his views against probibition, he has been notified by the home board of missions that

they regret they cannot accept his offer. Mr. Roebling then made the same offer to the Episcopal Church which has accepted the gift, through Bishop Prescription Department. Horner, of North Carolina, and the Episcopal Mission Board."

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