### **OXFORD PUBLIC LEDGER, FRIDAY OCTOBER 13, 1911.**

#### HIS PROMISES ARE MANY.

Edward Mat, Who Weds Guarantees to Be Model Husband.

By Associated rPess.

Chicago .- Edward Matt, who today married Miss Gertrude Ellis, souht to avoid future domestic infelicty by filing with the county recorder a guarantee to be as nearly the model husband as possible. The guarantee signed and witnessed by a notary, promised:

"She may do as she pleases. She is free to go and come when she likes, to go with whom she chooses and I will not be jealous I will not go gunning for a fellow because he admires her, and because she smiles when he speaks to her; will not interfere with any of her plans.

"I will be kind and good to her. I will give here all my earnings, and it will be her privilege to do long as she feeds me well.

"When we have a surplus and it goes to the bank, I agree not to hold the keys. The checks may be signed by either of us. I agree to come home at a proper hour each night or give her a valid excuse.

"And I further agree that I will let her get a divorce if I fail to behave as a kind, loving gentle considerate husband should."

When the guarantee had been duly placed on record the couple souht a minister and were married.

#### **TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND**

the 12th day of August, 1908 by J.

He Got Well Tuberculosis is said to be curable by simply living in the open air and taking an abundance of fresh eggs and milk. Undoubtedly, some persons are benefited in this way; but the appropriate remedy for Consumption is Eckman's Alterative. Do all you possibly can to add to strength and increase weight, eat wholesome, nour Isking food, and breathe the cleanest and purest air-then, to the sensible things of right living, add the tonic and curative

**Tells Consumptives How** 

effects of Eckman's Alterative. Read what it did in this cuse: 609 West Street, Wilmington, Del. "Gentlemen: In January, 1908, I was taken with hemorrhages of the lungs. My physician, one of the leading practitioners, said that it was lung trouble. I took eggs and milk in quantities, but I got very weak, and I kept on working in the store. The doctors said I would not gain in weight as long as I stayed in the store but I kept on working and prayed each day that I might get well. I believe my preyers were answered, for Mr. C. A. Lippincott, my employer (Lippincott & Co., Department Store, 306 to 314 Market street, Wilmington; Del.), had learned of a remedy called Eckman's Alterative that had done great good, and upon his rec-commendation I began taking it at once. This was about June, 1908. I continued faithfully, using no other remedy, and finally noticed the clearing of the lungs, which appeared to be old chunks of blood coming up. I now have no trouble with my lungs. I firmly believe Eckman's Alterative saved my life. I sent my spittle later to the State Board of Health to be examined for tuberculosis bacilli, and nere were found. "My mother died from Consumption when I was about two years old.

"I make this statement so that others may learn of the wonderful merits of Eckman's Alterative. I regard my recovery as being miraculous JAS. SQUIRES. (Signed Affidavit) JAS. SQUIRES. Eckman's Alterative is effective in Bron-chitis, Asthma, Hay Fever; Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evi-dence. For sale by all leading druggists and (Signed Affidavit)

#### J. G. HALL, Oxford, N. C.

\$100 Reward, \$100. The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medi-Under and by virtue of a certain cal fraternity, Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requiring a con- object just now, but sound and mem-Deed-in-Trust executed to me on stitutional treatment. Hall's Ca-E. Duncan, which is duly registered ing directly upon the blood and in the office of the Register of mucous surfaces of the system, there Deeds of Granville County, in Deed- by destroying the foundation of the in-Trust Book 70, page 454, I will disease, and giving the patient after which in parts of the land the sell for cash by Public Auction at strength by building up the constithe Court House door in Oxford on tution and assisting nature in do- This is a book consisting of the num

SCHOOLS IN CHINA They Have Curious and Strenuous Methods of Teaching.

AMAZING FEATS OF MEMORY.

For Years the Pupils Are Kept "Getting by Heart" Books of Which They Have No Understanding, After Which Comes the Explanation.

A Chinese schoolboy sets off one fine morning when seven or eight years old to enter on his instructional course. He makes the most profound obeisance to his teacher. His parents provide the table at which and the stool on which he sits. They also supply the "four precious articles," the ink slab, the ink cake, the pen or brush for writing and the paper.

He will have no need at first of the writing materials, all his time being employed in memorizing the books given him. Perhaps a dozen boys, each a class by himself, are busy on his entry. Each is shouting his task at the top of his voice, the teacher sitting at his table in all the somnolent wakefulness of a judge. No wrong pronunciation or intonation escapes his practiced ear, and correction is frequent.

It is a simple country house, with its earthen floor, its unglazed windows and its air of utter poverty. Our young hopeful, says the National Review, in due time is introduced to the "Trimetrical Classic" and the questionable statement, which forms its very threshold, that "men at birth are radically good," so set in classical form that he has no more idea of its meaning than if it were in Greek. It is not meaning, however, that is the orizing.

Then he will be introduced to the book of surnames, 400 in number, as another exercise in "getting by heart." "Thousand Character Classic" is set. Monday the 16th, day of October, ing its work. The proprietors have ber of characters named, no one of so much faith in its curative power which is ever used twice. Still no explanation is vouchsafed. For all the learning our youth is gaining be might with equal profit memorize a number of auction catalogues. He is given in varying order, according to the custom Take Hall's Family Pills for con- followed by his teacher, the four sacred books-the "Great Learning," also known as "The Door of Virtue;" the "Analects" of Confucius, the "Doctrine of the Mean" and the "Book of Men-As early as thirteen, it may be, he will have done the memory work of the four books and be capable of reelthey have been dabbling in a science ing off "yards, rods, furlongs or miles" distinguished by the name of scarpol- of learning Then enlightenment in ogy, of which Dr. Garrier of Basle, the form of explanation begins. Dark-Switzerland, is the chief exponent. It ness is made visible, and education may be said to have begun. There is wearisome work in sight now. As if the books themselves were not of sufficient difficulty, there are end less commentaries after the fashion of our own on the Bible or Shakespeare The "Great Learning" provides illustrations of virtue, aims at the constant renewal of good and so at the attainment of the highest excellence. Its ideal is a righteous government over a tranquil and happy people. The "Doctrine of the Mean" is more strictly in dividualistic. Correct conduct in every stage of life is its subject. The chief competitive examinations are three in number. The first, for the Situsai, or B. A. degree, is held at the prefectural city; the second, the Ku-jen, or M. A., at the provincial capital, and the third, the Tsin-shi, or LL. D., at Peking. In one or other of these the clever youth whose career we are following may possibly find himself in a peculiar position as competitor with his own father or even his grandfather, who, with more perseverance than luck or brains, keeps "pegging away" year after year till success arrives-or death. Many are the attempts at trickery. cribbing, bribery or whatever may bring the candidate sufficiently near the top to be one of the favored few who "pass," the percentage of these being fractionally small at times. To guard against fraud there are precautions such as could never have been suggested in the west. Every caudidate has his own little cell in which he works during the days of the examination. Not a few die under the ordeal. "Any essay is good which gives a man his M. A.." says the proverb, and "if one comes out first on the dragon list there is a chance within ten years of being in the Phoenix pool," which being interpreted means that he who heads the M. A. list is likely by and by to become a Hanlin. So, indeed, it happens to our young hopeful now arrived at years of much discretion. He even becomes the Shuang Yuan of his year, the laureate or senior classic, as he might be named in the west. Whereupon on his return to his native province he is received with the highest honors from the highest people, the viceroy leading, and then a curious thing happens. Many of the people of the province having the same surname apply for the honor of being permitted to worship at the ancestral hall of the successful genius and accompany their appeals with valuable persuasives. They thus establish a claim to relationship with the amiable desire of having a friend at court. -New York Sun.

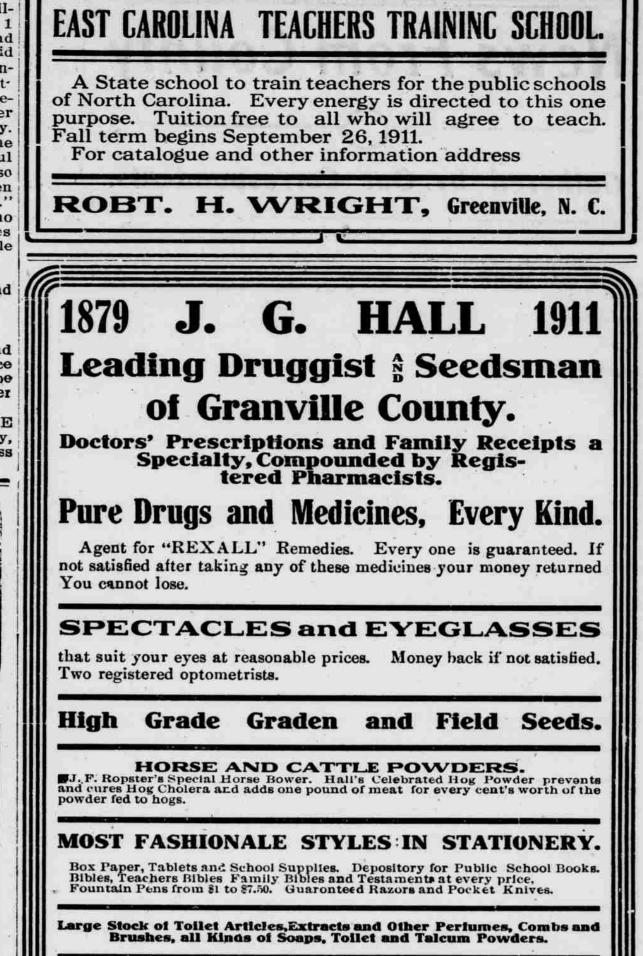
Averts Awful Tragedy Timely advice given Mrs. C. Willoughby, of Marengo, Wis, (R. No 1 prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. Doctors had said her frightful cough was a "consumption" cough and could do little to help her. After many reme-dies failed, her aunt urged her to take Dr. King's New Discovery. "I have been using it for some time," she wrote "and the awful cough has almost gone. It also saved my little boy when taken with a severe bronchial trouble." This matchless medicine has no equal for throat and lung troubles Price 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle Guaranteed by J. G. Hall. free.

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uate in Granville County, in Dutchville and Tally Ho townships and bounded and described as follows:

First Tract. Beginning at a Red Oak, Fleming and Stem's corner, running South 33 1-4 and E. 17 1-2 chains to a Hickory in Fleming's line and E. E. Bullock's corner, thence S. 66 1-2 and W. 20.72 chains to a stone in Duncans home tract line, J. E. and L. M. Duncan's corner, thence N. 33 1-4 W. 13 1-2 chains to a stone in Green's line, thence along his line and Stem's line North 54 1-2 and E. 20.40 chains to the beginning, containing 31 and 72-100 acres.

Second Tract. Adjoining the lands of J. E. and L. M. Duncan, John Fleming and others, beginning at a White Oak, thence N. 34 and W. 56 chains to a stake, thence North 55 1-2 East 9 chains and 50 links to a Hickory in Fleming's line, thence South 35 and East 56 chains to a Spanish Oak thence South 35 and West 9 chains and fifty links to the beginning, containing fifty acres

This the 22nd day of August, 1911. P. T. Farabow, Trustee.

Hicks and Stem, Attorneys.

#### SALE OF VALUABLE LAND

Pursuant to an order and decree vs. Roger Aiken and others," shall on

#### Monday, October 30th 1911,

at 12 o'clock M., offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in Oxford, N. C., derstorms. the following described tract of land lying and being in the County of Granville:

In Tally Ho Township and bounded on the North by the lands of Joe Thomas, on the East by the lands of James Jones and Mrs. Bowles, on the South by the lands and on the West by the lands of containing 137 1-2 acres more less, it being the land devised

This Sept. 25, 1911. D. G. Brummitt. Commissioner.

1911 at 12 M. two tracts of land sit that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Sold by druggists, 75c. stipation.

Footwear Indication of Character, As-

serts Swiss.

Those who have hitherto been inter- cius.' ested in analyzing the down at heel condition of a section of their fellow creatures may be pleased to hear that is the art of knowing men and women by the examination of their footwear. Criminal investigators as well as others who wish to read character accurately cannot afford to disregard scarpology, says the doctor. Given a pair of shoes worn by their owner for at least two months and he can tell the character, disposition and habits of the wearer. By careful practice you may in a few minutes gauge a man at his worth simply by glancing at his feet.

Roughly speaking, the chief indications of character lie in the manner and proportion in which the soles and the heels are worn out. Beware of the man who wears out the toe and the of the Superior Court of Granville esternal edge of the sole simultaneous-County in the Special Proceeding en 17. says Dr. Garrier. He will almost titled "Thomas Oakley and others invariably turn out a crook. It is up I to the crooks now to disguise their feet.

> Wireless Spain's Storm Herald. The wireless telegraph is used in Spain to detect the approach of thun-



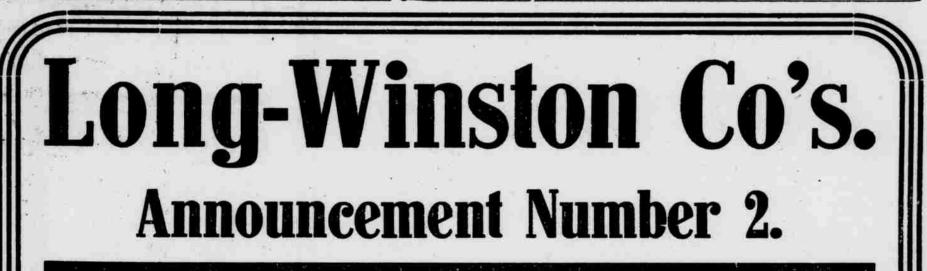
With the first signs of constipaof Frank Meadows and Logan Jones tion you resort to the home methods of relief, such as hot or cold water on Moses Cash and L. A. Bullock, and arising, lots of stewed fruit with your or breakfast, etc., but what do you do by when these fail?

the late William Hobgood, deceased, see Will Book 23, page 236, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Granville County. This Sept. 25, 1911. but try something practical and sensible. a remedy made and intended for the purpose you are trying to accomplish. Such North Carolina, Granville County. In Superior Court, Before the Clerk. A. A. Chapman vs. Jim Hester, John Hester, Lot Arring Jim Hester, John Hester, Lot Arring ton et al, Lot Arrington, Jacob Arrington, and address to Dr. Caldwell and ob-Lot Arrington, Jacob Arrington, Lula Arrington, Carrie Arrington and Sue Arrington, named as de-fendants in this action will take notice, that the purpose for the same is to sell for a division that tract of land in said County on the road from Oxford to Williamsboro, including one acre detached from the same, which was willed by Henry Hester to his widow for her life and then to certain of his life and then to certain of his remedy on the American market. Because of its effectiveness, purity and pleasant taste it is the ideal laxative remedy for women and old folks generally Said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear before J. G. Shotwell, Clerk of said Court on or before the 12th day of October, 1911 and answer or demur to the petition in said action or else the relief demanded there-in will be granted. This Sept. 11th, 1911. J. G. Shotwell,

ills of children. WORM REXALL CANDY is the most de-lightful medicine you could give children, and at the same time it is a safe and sure cure for stomach and intestinal worms, round worms, whip worms and pin REXALL BABY LAXA-

TIVE is a mild and gentle regulator for the baby. Sold with the Rexall guarantee. J. G. HALL, Oxford, N. C.

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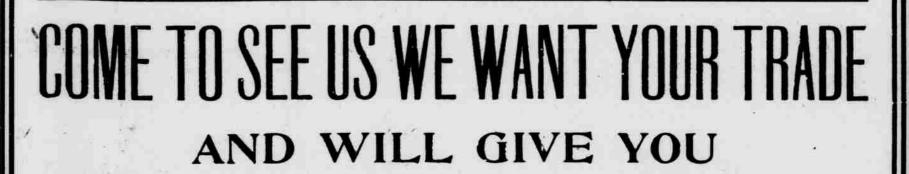
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Said defendants will further take shildren.

J. G. Shotwell,

Clerk Superior Court.

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Human life is more governed by fortune than by reason.-Hume.

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