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Statesville, N. C., Aug. 15, 1901.

The strike among the steel and iron workers, which began Saturday, is growing. It is said 62,000 men are now idle. Good order has been preserved so far. Both sides claim to be confident of ultimate victory.

The Virginia Democratic State convention met in Norfolk yesterday. Attorney General A. J. Montague will be nominated for Governor today on first ballot. The platform will be confined to State issues.

The cotton manufacturers of Fall River, Mass., decided to cut the wages of their employes 14 to 15 per cent. on September 3rd. The operatives will resist the reduction, and another strike seems probable.

The heart of the State goes out in tender sympathy to Governor Aycock because of the death of his son—his first-born. Young Charles Brantley Aycock was a student of the University at the time of his death, and a promising young life has been cut short.

Governor Aycock's Son Dead.

Wilson Special, 14th, to Raleigh News and Observer.

Young Chas. Aycock, son of Gov. Aycock, died here this morning at the home of his uncle, Dr. Albert Anderson. He has been seriously ill for the past two weeks with meningitis and his death was not unexpected. Gov. Aycock and Mrs. Aycock have been in Wilson since their son has been in the hospital here.

The young man will be buried tomorrow (Sunday) afternoon, in the cemetery here at 5 o'clock. His mother is buried here and the family desired to have them both buried together.

Charles Brantley Aycock, junior, was born on the 28th day of December, 1883, and was entering upon his Sophomore year at the University of North Carolina, at which he matriculated in 1900. He was a singularly modest, pure-hearted, studious and high-minded youth. He had from his early boyhood been studious. He loved his books and the records of the Goldsboro graded school show that he usually led his classes. He had a fine mind, a retentive memory, and had applied himself closely to his books. After completing the course in the Goldsboro graded school; he entered the University, where he had already taken a high stand. His classmates noted his thoroughness of preparation, his faithful performance of every duty, his clean life, his respect for his teachers and his ambition to learn. To a wonderful degree he gained the confidence and affection of his associates and teachers, who predicted for him a brilliant career.

He was never strong or robust, had a frail constitution, but was not delicate, and his death comes with as severe a shock as if he had been of robust constitution. He was a born gentleman — considerate, thoughtful, solicitous of the welfare and comfort of others, and was the pride and joy of his fond father and family, as well as of a large circle of relatives and friends.

The death of this pure hearted and meek spirited youth has cast a gloom over the State, and in their affliction Gov. and Mrs. Aycock have found that they have the sympathy of all the people of the commonwealth.

The Great Steel Strike On

Pittsburg, Pa., Dispatch, 14th.

The great steel strike is on. The general order of President Shaffer, of the Amalgamated Association, became effective today, and thousands of workers left their places to return at some indefinite time in the future either victorious over the iron masters, or in humble defeat. The order to strike was generally obeyed wherever the workers were organized and enrolled in the lodges of the Amalgamated Association, but it will be Monday before an accurate account can be made of the men who have gone out. A majority of the mills close down on Saturday and remain Sunday night, and the true test of the strength of the contending sides will be furnished by the number of men who return to work tomorrow and Monday. The policy of the American Federation of Labor has not yet been fully disclosed, and that fact contributes another element of uncertainty to the situation. The action of the executive of the mine workers at Indianapolis today, in resolving to support the strike, cheered the Amalgamated men and they are confident that the Federation will aid them to the fullest extent. The closing hours of labor and the opening hours of the strike lacked spectacular action. This city, which is the strike centre, was calm and undisturbed. There was no excitement or violence, and the pulse of the community was normal.

A train was held up at Caney Switch, Indian Territory, early Tuesday morning by five men, who blew open the express safes, robbed the mail and all the passengers. The amount stolen is not known, but was considerable. The robbers treated the matter as a joke, and went into the bottoms after holding the train for two hours. A posse is pursuing them.

Divers fished up $65,000 worth more of the stolen gold at San Francisco Tuesday, leaving about $80,000 still to be found.

P. T. Thomas, Sumterville, Ala., "I was suffering from dyspepsia when I commenced taking Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. I took several bottles and can digest anything." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is the only preparation containing all the natural digestive fluids. It gives weak stomachs entire rest, restoring their natural condition.—Stimson & Anderson.

SCHOOL BOOKS.

Governor Aycock's Proclamation Declaring the Books Adopted and the Prices.

The following is Gov. Aycock's school book proclamation:

Whereas, by chapter 1, of the acts of the Legislature of 1901, the State Board of Education was constituted a State Text-Book Commission, whose duty it was to select and adopt a uniform series or sytem of text books for use in the State of North Carolina, and,

Whereas, the said board of education has selected and adopted a uniform system or series of text books for use in the public schools as provided by the said act of the Legislature, and,

Whereas, the said text book commission has entered into contracts with the several publishing companies, whose book or books were adopted by the said board, to be furnished and for use in the public schools in the State, and,

Whereas, by the provision of said act (section 12) it was made the duty of the Governor to issue his proclamation announcing said fact to the people of the State'

Now, therefore, I, Charles B. Aycock, Governor of the State of North Carolina, acting under and by authority of said act by this proclamation declare that the books so adopted by the said text book commission are as follows, and at the following prices:

OROGRAPHY.

Harrington's Spelling.—Book 1, exchange price 5 cents, contract price 10 cents; Book 2, exchange price 5 cents, contract price 10 cents; Complete, exbhange price 7½ cents, contract price 15 cents. American Book Company.

DEFINING.

Webster's Handy Dictionary, exchange price 7½ cents, contract price 15 cents; Webster's Primary dictionary, exchange price 24 cents, contract price 48 cents; Webster's Common School Dictionary, exchange price 36 cents, contract price 72 cents. American Book Company.

READING.

Holmes' Readers.

Boards.—First, exchange price 6¼ cents, contract price 13 cents; Second, exchange price 9 cents, contract price 18 cents; Third, exchange price 12 cents, contract price 24 cents; Fourth, exchange price 15 cents, contract price 30 cents; Fifth, exchange price 17½ cents, contract price 35 cents.

Cloth—First, exchange price 6¼ cents, contract price 13 cents; Second, exchange price 11 cents, contract price 22 cents; Third, exchange price 14 cents, contract price 28 cents; Fourth, exchange price 17½ cents, contract price 35 cents; Fifth exchange price 21 cents, contract price 42 cents. University Publishing Company.

WRITING.

Natural System of Vertical Writing. Six numbers, 6 cents each. D. C. Heath & Company.

Smithdeal's Slant Writing Books. Six numbers, 5 cents each. B. F. Johnson Publishing Company.

ARITHMETIC

Colaw & Elmwood's Primary School Arithmetic. Boards, exchange price 11 cents, contract price 22 cents.

Colaw & Elmwood's Primary School Arithmetic. Cloth, exchange price 12 cents, contract price 24 cents.

Colaw & Elmwood's Advanced School Arithmetic. Cloth, exchange price 23 cents, contract price 46 cents. B. F. Johnson Publishing Company.

Milne's Mental Arithmetic, Exchange price 12½ cents, contract price 25 cents. American Book Company.

GEOGRAPHY.

Maury's Elementary, boards, exchange price 20 cents, contract price 40 cents. Cloth, exchange price 20 cents, contract price 40 cents.

Maury's Manual, boards, exchange price 42½ cents, contract price 85 cents; cloth, exchange price 44 cents, contract price 88 cents.

Maury's Physical, cloth, exchange price 45 cents, contract price 90 cents. University Publishing Company.

GRAMMAR.

A modern English Grammar. Buehler, exchange price 25 cents, contract price 50 cents. Newson & Company.

LANGUAGE LESSONS.

Hyde's Two Book Course in English. Book 1, exchange price 11 cts. Contract price 22 cents. D. C. Heath & Company.

HISTORY OF THE UNITED STATES.

A Higher History of the United States. Exchange price 35 cents, contract price 70 cents.

A School History of the United States, exchange price 20 cents, contract price 40 cents. University Publishing Company.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Steele's Hygienic Physiology, exchange price 22½ cents, contract price 45 cents.

Overton's Primary Physiology, exchange price 12½ cents, contract price 25 cents. American Book Company.

Johnson's Physical Culture, exchange price 12½ cents, contract price 25 cents. B. F. Johnson & Co.

History of the Negro Race, exchange price 20 cents, contract price 40 cents. Edwards & Broughton.

The Contract made and entered into by the said board of education and publishers as above set forth for the above books at prices so named to be continued for a period of five years from this date.

John G. Pole and his family while attempting to cross a mountain stream near Lexington, Va., Tuesday, were swept down stream, and his wife and three daughters were drowned. Pole and one daughter escaped.

Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans has been reprimanded by the Navy Department for the criticism in his book of Hon. Wm. E. Chandler, of New Hampshire, for orders issued by the latter while Secretary of the Navy in 1884.

"My baby was terribly sick with the diarrhoea," says J. H. Doak, of Williams, Oregon. "We were unable to cure him with the doctor's assistance, and as a last resort we tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I am happy to say it gave immediate relief and a complete cure." For sale by Stimson & Anderson.

A Mecklenburg Farmer and His Nephew Drowned at Hickory.

Hickory Dispatch, 12th.

While attempting to save the boy, Mr. John Garrison, of Pineville, and his 14-year-old nephew, Dalee Wagoner, were drowned in the pond at the E. L. Shuford Cotton Mill, a few miles from here, about 6 o'clock this evening.

Mr. Garrison, accompanied by his wife, had been here on a visit of a few days to the dead boy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Wagoner. Arthur Russell, an eye witness to the drowning, says Mr. Garrison and young Wagoner came out to the bend of the river, at the favorite bathing place, and all three went in where the water is 12 to 15 feet deep. The boy was unable to swim and in attempting to save him Mr. Garrison lost his life, while Russell barely escaped, being almost unconscious when he reached the bank. Mr. Garrison's body was recovered, but at this hour there is no trace of young Wagoner's remains.

Mr. Garrison is a well-known Mecklenburg farmer, having many relatives and friends in the Pineville section and also in Charlotte. He was about 40 years of age.

A Big Maryland Farmer.

Elkton, Md., Dispatch, 13th.

Captain Andrew Woodall, the grain king of the eastern shore of Maryland, who owns 30 of the best farms in Cecil and Kent counties, aggregating probably 15,000 to 18,000 acres of the finest lands in the two counties, estimates the wheat crops on these farms this year at 100,000 bushels. His corn crop is estimated at 125,000 bushels, making the total of 225,000 bushels of grain grown in one year.

If shipped by rail this grain, with the usual average of about 750 bushels to the car, would require 300 cars, or 20 trains of 15 cars each, to carry it to market. Captain Woodall is 82 years old and resides at Georgetown, on the Sassafras river. Notwithstanding his advanced age he gives every detail of his varied business his personal attention. On his farms are about 200 head of horses and 400 head of fine cattle. Captain Woodall when a young man was employed as a farm hand. He is now a millionaire.

Jones, of Alleghany, Convicted of Perjury in Wilkes.

The Winston correspondent of the Raleigh News and Observer says on Tuesday's paper:

"H. F. Jones, ex-Representative from Alleghany county, was convicted of perjury, (swearing falsely to payment of account) in Wilkes county Saturday. Sentence was passed by Judge Starbuck today. Jones was formerly a Democrat, but was elected to the Legislature as an Independent and figured with Republicans and Populists during the fusion Legislature. Since then he had been recognized as a Republican. He had his suit moved to Wilkes on the plea that he could not get justice from Democrats in Alleghany. The majority of the jury which convicted him were Republicans."

Jones is well know in Statesville, where he married a daughter of the late Adlai A. Hampton. His reputation here, like it is wherever else he is known, is not good. We have not heard the sentence imposed upon him, but he will doubtless appeal.

GENERAL NEWS.

Signor Crispi, the Italian statesman is dead.

Alabama's first bale of new crop cotton was received at Mobile Tuesday.

Two young women were killed by lightning in Greenville, S. C., Tuesday.

An absinth factory in France was struck by lightning Sunday night and burned.

Jas. J. Adams, a jealous husband of Baltimore, shot and killed his wife and her paramour Tuesday.

A negro who attempted to assault a white woman at Way's Station, Ga., was lynched and burned near the scene of the crime Saturday night.

Jack Winters has confessed to stealing the $289,000 of gold from the Shelby Smelting Works in San Francisco. He sunk the gold into the bay. Up to Saturday night $141,000 of the bullion had been recovered. He says he stole the money alone.

An attempt was made to blow up the British steamer Mechanician at New Orleans Saturday night. The steamer is to carry mules to South Africa. The torpedo damaged the ship but not seriously. It is thought a Boer sympathizer attempted to destroy the ship with a torpedo or bomb.

A Minister's Good Work.

"I had a severe attack of bilious colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two doses and was entirely cured," says Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan. "my neighbor across the street was sick for over a week, had two or three bottles of medicine from the doctor. He used them for three or four days without relief, then called in another doctor who treated him for some days and gave him no relief, so discharged him. I went over to see him the next morning. He said his bowels were in a terrible fix, that they had been running off so long that it was almost bloody flux. I asked him if he had tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and he said, 'No.' I went home and brought him my bottle and gave him one dose, told him to take another dose in fifteen or twenty minutes if he did not find relief, but he took no more and was entirely cured." For sale by Stimson & Anderson.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure

Digests what you eat.

It artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sick Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion.

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Prepared by E. C. DeWITT & CO., Chicago

Advertisements

Thomas Hart, colored, gives notice of an application for pardon.

Dr. Wakefield will be in Statesville August 29.

Annie B. Bell gives notice to creditors.

Prof. J. H. Hill's male academy will open Sept. 16.

C. H. Armfield, commissioner, gives notice of a valuable land sale.

Contractors are asked for bids on four school houses.

The Evans Hardware Co. offer you the Chattanooga-Hancock Disc plow.

Ramsey, Tomlin & Bowles are running off several lines at cost.

For Syracuse or Tiger Disc plows see J. P. Flanigan Sons Co.

Look over the bargains offered at Mills & Allison's.

N. B. Mills & Co., have a special August sale of shoes for 15 days.

Fry & Phifer can interest you in shirts and neckwear.

Read Sloop & Miller's ad. if you want to find some catchy prices.

A Good Thing.

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German Physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, removing, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in everycase, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boschee's German Syrup was introduced into the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cents. Get Green's Prize Almanac. For sale by W. F. Hall.

A negro named William Monroe went to the home of Samuel Martin, a respectable white man, near Mathews, Mecklenburg county, Tuesday, while Martin was away from home and assaulted his wife, a young woman only 17 years old, and who was in a delicate condition. The negro was arrested near Charlotte Tuesday night. He confessed the crime and was locked up. He may be lynched.

Mary Caldwell, aged 8, a child negro girl, was assaulted in Charlotte Tuesday by an adult negro man who choked her to stupefy her, could not cry and dragged her to a secluded place. The child is in a dangerous condition. There is no clue to her assailant.

If the action of your bowels is not easy and regular serious complications must be the final result. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will remove this danger, easily, pleasantly and effective.—Stimson & Anderson.

DR. RUSH'S COTTON ROOT AND PENNYROYAL PILLS

Original and genuine, always reliable and safe. LADIES! always ask for Dr. Rush's Cotton Root and Pennyroyal Female Pills. They never fail and never injure. Mailed to any address on receipt of $1.00 by The Rush Medicine Co., St. Paul, Minn. For sale by W. F. Hall, Jr.

My Hair

"I had a very severe sickness that took off all my hair. I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor and it brought all my hair back again."
W. D. Quinn, Marseilles, Ill.

One thing is certain,—Ayer's Hair Vigor makes the hair grow. This is because it is a hair food. It feeds the hair and the hair grows, that's all there is to it. It stops falling of the hair, too, and always restores color to gray hair.

$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

If your druggist cannot supply you, send us one dollar and we will express you a bottle. Be sure and give the name of your nearest express office. Address, J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

WOMANLY BEAUTY

Sparkling Eyes & Bright Facts

Are the Fruits of Sound Nerves.

HINDIPO THE GREAT FRENCH NERVE TONIC and Vitalizer Cures Nervous Exhaustion, Hysteria, Dizziness, Headache, Backache and Female Weakness so common attending the monthly periods. GIRLS passing through the trying change from Girlhood to Womanhood will find it a wonderful relief and benefit. It quiets and strengthens the nerves, cleanses the blood, clears the brain and tones up the whole system. Makes a Woman Look Young and Feel Young. PRICE 50c., 12 Boxes $5. Sent by mail to any address. Sold by W. F. Hall, Jr.

Young Women

The entry into womanhood is a critical time for a girl. Little menstrual disorders started at that time soon grow into fatal complications. That female troubles are filling graveyards proves this. Wine of Cardui establishes a painless and natural menstrual flow. When once this important function is started right, a healthy life will usually follow. Many women, young and old, owe their lives to Wine of Cardui. There is nothing like it to give women freedom from pain and to fit young women for every duty of life. $1.00 bottles at druggists.

Miss Della M. Strayer, Tully, Kan., "I have suffered untold pain at menstrual periods for a long time, was nervous, had no appetite, and lost interest in everything. In fact was miserable. I have taken four bottles of Wine of Cardui, with Thedford's Black-Draught, when needed, and to-day I am entirely cured. I cannot express the thanks I feel for what you have done for me."

For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, the Ladies' Advisory Department, The Chattanooga Medicine Company, Chattanooga, Tenn.

WINE OF CARDUI

TAYLORSVILLE NEWS

Chas. P. Matheson went to Lenoir Monday.

Let a day be set for cleaning off the cemetery.

Miss May Thompson is visiting in Caldwell county.

W. T. Nelson went to Statesville Tuesday afternoon.

Orphanage concert at the court house tomorrow night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ingram visited at Catawba this week.

Jno. L. Gwaltney, Esq., is attending Wilkesboro court this week.

Taylorsville has prospects of another newspaper being started up soon.

Dr. Reuben Campbell, of Statesville, was here last Saturday afternoon.

Steel Frazier, of the Yadkin Valley, Caldwell county, was here last week on a visit.

T. O. Teague's steam thresher broke down last week at T. P. Burgess', near town.

Carpenters and painters are getting the Collegiate building ready for the opening of school.

Mr and Mrs. R. F. Cobb spent Sunday at Statesville visiting Mr. Cobb's sister, Mrs. H. H. Crowson.

Campbell & Williams, of Vashti, will soon have their pin mill in operation here. They are wanting to buy locust blocks.

Dr. Thos. A. Kerley, from near Charlotte, was up the past week to see his farm and orchard on the Brushy mountains. He reports a full crop of apples.

Could not the town authorities have the walks mowed and stop the washes in some of the walks and middle of the streets? What do we pay town taxes for?

The Oxford Orphans' Asylum concert at the court house tomorrow night. Let a good crowd turn out and hear them. They deserve the patronage and this is a way that all can contribute a small amount and get the worth of their money in the concert.

The laws of health require that the bowels move once each day and one of the penalties for violating this law is piles. Keep your bowels regular by taking a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets when necessary and you will never have that severe punishment inflicted upon you. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Stimson & Anderson.

The 13 months-old child of A. A. Nichols, of Edgecombe county, was drowned Tuesday in a bucket of water. The child fell in the bucket head foremost.

What most people want is something mild and gentle, when in need of a physic. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets fill the bill to a dot. They are easy to take and pleasant in effect. For sale by Stimson & Anderson.

M. L. Tucker's barn in Union county was burned by a spark from the engine of the threshing machine Tuesday. About 500 bushels of wheat and the same of oats were burned. Loss $1,000.

"Through the months of June and July our baby was teething and took a running off of the bowels and sickness of the stomach," says O. P. M. Holliday, of Deming, Ind. "His bowels would move from five to eight times a day. I had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house and gave him four drops in a teaspoonful of water and he got better at once." Sold by Stimson & Anderson.

Governor Aycock has made a requisition on the Governor of Virginia for Charles Igoe, wanted for murder at Charlotte, and in jail at Roanoke, Va.

BEST FOR THE BOWELS

If you haven't a regular, healthy movement of the bowels every day, you're ill or will be. Keep your bowels open, and be well. Force, in the shape of violent physic or pill poison, is dangerous. The smoothest, easiest, most perfect way of keeping the bowels clear and clean is to take

EAT 'EM LIKE CANDY

Pleasant, Palatable, Potent, Taste Good. Do Good, Never Sicken, Weaken, or Gripe, 10, 25, and 50 cents per box. Write for free sample, and booklet on health. Address 423 STERLING REMEDY COMPANY, CHICAGO or NEW YORK.

KEEP YOUR BLOOD CLEAN

Notice---Dentistry.

I WILL BE AT Sloan's, Wednesday, August 14th. Scotts, Thursday, August 15th. Iredell, Friday, August 16th. to practice dentistry.

Respectfully,
E. W. Moose, D. D. S.

August 8th, 1901.

Wagon for Sale.

I HAVE a new Nissen wagon, which has been run only a week, for sale for cash or on time. Apply at THE MASCOT office or to me.

Respectfully,
A. M. CRAWLEY.

August 8th, 1901.

Now is the time to sow

Turnip Seed.

Alfalfa, Crimson Clover, Rape, etc. We have a nice stock of turnip seed—all varieties—to sell by the ounce, pocket or pound. Best and most satisfactory results obtained by sowing our brands of seed.

All Kinds Seed

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Fall Sowing.

Bluestone for sale.

MASON'S FRUIT JARS

Pints, Quarts and Half Gallon.

Tin Top Jelly Glasses.

Respectfully,

COOPER & GILL.

Teething

Then the baby is most likely nervous, and fretful, and doesn't gain in weight.

Scott's Emulsion is the best food and medicine for teething babies. They gain from the start.

Send for a free sample.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists,
409-415 Pearl Street, New York.
50c. and $1.00; all druggists.

DR. W. H. WAKEFIELD,

OF Charlotte, N. C., will be in Statesville, at Hotel Iredell, on Thursday, August 29th, for this day only. His practice is limited to the EYE, EAR, NOSE and THROAT.

State of North Carolina, Iredell County.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public that application will be made to the Governnor of North Carolina for the pardon of James Hart, colored, convicted at January term, 1898, of the Superior Court of Iredell county, for the crime of larceny, and sentenced to the county chain gang for a term of five years.

THOMAS HART, Colored.

August 15th, 1901.

Educate Your Bowels With Cascarets.

Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c. 25c. If C. C. C. fail, druggists refund money.

Male Academy.

Statesville, N. C.

This school will open September 16th and continue 9 months, closing May 29th, 1902. Tuition $ per month, number limited.

J. H. Hill.

Notice to Creditors.

HAVING qualified as administratrix of Mary A. Walker, deceased, late of Iredell county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of August, 1902, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

ANNIE B. BELL, Administratrix.

This August 8, 15th, 1901.

Long & Nicholson and W. G. Lewis, Attorneys for Administratrix.

Contractors, Take Notice.

THE County Board of Education will let contracts to build four new school houses to the lowest responsible bidder at the court house door in Statesville at 12 o'clock (noon)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2ND, 1901.

Said houses are to be built in the following white districts, viz: No. 5, Statesville township, No. 1, Bethany township; No. 3, Cool Spring township; No. 3, Union Grove township. Plans and specifications of each house can be seen at the office of the County Superintendent or County Treasurer after August 20th, 1901. The Board reserve the right to refuse any or all bids.

J. H. HILL, Chairman.

August 12, 1901.

James A. Lutner, Secretary.

Sale of Valuable City Property.

THE undersigned commissioner, by virtue of a judgment of the Superior Court of Iredell county made in a special proceeding wherein Alice L. Morris, administratrix of W. F. Morris, is plaintiff, and Mabel Morris and Clyde Morris are defendants, will sell at the court house door in Statesville on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14TH, 1901,

at 12 o'clock, m., the following lands, to-wit:

A lot located in the City of Statesville, beginning at Carrie McDougald's corner on Kelly street, thence South 88° West 207 feet to a stake in B. F. Long's line, thence North 6° West 82 feet to a stake in the old Webb line, thence North 88° East 255 feet to Kelly street, thence with said street south 5° East 86½ feet to the beginning, containing ½ acre, more or less.

Also the following property in North Statesville:

Lots Nos. 1 and 20, Block A, and Nos. 1 and 2 in Block D.

Upon the first described lot there is a nice cottage building. On the North Statesville property there is also a nice cottage building, barn, out houses, etc.

These lands are sold for assets for the payment of debts.

Terms of sale: Cash.

C. H. ARMFIELD, Commissioner.

August 12th 1901.

RHEUMATISM and CATARRH CURED —BY—

Johnston's Sarsaparilla

QUART BOTTLES.

IN THE SHADOW OF DEATH.

A Weak Family Cured.

Mrs. C. H. Kingsbury, who keeps a millinery and fancy goods store at St. Louis, Gratiot Co., Mich., and who is well known throughout the country, says:

"I was badly troubled with rheumatism, catarrh and neuralgia. I had liver complaint and was very bilious. I was in a bad condition; every day I began to fear that I should never be a well woman; that I should have to settle down into a chronic invalid, and live in the shadow of death. I had JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA recommended to me. I TOOK FOUR BOTTLES AND IT CURED ME, and cured my family both. I am very glad that I heard of it. I would cheerfully recommend it to every one. I have taken many other kinds of medicine. I prefer JOHNSTON'S to all of them."

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Agriculture, Engineering, Mechanic Arts, and Cotton Manufacturing; a combination of theory and practice, of study and manual training. Tuition $20 a year. Total expense, including clothing and board, $125. Thirty teachers, 302 students. Next session begins September 4th.

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COMMENTS OF THE WEEK.

All produce in good demand.

BUYING PRICES—BASIS NO. 1 QUALITY.

Cabbage, per lb	1½
Extra flour—sack	$1.75
Family " sack	2.00
Meal—bolted—14 lbs. per bushel	60
" unbolted, 48 lbs " "	55
" new	50
Corn—old—56 lbs. per bushel	60
" new " " "	60
Oats—32 lbs.	40
Peas—clay	80
" mixed	75
Potatoes—Irish	75
" sweet	75
Onions—select, per bushel	75
Lard—N. C.	8
Tallow	3
Beeswax	30
Hens—per lb	6
Roosters per lb	2½
Chicken—Spring—small—per lb	6
" " large "	6
Turkeys—per lb	7
Ducks "	4
Guinas each	10
Geese	30
Butter—Choice yellow	15
" Fair	10
Honey—strained, per lb	7
" comb, per lb	7
Eggs—hen	10
" guinea	8
Wheat	75
Rye	50
Feathers—new	35
Hides—dry, per lb	10
" green "	7
Wool—washed	25
Apples—sliced—quarters, bright	3
" " bright sliced	4
" " fancy bright sliced	4½
" " extra "	4
" green—per bushel	1.00
Peaches—peeled, bright	0
" " fancy	6
" " extra	7
Bacon—Hog round, per lb	8
" Ham	11
" Sides	8
" Shoulders	8

STATESVILLE COTTON MARKET.

STATESVILLE, N. C. July 25, 1901, 9 a. m.

Strict Good Middling	7.75
Good Middling	7.70
Middling	7.65
Tinges	7.60
Stains	7.50

Market firm.

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Guaranteed to be Lightest in Draft, Simplest in Construction and to do the best work of any Disc Plow on the market to day.

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SPECIAL AUGUST

Shoe Sale for Cash.

As we have a great variety of Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes on hand, and want to make room for other goods, we will offer for the NEXT 15 DAYS this line of goods at a

SPECIAL - BARGAIN - PRICES.

$2.25 Ladies' fine shoe, in lace and button, for $1.75. $2.50 ladies' fine Oxford ties, special price, $2.00; $2.00 ladies' fine Oxford ties, special price, $1.65; $2.75 and $3.00 ladies' fine shoes, button and lace, special price, $2.25; $2.00 ladies' fine shoes, button and lace, special price, $1.50; $1.40 and $1.25 ladies' fine shoe, lace, special price, $1.00.

Some $1.15 shoes (button only) for 90 cents.

$2.25 and $1.75 ladies' Oxfords for $1.00 to close out the lot.

One lot ladies' $2.00, $2.50, $2.75 and $3.00 shoes for $1.50. Small sizes, only.

If you wear shoes, see us before buying. We carry the best line of shoes sold. Call early if you want to get a pair of shoes at this Special Sale.

Yours truly,

N. B. Mills & Company.

The First BUILDING AND LOAN Association,

Of Statesville, N. C. Will open its 30th Series on Saturday August 3, 1901

The Association has been in existence fourteen years. It has aided many citizens of Statesville in becoming owners of their homes, and will continue to assist in building homes for its Shareholders. None but shareholders need apply for loans. If you hope to receive benefit from the Association, subscribe for shares and help others.

It is a good investment; (1) Because it is the best way to save dimes and dollars. (2) Because it is the easiest and cheapest way to build a home. (3) Because all profits are divided among the Shareholders. (4) It has been the means of securing homes for persons who never could have had a home without assistance. From some homes it has lifted mortgages that otherwise could not have been paid. (5) It has paid Shareholders a good rate of interest on all the money they have invested in it. It is equal to a Savings Bank. In its Savings Department any sum from a nickel up may be deposited. The weekly payment on regular stock is 25 cents on each share. Further information can be obtained by calling at the office.

L. HARRILL, Secretary

Statesville Female College

The Collegiate Department taught by six teachers. The departments of Music, Art and Business are especially good.

The Session Opens Sept. 9th, 1901

J. A. SCOTT, President.

Statesville, - - - North Carolina

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UNLESS YOU WANT TO BUY A PAIR OXFORDS

In order to make room for our fall stock we have decided to offer our stock of low shoes at the following prices:

Ladies' Tan Oxfords,	Regular price $1.50	now $1.00
Ladies' Tan Oxfords,	" " 2.00	" 1.50
Ladies' Tan Oxfords,	" " 2.50	" 1.85
Ladies' Tan Oxfords,	" " 3.00	" 2.00
Ladies' Patent Leather Oxfords, pointed toe,	" " 3.00	" 1.85
Ladies' Black Kid Oxfords, pointed toe, regular price	$2.50	$3.00 " 1.85
Ladies' Black Kid Oxfords, medium toe,	" " 1.25-	1.50 " 1.00

Misses' and Children's Oxford Ties and Sandals reduced in proportion.

These goods must go and it will be to your interest to see us before buying. The above goods are good and solid and are worth twice the price.

Truly,

Sloop & Miller,

The Shoe Men.

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To arrive. Also for comfort try one of our Serge Coats. We are making reductions in suits to reduce stock. See us for Bargains.

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