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It seems to be generally conceded that potash is going to be a thing of the past the coming season, and this being true it is going to be a hard task for the tobacco farmer to make a crop of good tobacco. Certainly the lands of this section, which have been so abundantly fed on commercial fertilizers for so many years and where year after year the same land has been in tobacco, will need something to take the place of potash. Potash these lands must have and no one should throw away any ashes or tobacco stems that are on the farm, and an effort should be made to secure these products wherever they may be found at reasonable prices.

"The Daughters of the Confederacy are to give further ornamentation to the Jackson Training School in the shape of an arch that will be a memorial to Stonewall Jackson. It will be built of Rawan granite and will cost \$1,000." Yes, and only yesterday we were reading where Judge Carter on the bench in Charlotte was bemoaning the sad fact that the said Jackson Training School did not have more room so that youthful criminals could be sent there. To our way of thinking these Daughters would be doing a much more graceful and worthy act if they should put this one thousand dollars in a building which would enable the school to do something worth while. We believe in monuments, but in the living monuments if you please.

FARM LIFE SCHOOL

We have had much to say during the past year concerning some things which we hoped to see come to this County, notably good roads and a farm life school. The good roads question has reached the point where it will almost take care of itself, for we are building good roads and other townships, yea, the entire County is going to be engaged in this work before the year is gone, and we propose to give much time and attention to the subject of a farm life school. In Gaston county they have just established one of these schools and we ask your attention to what

the Gastonia Gazette of that County has to say about it:

"The Gazette is of the opinion that the establishment of this institution was one of the biggest things the county has done in years. From it will radiate an influence which will awaken a new interest in the rural life of the county and which can not but result in wonderful improvements in the next few years in all lines of farm work and farm life. Let us suggest that every farmer in the county take a day off some time during the year and visit this school and the farm which is near by. It will be an "eye-opener" to you, and your interest and moral support thus shown will be worth much to the school itself."

If we do not have the way marked out and plans arranged for a school of this kind for this county before the close of the year we are going to be very much disappointed. It is not a question of "can't afford it," but it is a fact that we "can not afford to do without it." Then let us all get busy and see if some way can not be found whereby the school may be established.

We want to see a school of this kind in the county, and we are not going to be contentious as to the location, though of course, we should prefer to see it located near town—it can not be located in the town, for that is prohibited by the act establishing these schools, but for the purpose of serving the entire county it should be near the center of the county and that would place it near Roxboro. An ideal location would be the thriving little village of Brookdale and the wonder to us is that these live, aggressive and progressive people have not looked into the matter. Better get busy, for sooner than you expect Allensville will be hot after it, and when these good people do become aroused they are a power.

PULL TOGETHER.

That Roxboro is a good town is not denied by any one who is acquainted hereabouts, but that Roxboro could be a very much better town is likewise admitted by her best friends. The one thing of all things needed here is the "pull together" spirit. We are sadly lacking in this one respect, and until we change our way of doing things we are not going to grow and prosper as we should. Take for instance, the question of establishing a roller mill here, and what is the trouble? Not that we have no progressive citizens with money, not that they are afraid it will not pay, but simply the lack of cooperation. There are easily one hundred men in the town and county who could take one share of stock in this enterprise and neither of them would feel it from a standpoint of finance and this would secure the mill. But they stand back and expect

the other fellow to go ahead and get the mill on foot.

Will a roller mill pay here? Well, why not. They pay elsewhere. Only last week we read the report of two for the year just passed and one of them paid a dividend of 18 per cent and the other, which was the first year for it, made 12 per cent, which was set aside to enlarge the mill. Why shouldn't it pay here? The same freight rate holds here with other towns in the State, and Virginia, too, for that matter. There is just as shrewd business men here as there are at other points, and the people of this town and county love "wheat bread" just as good as they do at other places. Certainly it will pay if properly managed and if it is not properly managed it will be the directors fault, and the stockholders name the directors. Then let every one get busy and take at least one share in this enterprise.

Remember, this mill will not only benefit the stockholders but it will mean much for the county, for it will open a cash market for a farm product which at present has no cash market near, and it will encourage the plan of diversifying which we have been preaching so long. It will mean that the farmer will have a crop to sell for which he will get ready money at a time when money means much to the tobacco farmer—in July and August.

Every farmer who owns a farm of one hundred acres, and every merchant, and every banker and every warehouseman, and, in fact every business man in the town can not afford not to take stock in this enterprise. Will you do it?

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. **Dr. J. J. Cheney's Catarrh Cure**, manufactured by **P. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio**, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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 8 1/2 E. Fremont St.,
 Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Church Meetings.

Every member of Mt. Zion Church is requested to meet Saturday afternoon at the church at 2 o'clock. We hope to complete the organization of our teachers training class. Furthermore, we want to put in operation every piece of church machinery that we expect to use during 1916.

For the same cause we request also the membership of Allensville church to meet Friday afternoon Jan. 21st, promptly at 2 o'clock.—J. J. Boone, pastor.

Build a business of your own. Be independent. Retail our Sanitary Brushes at small profits. For particulars address, **NORTH RIDGE COMPANY, Freeport, Illinois.**

WHY YOU ARE NERVOUS

The nervous system is the alarm system of the human body. In perfect health we hardly realize that we have a network of nerves, but when health is ebbing, when strength is declining, the same nervous system gives the alarm in headaches, tiredness, dreamful sleep, irritability and unless corrected, leads straight to a breakdown. To correct nervousness, Scott's Emulsion is exactly what you should take; its rich nutriment gets into the blood and rich blood feeds the tiny nerve-cells while the whole system responds to its refreshing tonic force. It is free from alcohol. **Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.**

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Saxo Salve
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to stop the itching and begin healing with the first application or return your money. There are lots of skin remedies but Saxo is the only one we guarantee like this. **Why don't you try it?** **HAMERICK & ALSTIN, DRUGGISTS, Roxboro.**

Save—Save

All rags, bags, scrap, iron, tin, foil, bones, and all kinds of junk.

My wagon is now going over the county, and should you be overlooked, notify me and your order will have immediate attention.

What about your horse-shoeing and repair work?

I will serve you as you would like to be served.

Respectfully,
W. J. Pettigrew.
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Pleased Customers, Who Are Therefore Satisfied Customers.

Careful Attention Makes Pleased and Satisfied Customers

May We Please You?

C. H. Hunter

Sales and More Sales!

We feel that the people have seen and heard of sales of various kinds in Roxboro until they don't interest them very much. The object of them all is the same to convert goods into the almighty dollar. Something that will pay bill, buy more goods, etc.

We have had our sale and the results from it were entirely satisfactory.

NOW TO THE POINT

We have many winter goods yet unsold that we are anxious to turn into cash.

If it is a Lady's Suit or Cloak or men's Overcoat or Suit you want, name the price if you are reasonable.

Shoes for men, women and children. Hats, Underwear and everything in winter goods going to be sold without consideration of profit. Your dollars will buy more value here for the next thirty days than anywhere else in town. Come and SEE—

Clayton, Long & Long

PIN-MONEY SAVINGS FOR HOLIDAYS

EVERY YEAR you promise yourself that you are going to save up some money for next Christmas. Do you do it? Most of us do not, or at least we put it off till we have to "stint" ourselves and then do not have enough. We are now organizing a Pin-Money Club for this purpose, which will start the first Monday in January and continue fifty weeks. By saving

10c. each week you will save	\$ 5.00 and int.
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Ask us about this Club.

It is a great plan to learn to SAVE; it is a great plan to learn to become acquainted with this Bank and our methods—which will do you lots of good in after years; and it is a great plan to have some money for NEXT XMAS.

Money that you SAVE that otherwise you would have thrown away. You don't have to stint for it.

You will have this money and not miss a cent, and you enjoy it so much. If you are dependent, you do not have to ask anybody for Money for Xmas, and when you spend it, you can say "I am spending my own money." How good it will make you feel.

The Peoples Bank

Capital \$40,000 Surplus \$45,000

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After Inventory Sale

BEGINNING FRIDAY JANUARY 7th, 1916

We have placed practically all of our stock of goods at **GREAT REDUCTIONS** for quick disposal.

We are going to sell out our entire stock of winter goods, so here is your chance to obtain real bargains. When we say bargains we mean it.

All Ladies Suits and Cloaks at reductions never heard of before. They must go.

All Men's Suits and Overcoats at prices that will make you feel good.

All winter weigh underwear for the entire family. One-fourth off.

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