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THE DEMOCRAT.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, '94.

PUBLISHER'S NOTICE.

Advertisements of all kinds must be in this office by Tuesday afternoon, to insure publication for the current week.

LOCAL ADVERTISEMENTS.—1 cent a word for each insertion.
Charges for local advertising due weekly.

Rules Adopted By the N. C. Press Association April 27, 1893.

The sum of not less than five cents per line will be charged for "cards of thanks," "resolutions of respect" and "obituary poetry" also for obituary notices other than those which the editor himself shall give as a matter of news.

Notices of church and society and all other entertainments from which revenue is to be derived will be charged for at the rate of five cents a line.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Have your watches, clocks and jewelry and sewing machines repaired at Johnston's.

IF YOU WANT nice, cheap buggies, see J. E. Hancock before you buy. 111 ft

COACHES.—For coach building and repairing, call on J. E. Woolard, at Kitchin shops. He makes horse-shoeing a specialty. 111 ft

Upholstering.

If you want your Furniture repaired send it to D. P. HASKITT.

If you want your Furniture Upholstered send it to D. P. HASKITT.

Samples of Upholstering goods can be seen at D. P. HASKITT'S.

Sewing machines cleaned and repaired at D. P. HASKITT'S.

For Sale.

A Buggy and Harness and a Wagon and Harness. Terms cash. Object of sale is to raise money to pay my debts. W. J. Smith.

For Sale.

A pair of Langshan Chickens—thoroughbred. Apply to Wm. Ruffin Smith.

Horses For Sale.

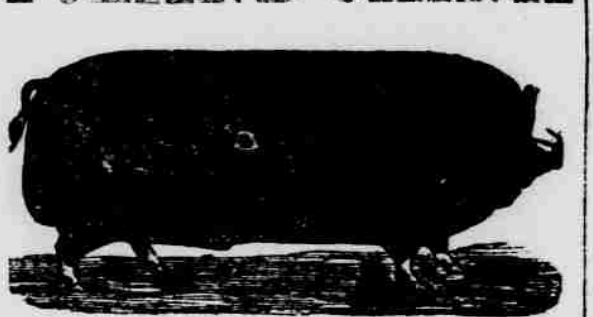
We will have several nice horses Friday, 9th, which we will sell at remarkably low prices. Anyone wishing to purchase will do well to look at our stock before buying.

J. M. Morrisett & Son.

J. C. HOARD,

Livery & Exchange Stables, HAMILTON, N. C. 111 3m

POLAND CHINA



Pigs For Sale!

Pure Blood of the East Strains. WEIGHT 25 to 30 POUNDS.

Price \$5 each or \$10 a Pair.

W. H. JOSEY, Scotland Neck, N. C. 21 ft

SALE OF LAND.

In pursuance of a mortgage executed to the undersigned, Joseph Blount Cheshire, on the 21st day of February 1877, by W. H. Shields and Leah H. Shields, his wife, to secure the payment of a note therein described and which is now held by John K. Ober, of Baltimore, the said mortgage being recorded at pages 569, 570 and 571 of book 50, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Halifax county, on the 28th day of March 1877, I will on the 10th day of February 1894, sell for cash to the highest bidder at public auction at the Court House door in Halifax the real estate described therein as follows: All that tract or parcel of land lying in the county of Halifax in said State and known as the Mason farm, (6 adjoining the lands of Thomas P. Devereaux, Miss Patie Shields, J. M. Mullen, and the land belonging to the children of said William H. Shields, known as the Davis land) and containing eight hundred and forty-five acres and being the land purchased by said William H. Shields from James B. Dupree and Jas. W. Doyal and his wife, in order to pay said note, default having been made in the payment of the principal and interest thereof for more than sixty days. This Nov. 27, 1893.

Who have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla what they think of it, and the replies will be positive in its favor. Simply what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that tells the story of its merit. One has been cured of indigestion or dyspepsia, another finds its indispensable for sick headache or biliousness, while others report remarkable cures of scrofula, catarrh, rheumatism, salt rheum, etc.

Wanted. A situation as printer. Three years experience. B. S. POPE, Spring Hill, N. C.

NOTES FROM LITTLETON.

LITTLETON, Feb. 5th, 1894.

Mr. J. W. Thornton has recently bought the livery stable lot of Col. W. A. Johnston, and is building handsome new stables. He has just returned from Norfolk with a fine drove of young horses and mules.

Very few farmers have presented themselves to be furnished with supplies so far. It is to be hoped that they are in much better circumstances this year than ever before.

Heavy rains have made our good country roads very bad, almost impassible in some places.

Miss Annie Mitchell, from near Scotland Neck, is visiting her sister in this place, Mrs. J. R. Anderson.

We learn that Mr. Thos. Harrison, from Brinkleyville, will soon move to this place.

ENFIELD RIPPLES.

ENFIELD, N. C., Feb. 5, '94.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heptinstall, after spending a few days with his mother in this place, returned to their home in Washington, N. C.

Dr. A. S. Harrison spent part of last Sunday in Weldon.

Mrs. Will Carr of Wilmington is here on a visit to her mother, Mrs. C. Forbes who is very ill.

Our young people seem to be having quite a lively and pleasant time here. They have from two to three sociables every week.

Dr. Ferris, President of the Methodist Protestant Conference of N. C., preached in the M. P. church of this place last Thursday night.

We heard an excellent sermon last Sunday from Rev. Mr. Durant pastor of the M. E. church in this place.

We are glad to see Mr. Smith is able to be up again.

Mr. D. D. Cuthrell of Rocky Mount spent part of last Saturday and Sunday in town. m. c.

Bears Witness to The Democrat's Zeal.

REMI, S. C., Feb. 5th, 1894.

EDITOR DEMOCRAT:—I have read your recent editorials on the subject of improved financial condition of the people of Halifax county with much pleasure, and can bear witness to your constant hammering on the subject of home supplies, and home work generally, to lift the people out of their financial troubles. I hope our people will see the necessity of continuing on that line, which will eventually lead to their independence, and the betterment of the country at large, for after all, when the people advance the country prospers, but when they lag behind the country droops. I can bear witness that you have not only advocated the making of home supplies, but also did your best to get the river bottoms reclaimed. The success of the penitentiary farms is an object lesson which teaches the rising generation what abundant wealth lies hidden in these fertile bottoms of the Roanoke. I would like to see a stock company organized to reclaim all the lands from Halifax or Weldon to the Martin county line. Individuals are too poor to do it. This done and you would see great improvement and our people would have their smoke-houses at home and not in Chicago, their barns at home instead of in Cincinnati, their mule pastures at home and not in Kentucky, their horse stables at home and not in Pennsylvania; and what is better still, what money is spent for these things would remain at home also.

While according to you your full share in the part taken by THE DEMOCRAT in bringing about the present happy state of things, I think the stock law enters largely into the result. It has given the people time and means to devote to the raising of better stock and the improvement of their lands. P. E. SMITH.

"Sweet Charity."

In the Artists' Exhibition of 1893 at the New York Academy of Design, there was exhibited an oil-painting by J. L. G. Ferris, entitled "Sweet Charity." Its richness of coloring commanded instant attention, while the lesson it taught was so impressive that one naturally returned to it for a second view. Its subject is a young lady of colonial times who is on an errand to one of the poorer families of the town. She has a sensible, charming face, which expresses with remarkable fidelity the sentiment of her errand. There is not a home that this charming picture will not ornament. It must be seen to be appreciated.

"Sweet Charity" was purchased by the Publishers of The Youth's Companion and has been reproduced in colors in large size, 14x21.

It will be sent to all new subscribers to The Companion who send \$1.75 for a year's subscription. This offer includes the Double Souvenir Numbers published at Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's. Address, THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, Boston, Mass.

Save Money.

If you want your life insured in a good, solid old line company, and one that offers the most liberal contract for the money, call on the editor of this paper. The Union Central is the company you want to insure in. It is one of the best and most popular companies in the land and is increasing business at a greater per cent. than ever before.

'Who's Been Here Since I've Been Gone?'

READ AND SEE.

Mr. N. Biggs went to Richmond this week.

Mr. J. M. Morrisett returned from Norfolk Monday.

Maj. J. B. Neal will go South to engage in the lumber business.

Mr. W. A. Dunn went to Clinton Monday on business.

Mrs. M. L. Venable of Virginia is here on a visit to relatives.

Rev. R. E. Peele of Burgaw spent a part of last week here visiting friends.

Rev. W. S. Ballard has moved from the Sills place to the Maj. Neal place in Clarksville.

Dr. W. R. Wood came down from Raleigh Saturday to see Mrs. Edmondson.

Mr. T. E. Powell of Gold Rock was in town a day or two last week to see his sister, Mrs. Edmondson.

Mr. Earl Walston went to Wake Forest Monday to take a course in that institution.

Miss Helen Perry went to Halifax yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. J. Frank Brinkley.

Mrs. M. H. McDowell returned to her home in Murfreesboro Tuesday. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Eunice.

Sheriff Allsbrook went to Duplin county yesterday to convey a colored man, Wager Edmunds, who was wanted there for skipping a ration bill.

The people of Scotland Neck will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. D. M. Baird, which occurred at her home in Petersburg a few days ago.

Mrs. J. B. Neal, with her daughter Emily and Master Alex. Neal, went to Pitt county last week where they will board with Mrs. Saunders, Maj. Neal's sister, while he is away on business.

Mr. G. Hoffman has moved from the Dr. Wood place to Mr. J. M. Morrisett's place on corner of Church and 12th streets, and Mr. Morrisett has moved into his new house.

TRINITY PARISH LENTEN SERVICES.—Tuesdays 4.30 p. m.; Wednesdays, old church, 4.30 p. m.; Thursdays, Holy Communion, 7.00 a. m., service and lecture 7.30 p. m., and Fridays 9.30 a. m.

Beware of Ointments for CATARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY, as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggist, 75c a bottle. Appreciated.

THE DEMOCRAT is gratified at the many expressions of appreciation of its work. Our subscribers seem well pleased with the paper. And it is perhaps not out of order to remark that our subscription list is lengthening rapidly.

THIS IS MEANT FOR YOU. It has been truly said that half the world does not know how the other lives. Comparatively few of us have perfect health, owing to the impure condition of our blood. But we rub along from day to day, with scarcely a thought, unless forced to our attention, of the thousands all about us who are suffering from scrofula, salt rheum and other blood disorders, and whose agonies can only be imagined. The marked success of Hood's Sarsaparilla for these troubles, as shown in our advertising columns frequently, certainly seems to justify urging the use of this excellent medicine by all who know that their blood is disordered. Every claim in behalf of Hood's Sarsaparilla is fully backed up by what the medicine has done and is still doing, and when its proprietors urge its merits and its use upon all who suffer from impure blood, in great or small degrees, they certainly mean to include you.

Mr. C. F. Davis editor of the Bloomfield, Iowa, Farmer, says: "I can recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to all sufferers with colds and croup. I have used it in my family for the past two years and have found it the best I ever used for the purposes for which it is intended. 50c bottles for sale by E. T. Whitehead & Co."

Mr. Albert Favorite, of Arkansas City, Kan., wishes to give our readers the benefit of his experience with colds. He says: "I contracted a cold early last spring that settled on my lungs, and had hardly recovered from it when I caught another that hung on all summer and left me with a hacking cough which I thought I never would get rid of. I had used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy some fourteen years ago with much success, and concluded to try it again. When I had got through with one bottle my cough had left me and I have not suffered with a cough or cold since. I have recommended it to others, and all speak well of it." 50c bottles.

FITTS.—All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise \$2.00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, P.

Commissioners Meeting.

County Commissioners held regular monthly meeting Monday. All present. The following accounts were allowed:

H T Bell, rebate on taxes 4.29
J H Alford, " " " 1.15
Chas. Dixon, " " " 1.95
J H Burt, meal for county 15.00
Jno. Brown, goods for court house 4.78

" " " jail 4.45
Mrs. Bridges, rebate on taxes 7.02
J Frank Brinkley, recording orders 12.00
Froelich Bros, lumber 2.63
Edwards & Broughton, printing 4.00
K E Kilpatrick, conveying lunatic 16.45

Louis Blackwell, building bridge 28.75
R W Pittman, conveying pris. 2.50
Emry & Daniel, goods 16.78
John Fenner, court house 65
J F Cullom, serving orders 60

The Democrat, annual account 40.00
Robt. Parker, conveying prisoner 3.25
J H Clay, " " " 2.50
J W Gupton, repairing bridge 15.90
W P Winfree, work at bridges 15.00
Wm Sykes, removing rafts 1.80

J W Gupton, repairing bridge 6.30
R G Reid, jail account 80.05
C C Jones, coffin for pauper 2.00
W W Rosser, serving notices 60
Emry & Daniel, goods county 56.20
P Stainback, goods county 2.00
J A Harrell, printing 1.75
J M Cohen, drugs 17.30

Dallas Alston, work at jail 5.00
L D Browning, supt. poor house 41.55
B I Allsbrook, county fence 18.20
R W Shaw, work 2.60
W E Daniel, county attorney, presented account of B I Allsbrook with county, same was accepted and ordered recorded on book of official reports.

W W Rosser, for Brinkleyville and S J Clark, for Enfield paid in respectively \$10 and \$15.27 from insolvent tax list.

Liquor license of R W Harris was revoked, having not been used, an order was made to refund his money to commissioners.

Joseph Stern was allowed to issue license in Scotland Neck township. E. R. Aushorn & Co. allowed to retail liquor at Norfolk's.

P G Riddick allowed to retail liquor at Tillery's.

Sam Francis allowed \$4 instead \$3 per month.

Kitty Fenner allowed to go to county home.

Lafayette W Johnson Confederate soldier allowed \$4 per month for 11 months.

Mrs. Martha Lewis allowed to go to county home.

Louis Froelich, insurance agent, was allowed to renew insurance policy on court house for 3 years at \$60.

John Lucas allowed as confederate soldier \$4 per month for 11 months.

John T Gregory tendered his report of all public funds remaining in his hands on 1st Monday in Dec. 1893.

C H Mason is allowed to continue business under his father's and licensed to retail liquor at Tillery.

J W Carlisle is relieved of poll tax for 1893.

Supervisors allowed to build bridge over Mayo's swamp, to be let to the lowest bidder.

James Dickens allowed \$3 per month as confederate soldier for 11 months.

It is ordered that the office of constable for Butterworth township be allowed vacant, and A A Hux was appointed and tendered bond.

W H Moore allowed to go to county home.

A M Riddick allowed to retail liquor at Spring Hill.

Supervisors of Fancett's township authorized to put bridge over branch in Mr. Dicken's field, not to cost over \$12.

J A House paid in \$25 on insolvent list for Littleton township.

R W Brown, Chm and mileage 3.50
R B Britt, com. and mileage 3.20
W C Daniel, com. and mileage 2.65
E W Hyman, com. and mileage 4.00
M H Clark, 2 day as com. 2.00
J Frank Brinkley, 1 day as clerk 2.00

Rheumatism originates in the morbid condition of the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla cures rheumatism. Get only Hood's.

Money! Money!! Money!!! Persons desiring to negotiate for loans in sums from one to five hundred dollars will call on me. W. A. DUNN.

NOTICE! By virtue of an execution issuing to me from the Superior court of Halifax county in favor of J. R. Tillery and against W. E. Spruill, Jr., I shall sell for cash to the highest bidder at the court house door in the town of Halifax on Monday 5th day of March 1894, Lot No. 3, Square H in the town of Hogno, N. C. according to the plot of said town, to satisfy said execution. This 5th day Feb. 1894.

B. I. ALLSBROOK, Sheriff. 28 3t. Halifax county.

SALE OF LAND. By virtue of power in me vested by a deed of trust executed to me on the 19th day of January, 1891, by T. E. Aushorn and wife Fannie, which is duly recorded in the register's office for said County of Halifax in book 93 on page 96, I shall sell for cash to pay the note there- in mentioned, in the town of Scotland Neck, on the 3rd day of March, 1894, the following described land, to wit: All of their right, title and interest in and to the dower land set apart by deed to Mrs. John Everette, being that land bounded by the lands of C. B. Everette, the old H. B. Whitmore land, F. M. Johnson and others and containing one hundred and seventy acres, more or less. W. A. DUNN, Trustee. 28 4t.

LAND SALE. By virtue of power in me vested by a deed of trust executed to me on the 20th day of December, 1892, by W. I. Hyman and his wife Mary, which deed is duly recorded in Halifax County, in book 98, on page 389, of the register's office, I shall sell for cash at auction in Scotland Neck, on the 3rd day of March, 1894, the following described land, to wit: That land bounded by the lands of Edward Shields, D. Edmondson, Peter Smith, Bettie Andrews and Austin Shields, and containing sixty three acres, more or less. This February 3rd 1894. W. A. DUNN, Trustee. 28 4t.



A Helpless Invalid

Kidney and Liver Trouble and Nervous Debility

16 Years of Suffering Ended by Taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.

"C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. 'The effects of Hood's Sarsaparilla in my case have been truly marvelous. It far surpasses any other medicine I have ever taken. For 16 years I was troubled with uric acid, kidney trouble and nervous debility, and was a Helpless Invalid. I have been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for three months and I feel that I am cured. I feel better now than I have for sixteen years. I thank God first for my health, and C. I. Hood & Co. second, for Hood's Sarsaparilla. I have recommended it to all my neighbors and several of them are using Hood's Sarsaparilla with good results. I am 53 years old and feel better than I did at 40.'" Mrs. E. WADE, Stoneville, Tenn.

Hood's Pills act easily, yet promptly and efficiently, on the liver and bowels. 20c.

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures

Scotland Neck Market. COLLECTED WEEKLY BY R. C. JOSEY & CO.

COTTON MARKET. (MARKET FIRM.)

Stained 61
Low Middling 61
Middling 7

PEANUT MARKET. (MARKET FIRM.)

Spanish 40
Virginias, bright 45 to 50

FARM PRODUCTS.

Corn 50
Fodder 75
Hay 80
Oats 75
Field peas 50
Potatoes, sweet 40
Ham, old 124
Pork 7
Lard 24
Beef, on foot 5
Tallow 61
Chickens 29 to 25
Eggs 10
Turkeys 75 to 100
Butter 25
Beeswax 18

GROCERIES.

Flour, per barrel \$3.00 to \$4.25
Meal, per bushel 70
Meat 8
Molasses 25 to 40
Sugar 5
Coffee 20 to 27
Cocoa 15
Salt, per sack 90

Old newspapers at this office.

Having this day qualified as Administrator of Mary Bond, deceased, I hereby notify all persons holding claims against her estate to present them by January 1, 1895. This December 23, 1893. WALTER J. SMITH, Administrator. 14 6t

Administrator's Notice.

Something New!! TO THE PEOPLE OF THIS COMMUNITY!!

A FIRST CLASS GROCERY STORE, in the new brick building north of R. C. Josey & Co., conducted on a STRICTLY CASH ONE PRICE TO ALL BASIS.

I will always be prepared to furnish the people of the community with Fresh Goods at the Very Lowest Possible Prices.

OUR MOTTO IS: 36 inches to the yard. 16 ounces to the pound. Best value for least price. Honest and square dealings with all.

Inviting a share of the patronage of the public, guaranteeing satisfaction in all our dealings. Very Respectfully, O. K. TAYLOR.

"Nerve Soeds." This medicine is guaranteed to cure all nervous diseases, such as Weakness, Loss of Memory, Headache, Vertigo, Insomnia, Lack of Confidence, Nervousness, Quickness, Evil Dreams, Lack of Concentration, Irritability, and all other ailments caused by over-excitation of the nervous system. It is a powerful tonic and restorative, and its use will result in a complete cure of all the above named ailments. It is sold in bottles of 25 cents and 50 cents. Write for a free trial bottle to O. K. TAYLOR, 111 1/2 ft. Address: NERVE SEED CO., MANCINI TRUST, Chicago, Ill.

FOR SALE BY E. T. WHITEHEAD & CO., Scotland Neck, N. C. 6 22 1y

The Best Shoes for the Least Money.

W. L. DOUGLAS \$3 SHOE FOR GENTLEMEN.

\$5, \$4 and \$3.50 Dress Shoe. \$3.50 Police Shoe, 3 Colors. \$2.50, \$2 for Workingmen. \$2 and \$1.75 for Boys. LADIES AND MISSES, \$3, \$2.50 \$2, \$1.75

CAUTION.—If any dealer offers you W. L. Douglas shoes at a reduced price, or says he has them without the name stamped on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.

W. L. DOUGLAS Shoes are stylish, easy fitting, and give better satisfaction at the prices advertised than any other make. The one pair and be convinced. The stamping of W. L. Douglas's name and price on the bottom, which guarantees their value, saves thousands of dollars annually to those who wear them. Dealers who push the sale of W. L. Douglas Shoes gain customers, which helps to increase the sales on their full line of goods. They can afford to sell at a less profit, and we believe you can save money by buying all your footwear of the dealer whose name is on the bottom, put him down as a fraud.

—SOLD BY— N. B. JOSEY. 111 5m. SCOTLAND NECK, N. C.