#### Explanation of the Bond Issue News - Record Editor News-Record:-In my letter last week I said I BOLINA PRINTING COMPANY would say something more about the bill we passed at Raleigh en-GILBERTAMORROW titled an act to create a highway Publishers commission for Madison County and provide funds for a system W. E. FINLEY, - - EDITOR. of public roads and highways in \$1.00 Madison County. .... Three Months .28

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### **Conservation.**

of taxable property in Madison One of the questions that County and separating the free should agitate every land owner labor from the road fund arising in our mountain counties is the from taxation and think that we conservation of the soil. The have one of the best road laws high waters of the last few weeks that Madison County has ever have brought to our attention had. But petition after petition more than ever the thought that came to us and some men came we are letting our richness get in person contending that taxaaway from us. tion was too slow a way to get

We stood on the bridge a Marshall and saw the water flowing down just thick with the clay of our fields. Year after year this has happened and it cannot continue for ever and and pay for them later, so in still allow our lands to keep on producing. Somethigg should be done to hold the soil and if of The News-Record. our present way of farming does not do that then we should seek some way of farming that does or place the land in something that will hold the soil.

If plowing it up for corn and crops lose us more than we gain they go and this bill provides a by planting such crops, then we should plant something that does give us gain.

A census taken not long ago brought out the fact that not : single farmer in Madison County in the district canvassed, made five percent on capital invested. The farmer believes he is doing enough when he makes a living but the farmer is not getting for at the end of the time and the what he should when he gets less It is not whether he meets taxes clothes his family and eats but of the tax levy by issuing short whether he is making anything term bonds, get the money now beside. That is the question and pay it off in ten years but if that he ought to consider and if a majority preferred the bonds he is not then he is failing.

which the farmer can do that will conserve his land and at the same time give him a reasonable return for the capital invested.

them, Mr. Richards clearly desary in order to bring about the fined the merits and possibilities fullest develop ient of the great of this part of the United States resources now lying dormant in our section."

and showed to the satisfaction of the audience that 'the South is destined to be the popular field for homeseekers, manufacturers and investors, He urged the

necessity for the co-operation of all the people, both town and country, if the greatest degree of success was to be obtained.

We were fully impressed of the Mr. Richards complimented the necessity for a system of public people of Madison County upon roads and highways for Madison the interest they are taking in County when we drew a bill conthe improvement of their farm solidating and amending the road lands, the diversiecation of their he was no such modern Moses as crops, and the improvement of the Boer and perhaps he did not law of Madison County and providing for a levy of not less than the public roads and public possess the imperial imagination 25 cants nor more than 50 cents

on every hundred dollars worth

roads and demanding of us that

we provide for the raising of

money by bonds and that we

have roads made and built now

obedience to that demand we

drew the bond bill, which will

be published in full in next issue

There are some who say that

they would be in favor of bond-

ferred to the opportunities for the enlargement of existing Stanley, while no other modern manufacturing plants and the establishment of new industries. He expressed his interest in the coming of fruits an vegetables, which is already quite an industry in Madison County, and pointed out the importance of the enlargment of such factories, referring to the large and growing markets for their products.

As the question of improving the public roads of Madison County is a live subject, remarks with reference thereto were warmly greeted. He told of

what had been accomplished in many counties of the southeastern states in the building of modern up to date roads, and the advantages of such improvements,

ing the County to build roads but showing that this was one of the they do not want a debt on the most profitable investments taxcounty and had rather pay as payers could make. The speaker said that the increase in the varemedy for that. The county lue of farm lands and town propcan levy 50 cents on every hunerty would at once more than dred dollars worth of taxable pay the cost of construction of a

property which would raise \$25, system of practical highways. 000.00 or \$30,000.00 a year and He referred to instances in some in the course of ten years we counties where the opponents of could raise and spend on the road land issues, later became roads from \$250.000.00 to \$300. their warmest advocates when 000.00 in ten years at that rate they realized what such improveof levy and have the roads paid ments would. He sugeested that a visit be made by any who same result could be attained by borrowing money on the strength good roads at once to the sections where good roads are already in operation, and expressed the opinion that any such would return converted.

could be issued and paid for grad-Mr. Richard's personal know-Now there are many things ually, some short and some long ledge of conditions at Marshall bonds within the next fifteen to and in Madison County prompted thirty years. him to say that there is a splen-

There are other who say they did field at Marshall for a live up would be in favor of spending to date real estate man. He For instance stock raising will money raised by taxation or further said that the citizens of do this but that would necessi- bonds if they knew the money Marshall should organize a busi- and continued in the mill work tate putting enough land in grass would be put into the roads and ness Association for the purpose until he was grown. He did not meanders to J. J., Redmon's line, raise stock and pasture it, not squandered and to meet that of keeping the merits of Mars-

David Livingstone.

Perhaps the men whose names are most intimately identified with the opening of the Dark Continent may be mentioned as David Livingston, Henry M Stanley, Paul Krueger and Cecil

Rhodes. Among these the most really notable of all was the first; schools of the county. He re- of Rhodes, but as an explorer and discoverer he surpassed even

> man has done more honor to the name of missionary than he. David Livingstone was 27 when he went to South Africa in 1840 under the auspices of the London Missionary Society as a medical missionary and began the labors that were to last all his life. He learned the language and customs of the natives, winning their friendship in no.ordi-

nary degree. It was nine years after his arrival in Bechuanaland that he went on a tour of discov ery and found Lake Ngami. In

1352 he explored the course of the Zambesi River, discovering Africa's greatest natural wonder, Victoria Falls. Then he became commander of an expedition to explore Eastern and Central Africa and discovered Lakes Sherwa and Nyassa. In 1866 he organized an expedition to trace the Nile to its source. After he had disappearrd into the heart of the continent without any

years the interest and concern of the entire civilized world became aroused. James Gordon Bennett the elder fitted out an expedition in charge of Stanley, who "found Livingstone" after a memorable search. Livingstone, are antignestic to the building of then suffering from tropical fever regained his health and parted with Stanley to explore the southern end of Lake Tanganyike, where he was attacked with dysentry and died. His body lies

word coming from him for three

in Westminister Abbey. He had a fine love of useful adventure, he was a remarkable leader, and he could write.

Livingstone was a Scotch cotton mill boy who went to work to-wit: as a "piecer" at the age of ten grow up a loafer and a bum, but, thence westwardly with a hollow with developed character and in- meanders and with a fence built by J. dustry, he gained an education J. Redmon and V. B. Davis to a pine and continued it at the University of Glasgow during the slack months. Such was the man home place where the said parties of whose birthday centenary has the first part now lives, and the been celebrated throughout the English-speaking country.

### Good Roads.

There is nothing that we can write on that will so much bene fit the people of our county as good roads because it is something that benefits every one. We often wonder if the people do not become tired of always hearing of this subject but it is the one thing that will benefit every one. Every one uses the roads-to go to church to attend school, to go to town, to visit neighbors and the community spirit is enhanced and the prosperity of the county is increased by the roads. So we dwell upon this subject and we hope to see shortly these roads in every part of the county.

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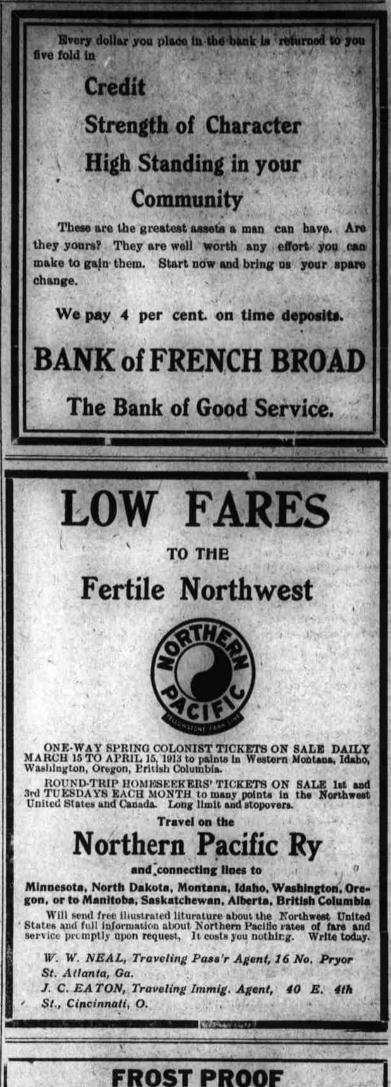
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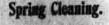
By virtue of the power in me vested by a certain deed in trust bearing date July 6th, 1908, and duly recorded in Register of Deeds Office of Madison County, North Carolina, in book 12, page 196, to which reference is made for a fulldescription, executed by V. B. Davis and wife, Carrie Davis to the undersigned as trustee to secure a debt therein described and the debt having become due and payable and default having been made in the payment of same and having been requested by the payee of said note to foreclose same. I will on the 7th, day of April 1913 at 12 o'elock m. at the Court House door in Madison County sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described lands to satisfy said debt, interest and cost,

Beginning at the fork of the branch below where Mrs. V. B. Davis now lives, and runs up the branch as it



Fruit growing is another branch objection we have appointed six to which our mountain country among the best business men in is well adapted besides many ot- the County, every one of them hers. The Southern Railroad is succeeding well with his own advocating dairying and there business, placed their salaries are many other branches in down to practically nothing and which the farmer very well could employ his energies if he only weuld.

Co-operate along these lines and we are sure something could be done and well. Think on these things.



The need of every one at this time of the year is to see that their premises are cleaned up for the summer. The tendency of every one is to allow the slops and dirt of the winter to accumulate and the result is that the summer comes on, and every garbage pile is the center from which flies and such things come and that gives typhiod and such

deseases a starf. Now that the season is on us there ought to be in every place aning up and if this is done Marshall will be one of the healthest places known in the mounains. The lack of cold weather as been for the keeping of terms which have not been killand off and so it behoves every one to see to it that houses and ands are well cleaned, and then I the different persons could our the lawne with flower our little town would, have a ed the speakers.

All local unions will plea

In that all

otice that a meeting of the Farmers Union will be the Court House in Mars-

tame for beauty.

have thrown every safe guard and restriction around the Board or commission that can possibly be made by law and anyone who will take time to read the bill will see that every possible precaution has been taken to draw

a bill that would meet all the objections that anyone could urge and yet be affective and efficient. We feel that we have done our ards might be carried out.

duty in regard to laws of Madison County and made it possible S. H. Cohen, the alert and intelfor the people of Madison County to progress along with other counties in the way of road building and education and if the people do not keep apace with other counties then it is their fault and not ours. Our duty has been uppeumost with us. C. B. MASHBURN ed time at his command graphi-

Monday evening there assem bled in the Madison County court house in this city about two hundred representative citizens of the county to hear addresses by Mr. M. V. Richards Land and Industrial Agent of the Southern Railway and Col. S. H. Cohen, General Manager of Western North J Carolina Assorintion. Mr. Guy V. Roberts, of this city, presided and introduc-

Mr. Richards, the first speak er, in his usual practical and efer, in his usual practical and ef-fective manner, spoks at consid-erable length, covering many phases of industrial development. He explained in detail the growth and advancement of North Caro-line and other Southeastern stat-es along educational, agriculte-ral, and industrial lines, taking up many specific instances show-ing why the developments were te were

hall and Madison County promi mently before the outside world. co-operating closely with the Southern Railway and the Greater Western Nerth Carolina Association. He clearly explained the effect of such co-operation. Every sentence or Mr. Richards address was thoroughly appreciated as was manifested by the hearty applause. After the meeting there were expres-

sions of a hearty wish that the suggestions made by Mr. Rich Following Mr. Richards, Col.

ligent General Manager of the **Greater Western North Carolina** Association, made an interesting talk, pointing out the purposes and work of the Association, in which Madison is so greatly interested. Mr. Cohen in the limit-

# A Very Enthusiastic Meeting.

all.

interested in the work of the Asciation and has sent delegates to the Hendersonville meeting this evening to express Madison's appreciation of the good result

of the work of the Association and their hearty accord there

As the audience was disband og one of the leading citizene o Marshall was beard to say was one of the most help neetings I ever attended, and I

meetings I ever attended, and a wish it were possible to hold a-nother such meeting in Marshall within the near future and that every dilises could attend and gain therefrom the information and exthesions which is near

## What is the Answer?

If health work saved \$5,000,000 in preventable sickness and death in our State last ycar, will some one please explain why we are afraid to risk over \$150,000 in

State, county and municipal health work combined to effect a still greater saving when our annual loss from preventable diseases still ranges around \$40,. 000,000? If a business man could save an annual loss of \$1 by

spending 75 or 80 or even 90 cents, don't you think he would 6 t m. c. d. cally told of the work being done do it? Why, then, is not this and the manner of co-operation. great State run on more of a He urged the necessity of forming a county club as an adjunct business basis? Why are we afraid to spend over three or four of the Association. Mr. Cohen pointed out the work which had cents to save a dollar?

been done by newspaper as well as poster advertising. The large Is your body any less valuable poster on the wall of the court than an elevator, a sterm boiler, house attracted the attention of or a locomotive? If not, it is

life.

your duty to yourself, your fami-Madison County is thoroughly ly and society to have it inspect ed periodically." Do not walt ontil you are conscious of disease the damage may then be difficult or impossible to repair.

> Of all the people who die in his country each year, 27 per

> ent are bables under five years of age. Of this number, 200,000 die from preventable diseases, and approximately 160,000 of these die during the first year of

Fig time should mean was ne- that is, time to was w

tree in the Cralgmiles line. Thence south to the beginning containing 11 acres more or less, and it being the boundary includes the dwelling house where Mrs. V. B. Davis now lives and being the same lands described in a deed from J. M. Gudger Jr., to V. B. Davis. This the 6th day of March 1913.

JOHN JARRETT Trustee

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR

Having qualified as administrator of Van Massey deceased, late of Madison county, N. C. this is to notify all per-sons having debts against the estate of the said deceased to present the same to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of February 1914, or this no-tice will be pleaded in bar of their re-

BILL MASSEY, Administrator.

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Having qualified as the administra or of the estate of Zacharish Cand-er deceased, late of the County of Madison worth Carolina, this is to no-lify all persons having claims against the estate to present the same within tweive months from this date. Feb 21. 1914, or this notice will be pleaded in

All persons indefined to the estat rill please make immediate setth sent with the undersigned admini-

This 21st day of Feb. 1913, S. D. THOMAS, Istrator of Zocharlah Candl

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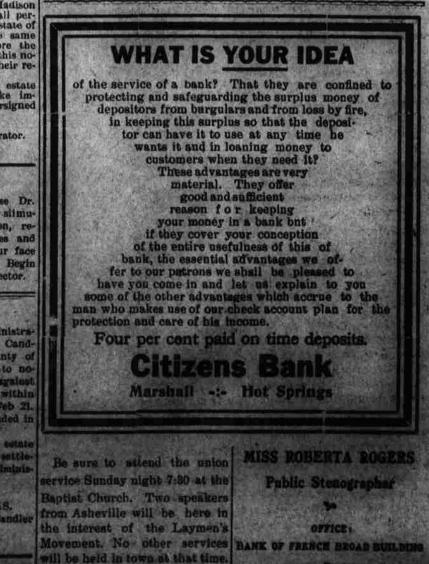
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will be held in town at that time W. E. Finley