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POWER VS POVERTY.

"SHERIFF'S OFFICE MECK-
LENBURG CO., Charlotte
Township Tax book —1911.
Page—26 line No. 8—the AS-
SESSOR'S 19 acre farm includ-
ing one of the best houses in the
COUNTY outside City. Assessed
by himself at \$40.00 per acre.

THE OTHER SIDE—the
NEGRO'S tax Same book as
above Page 164 line No. 11.
Poor faithful old negro with
an "EQUITY" in a FIVE ACRE
place near the above "mansion"
not on a ROAD with a small
pig pen a Mrs WIGGS dwell-
ing ASSESSED at \$50.00 per
ACRE."

The above is substantially a
copy of an advertisement in the
Charlotte Observer, and it
points out a condition that exists
in Mecklenburg County, show-
ing rank discrimination in the
matter of assessing taxes. No
doubt similar conditions can be
found in nearly every county in
the state. While we deplore the
idea of seeming to array one
class of citizens against another,
yet there is no question but the
rich or well-to-do fail to bear
their proportionate part of the
burdens of taxation, when one
compares the tax returns. There
are instances that can be found
on the tax books of any county
in the state, where men actually
perjure themselves by swearing
falsely to their tax lists, and the
matter is passed over or winked
at by the officials, whose sworn
duty it is to correct these tax
lists. A man's position in church,
society, intelligence or wealth,
should not be a cause for dis-
crimination in his favor in list-
ing his property for taxation,
yet if such a man sees fit to
swear falsely he is permitted to
do so and his list is not correct-
ed while his less fortunate
neighbor is made to toe the
mark.

The Price She Paid.

(From The Asheville Citizen.)

It is a graphic story of rare
human interest which the New
York World publishes regarding
the life details of Jack John-
son's white wife, who did a mer-
itorious act when she took her-
self out of the world. It is a
story of pathos and tragedy,
telling of a broken hearted father
who was literally crushed to
death by his daughter's shame.
It told, too, of a sister honorably
engaged to marry in respectable
circles who saw her life's dream
shattered. Another picture, in
all its pathetic draping, presents
itself in the flight of a brother
unable to bear the disgrace
heaped upon his name and fam-
ily by his sister's folly. Four
lives were wrecked when this
woman of respectable parentage
gave herself in matrimony to a
negro, and she wrote the last
chapter of a tale of ruin and
misery when she fired the fatal
bullets into her brain. "I am
tired of being a social outcast,
even the negroes do not respect
me," she said. And so she died.

Lives of birdmen all remind us
We should aviate with care,
And departing leave behind us
Footprints in the upper air.

Socialist County Ticket.

The Socialists of Caldwell
County held a very enthusiastic
meeting in Lenoir last Saturday.
At this meeting it was decided
to nominate a Socialist County
ticket and also to start a cam-
paign in the County to encour-
age and explain the Socialist
doctrine. The following ticket
was nominated: Legislature, R.
L. Bush; Sheriff, E. D. Rutledge;
Register of Deeds, C. J. Hart;
Treasurer, S. J. Mitchell, Cor-
oner, Noah Austin; County Com-
missioners, J. M. Hart, F. S.
Livingston, D. H. Francum.

Senatorial Convention.

The Senatorial Convention of
this the 34th Senatorial District,
consisting of the counties of Mc-
Dowell, Burke, Alexander and
Caldwell met in the court house
in Lenoir Saturday, Sept. 21st,
for the purpose of nominating
two candidates for said district.
W. S. Miller, Chairman, called
the Convention to order and was
made chairman, T. S. Robbins
secretary. The names of E. F.
Wakefield, of Caldwell, and C.
A. Spencer, of Burke, were
placed before the Convention and
were nominated by acclamation.
W. S. Miller, of Caldwell, was
re-elected chairman of the dis-
trict for the next two years.
There being no further business
the meeting adjourned.

The Hookworm Campaign.

Report of the seven week's
campaign in Caldwell County
for the eradication of the hook-
worm disease:

5,000 examinations were made,
of this 1,750 or 35 per cent were
found infected with hookworms,
572 other parasites were found.
Of the 1,551 school children 6 to
18 years examined 55 per cent
were infected with hookworms.

The following is the infection
found at each of the dispensaries:

Granite Falls, 7 days—299 had
hookworm, 23 had dwarf tape
worms, 1 had pin worms, 1 had
hair worms, 42 had eel worms.

Patterson, 6 days—698 ex-
amined, 276 had hookworms, 217
had eelworms, 6 had pinworms
and 5 had hair worms.

Collettsville, 6 days—754 ex-
amined, 233 had hookworms, 205
had eelworms, 6 had dwarf tape
worms, 3 had pinworms.

Kings Creek, 6 days—573 ex-
amined, 268 had hookworms, 78
had eelworms, 3 had pinworms,
1 had dwarf tapeworms.

Lenoir, 7 days—1695 examined,
559 had hookworms, 185 had eel-
worms, 7 had hairworms, 1 had
pinworms, 32 had dwarf tape
worms, 3 had whipworms.

Whitney, 1 day—67 examined,
11 had hookworms, 1 had eel
worms, and 1 had dwarf tape
worms.

Hudson, 2 days—263 ex-
amined, 193 had hookworms, 6
had eelworms, 7 had dwarf tape
worms, 2 had pinworms, 1 had
whipworms.

Montmer, 2 days—121 ex-
amined, 31 had hookworms, 17
eelworms, 1 had dwarf tape
worms.

Uncle Ezra Says

"I don't see much a girl in effort
to get folks into a 'pick of trouble'
and a little neglect of conversation,
folksness, indignation or other liver
dyspepsia in a little the same. It will
take De Knie's New Life Pills
for quick results. Every, safe, sure,
and only 25 cents. J. E. Shell and
Co."

Notice to Stock Men

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San Francisco

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The man who continually
shoots off his mouth rarely hits
anything.

An article that has real merit should
in time become popular. That such is
the case with Chamberlain's Cough
Remedy has been attested by many
dealers. Here is one of them. H. W.
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are "the clothes you want
to buy at the price you want
to pay" Come in—look
them over, it's up to you.

E. T. HICKMAN
Hudson, N. C.

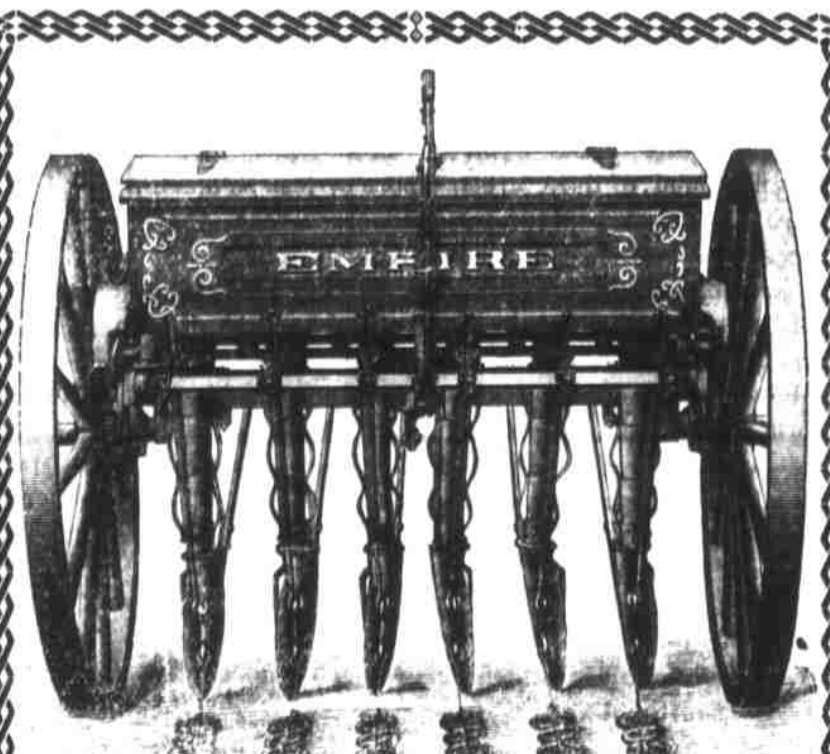


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Mattie Mae Ballew

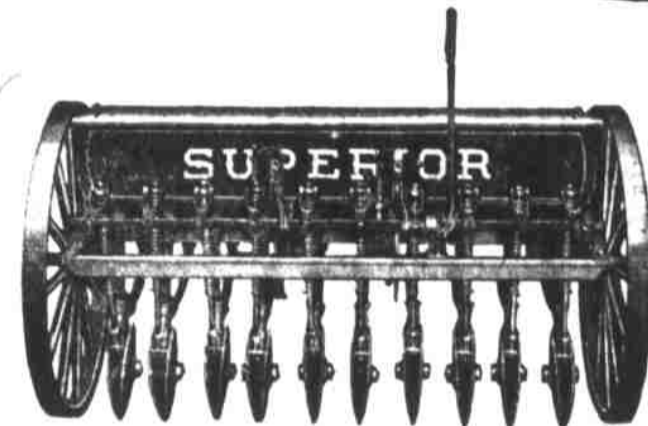
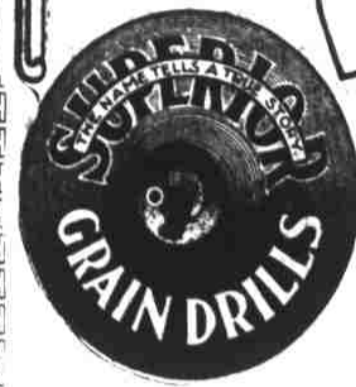


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