SWISS PEASANTS.

A correspondent writing from switzers land says : "The peasants are getting in their hay. The peasant women here about works a field in a velvet corset and a straw hat p'entifully adorned by ribbons. Sh looks an operatic haymaker. It is impossible o imagine that she is real. These good people in the happy valley near Interlaken do not appear to feel that life is especially serious; they work a little, then repose in the shade of the trees, watching the throng of tourists go by, without ever manifesting curiosity as to the comings and goings of the strangers. They ask only to cat and drink well, to sleep well, to die well, and to know as little shout the outside world as possible. Perhaps they are wise."

WHAT IS THE TONGUE FOR?

Since God made the tongue, and he never makes anything in vain, we may be sure he made it for some good purpose. What is it, then ?" asked a teacher, one day, of her class.

"He made it that we may pray with it,"

answered one boy. 'To sing with," said another. "To reci o our lessons with," replied

another. "Yes; and I will tell you what he did. not make it for. He did not make it for us to scold with, to lie with or swear He did not mean that we should say unkind or foolish, intecent or impatient words with it. Now, boys, think every time you use your tongues, if you and every person has a multitude, more are using them in the way God means or less, to cover. Do good with your tongues and not evil. It is one of the most useful members of the whole body, although it is so small. Please God with it every

NORTHAMPION LETTER. NORTHAMPTON Co., N. C.,

day.

October 30 h 1876 MESSR+ EDITORS: - Your paper is fast growing in popularity in this community. When the mail comes from the office, we all see who is first to get The Roanoke News. The spirited an i gallant bearing of the paper reflects much credit on the

We all went to the Fair, except a few that were unfortunately detained, enjoyed the society and seeing the pretty things amazinaty.

Steam town, near u., is in full blast, two steam gios running in opposition. We are sorry to announce the death Mrs. Rainay, which occurred during the week of the Fair. She was burned at the residence of her broth r, Capt. E I. do so them.

Thomas Two Northampton ladies, with their escorts took a fl.ing trip to Spring conts per dezen or one cent per speed. Church last Sonday, there being no minis or present they concluded to pay a visit a little further on, and on activing there their friends were from home, so after a day of disappointments, they re-

turned home quite merry after ail. We are pleased to inform the Reporter. that the Northamping bridges have been fully repaired, and, and the roads ex

With many wishes for the su cess of the Weldon paper joined with others on this side of the ROANOKS. It does no good to the crops as the frosts have already put a head on them.

that cold, cruel stare, see you not the tear tule, e Y Alas! that sorrow should ever make a child's heart its home ! They are in therless! Stange hands

minis ering to their daily wants-strang hearts wearying of the trk-ome duty. No fond, sweet kisses of embrane! no

gentle words of comfort and love ! no soft tolding of little hands to prayer I no moth Missing the low, sweet cadence of her

voice; missing that "good night !" seeking. serking, seeking all in vain, that ark for the weary dove -a mother's heart.

Draw the little forms near to your heart. Pitlow the aching heart upon your bosom Taink of your sunny childhood-voor mother's love, her gentle care, her pation! torbearance, her precious forgiveness Then only in kindness let your hand rest. on each honored little hear; only to love

reprove that little flack. On, let yours be the hand that will lead them in the green pasture, and by the still water of the precious Saviour's love! Let yours be the blessed benediction: "Inusmuch as ye have done it to the least of these, ye have done it uato Remember the angels do not always behold the face of our Fatner to heaven. Then, it may be that a child's hand shall lead you to that heavenly home - a child's hand place the crown upon your head.

A SKETCH FROM LIFE.

The editor was sitting in his sanctum. when a man laboring under considerable apparent excitement walked in, with the paper in his hand, and, pointing to a small paragraph, read: "The genial small paragraph, read: "The genial Colonel Mumolechock thinks of taking an Eistern journey soon. May be enjoy a pleasant trip, is the wish of his many triends."

'Now, sir,' said the excited man, 'I am Colonel Mumblechock, and I have called to inquire by what authority you make use of my name in vocr paper. 'First time I ever saw it,' replied the editor, glancing at the item, 'but I sup pose it's all right. My local reporter is quite enterprising in his pursuit of

But I never gave him permission to use my name in this manner,' persisted

the colonel, 'Vere likely,' said the editor; but you're

going East, sin't you?' 'Cettsioly.' 'And you haven't any objection to your

papers, which, ar er marking something

in them, he ordered to be put up to

wrappers, and was busy in directing

Quite a natu. al cuclosity in the way of a

fegless call was recently born in Valparasio

In tuna. It is now eighteen days old, and

has not even the sign of a leg, its body

being perfectly smooth not even in licating

mourishment to her off-pring.

Striends wishing you a pleasant trip ?' Our advice to the ladies is, beffer make "That's all right, but I don't want my soame to the paper, and in future you will ablige me by I aving it out." "Of course,' said the cuitor, 'if you he does, he cash give you the hydrophe-

desire it;' and the colonel bowed himself at Miz got. THOSE needing Metalic burial cases John, said the editor to his office boy, "lollow that man and see where he goes,

and come back and rep rt. John did se he was requested, and shortly after he came back and reported or express. that Colonel Mumblecheck went to the counting room and bou ht twenty-five

This is her first visit had relations in the law. If accidental, those who pick and vestre. She lives will spend a portion of the had cotton should be more particular in winter here.

States. I swap himber for them and scan placed by R. F. Burner, the base of the latest by evening and all giet on as before.

THE Editor of this paper is in no way respond The Editor of this paper is lune way responsible for the views or statements of Correspondence. No communications of an anonymous claracter will be published; the real name of the writer must necompany all communications. Any one who may feel aggrieved at statements made by correspondents can obtain the name on application to the Halter.

Correspondents will please write only on one side of the paper, and to avoid having their communications thrown in the waste basics, will furnish their names—not necessarily for publication—but as a guaranty of good faith, We will not notice anonymous correspondence, protect them from the fury of warms, the

ATTENTION R. L. L. You are hereby ordered to appear at your Armory Monday at 7] o'clock P. M. sharp, as business of importance will be transacted. Hy order of the Capf. R. B. IVEY.

Ordreiv Serg't.

83"A CARD. I do not intend to discontinue

the practice of law, on account of my connec

tion with the ROANOKE NEWS. But will attend

promptly to all business entrusted to my care

LOCAL.

Two desirable unimproved town lots

for sale on easy terms. Apply to James

INFERIOR court meets next Monday. It is the first term by the recently elected efficers.

"CHARITY covers a multitude of sins."

Just received one car load of salt,

Monky makes the mare go; but a

FOR SALE. - A lot with good two story

RICH SQUARE fair will be in progress

building, and out houses, in a desirable part of Weldon. Apply to W. W. Hall.

WHITE IS

Alsop, of Enfield, last week. She had a

severe case of diptheria, which is preva-

saw gins of the above make.
J. T. Goodt

N. C., Sueny Side and Summit, N. C.

HAVE on hard a full supply of lumber

REAL estate is rising in value every day

cars more than it was offered for two

I have failes hats of the latest style just

needed in my line. Respectfully, J. R. BAILEY,

A valuable mule belonging to Col. Long a short time ago was killed by failing into

To WHEAT GROWERS.-I am offering

"Darling, I am gr wing old, Silver threads among the gold"-Sang the wife, but Jack repiled;

"Turn your switch the other side."

Houston News.

It is now that the dentest smiles from ear to ear and looks like an aurorabore-

alls on stills, as he observes the 'estive young lady cracking blokery note with

We tender our sympathies to the bereaved

her front teeth.

J. T. Goccu.

over into the well and was killed,

Scotland Neck.

R. P. SPIERS.

J. T. GOOCH.

J. T. Googn.

A drink for the sick-Well water.

to Jas. T. Gooch.

shucked.

T. Gooch.

flour. J. T. Gooch.

Joyner, at the post office.

better circulating medium.

apply to J. T. Gooch.

for sale low. J. T. Gooch.

Correction in our national affairs has the same effect on the Jovernment that a severe Cough or Cold has upon the human system. Political reform in the former and Dr. Bull's Couch Syrup in the latter case will remedy the cytis. Ail the Druggists sell it for 25 cents a bottle.

A basheful young man could defer the momentous question no leager, so he stammered: "Martha, I-I-do you-PRINTERS, like lawyers, sometimes lose you must have—are you aware the Good Book says—er, that it is not g-good that a m-man should be alone?" "Then hadn't Economic 4 horse engine for sale, apply you better run home to your mother?" A flor young harness horse for sale

A love-hern swain, having spent the 100 bbls now family flour just received evening with his sweetheart, was not sat-isfied even then, so he strolls sround, awailing the "wee sma" hours, and till 1,000 bbls, corn wanted, shucked or unall the other boys had retired, then takes an organette, and is off for a serenade. Arrived at her house, he strikes up with 500 Bushels of bolted meal for sale low. an old, heckneyed hand organ tune. ladies awake-one exclaimed "deliver us!" Apples and rel and white onlons in large quantities for sale at J. T. G och's, another-"give the poor man something to eat!" "She, oh, bush! its Tommy!"

> PLENTIPUL -Bill Roberts caught two very large beavers this week near town. Romoke as musk rats. It will be remembered that we mentioned a month or two extended us on said trip. The Greys will ago of his trapping several. Any one wishing to buy fur will do well to see Bill, as trapping is his principal business.

quantity of shot and 200 bbls extra family DIVINE SERVICES, -Rev. A. S. Smith preached in the Episcopal church Friday Tue man who runs his boots down at night and Sun lay morning and Rev. Mr. the heels has a hard time keeping his toes square with the world. Rayen preached in the Methodist church Sunday night. The sermons were all good Sheet music of all kinds can be had at and everybody was pleased with them. publishers prices by applying to Andrew

Rev. Mr. Raven is preaching a series of sermous on the Lord's prayer.

lighted match under her tail would be a PROSPEROUS.- We learn that many of the colored people in the lower end of his county are in a very presperous condition. A number of them have nice farms and comfortable houses, with a quantity of stock, and are doing well. While this next week. We learn that there will be a large attendance and a good exhibition. is the state of things we may look for still more prosperity in the future. So FOR SALE .- 25 neat, substantial and

bundsome Top Buggies for sale, cheap for each. Apply to Jas. T. Gooch, Weidon, N. C. Dien .- On Thursday 6th inst at ber WE will be at court next Monday, and residence in Northampton county Mrs. we hope those of our subscribers who Mar. G. Jordan in the cith year of her ago, have not yet paid their subscription, will Mrs. Jordan has never recovered from the shock cansad by the death of her Just to hand five hundred dozen spools husband which took place a few months of cotton, first rate for basting thread, 10 ago. She was a sister of our townsman, Mr. R. W. Daniel, She leaves many WE learn of the death of Mrs. John friends and relations.

CONCERT.—On Monday night a carred concert was given at the Baptist church by Prof. Wilson and Rev. Mr. R. T. Vann. The audience was large; in fact filled the church.

A revival will be commenced at the Baptist church, next Monday night by Rev. Mr. Montford. It will be continued as long as interest is manifested. Mr. Wilson intends to organize a sing-THE weather has been remarkably warm and pleasant for the past few days. Dogs your engine or gin need repoirs ?

SEND US YOUR NAME, - Last week we will fill all orders at short notice as cheap as the cheapest. I also sell shingles as low as any person. R. P. Spiens. we will send the paper as directed. in this section. A farm was sold near here a few weeks ago for a hundred per

easiest thing in the world to find fault. It is easy to say that nobody is honest. It is easy to say the church is to biame received from New York, which I will for it. It is easy to say that the church guarantee to please the most fastidious, would be all right if the minister would premels and do as he ought. But it isn't y to look on the best side, to see that there are hundreds of faithful premeners. they are the prettiest I ever saw for the price.

B. P. Spiers. Markers at See land Neck on the 4th, instant, by Rev. J. D. Husham, John A. Coppedge, of Franklin county, to Josephine, daughter of the late J. O. Camp of thousands of lonest sincere men and women, council s acts of justice, charity and humas by, which outweigh all the grumblers, so that it is really out; the finest dust in the calance. Let us be fair finest dust in the oalance. Let us be fair and cheerful. The world is not all wrong. Everyloidy isn't a rusest. Our neighbors BRICK STORE ON THE CORNER. TO MY friends and the public. Fine groceries, inquers, organs, tubecco and any thing are not being to cheet us. The church is doing good work for the world, and even the growlers are not half as disagreeable;

CALL AND SEE Us .- Clothing, Hats, a well. The well had no curb around it and the mule while wall-wing, rolled Caps, Shoes Boots, (hand made) cheaper than ever for cash. Best brands of prints dress goods, paterns for men and boys suits. Ladies and gentlemen's underwear for sale excellent wheat tertalizers. Call and see or cula and certificates of the superiority and adaptability of these notions, hardware, cutlery, wood, and willow ware, crockery and glass, smiff, tobacco, sonp, &c., cheap at Prescott & Gooch's. Call and see us before purchasing, we will do you good. We are determined to sell. Polite and attentive salesmen to vait on customers. No trouble to show goods whether we selfer met. Must A. L. Lyer-t, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. Adelphus Lynch of this county, has been visiting relatives in Weldon, for the past three

Римсит & Сооси. INVESTOR COURT.-The next term of the Inferior court, which convenes on Mor- fouce-A new broom sweeps clean. day next, has the tollowing gares on its dockets to dispose of. Others will be sent in by magistrates. Many are not than have lime to sammon all witheases for trial, and much delay avoided, Sel Fas, S; Larceny, H: Blgamy, I; Re-

The husband may get mad, but he never that is, hardly ever—bits, and even if to minute on Sunday, 1; Assault with up to hat Tuesday, 29.

sould do well to send their orders to R.F. Burnau at Wellon. Ha farnishes all sizes at manufacturers prices: 5 per gin houre, about six bales of cotton and ent off for cash or 'C. O. D.' orders sent several bushels of cotton seed destroyed by fire Tuesday morning. When the build-THE BEST WILL SELL -Everybody in log took fire he was ginning costen and it town is using the Res C. Ott., 150 depress town is using the Res C. Ott., 150 depress is thought that there were matches in the fire Test and they feel more safe as it is nonexplosive. You can find it for sale at Or. A. R. Zollicoffer & Bros. popular Or. A. R. Zollicoffer & Bros. popular or and they are the same than the s second time his gir his been burned. Miss IMENE Moselley, daughter of Col.
R. E. Moseley arrived home, last week.
This is her first visit home in several outsad punished to the inflest extent of handling it. One match will sometimes reach the throttle and stop the machinery.

PARESTS are responsible for the life and | Conferences The Local Ministers Conhealth of their children; therefore they ference (tenth annual session) was held significate their fluty in endeavoring to at Clarette Car 231 to 23th. The William at Clayton, Oct. 231 to 26th. The followhild's greatest enemy. Shriner's Indian ing Districts were represented : Newbern, Vermilings will destroy and expel worms Raileigh, Washington, Hillabore and from both children and adults. Charlette. The sessions was harmonious and successful. The constitution was amended so as to a low each District two delegates. John W. Heptenstall was reelected President and L. Branson, Fr S., J. F. Butt, Selomon Pool and E. A. Wright were elected Vice Presidents. The next conference will be held at Ratherford College, commencing on Wednesday before the last Sabbath in July 1880, at which time and place there will be mother Local Proteher's Camp-Meeting. The hospitality of Clayton was unbounded. A gracious revival ensued, resulting in 21 conversions. Solomon Pool and John F. Butt were appointed agants of Missions and Evappelization."

> ... RESOLUTIONS AD TUED -At a regular meeting of the Suffork Greys, held at their Armory, Friday Oct. 31st, '79, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted :

1st, Resolved, That the thanks of this company are due, and are bernly tendered with hearty belings to the officers and members of the Roanoke Light Infantry, or their many acts of kindness and hospi this entertainment, during our visit to Welden at the last fair. legative, and we hope we much been the

very large beavers this week near town. Each, Resolved, That our thanks are also They are getting to be as pientiful on the tendered to Mr. E. G. Gluo Supt. S. & R. ever remember him with pleasure and hope his shadow may never grow less.

3rd. Resolved, That these proceedings be published in the Suffolk papers and

Lt. GEO. T. PARKER, Lr. Jso. T. Biddick, Committee, Sor. Jso. F. Lorzia.

Cort. H. WOODWARD. Notice! Notice!!!-Just

received a large and varie assortment of groceries for fall and winter trade, 100 bbbs, new Family Flour. 25 bbls, of Sugar, all grades,

30 bars of Colles, all grades. 7) boxes of common and toilet Scaps. 10 bbls of the best leaf land. 40 reams of paper bags &c. 40 gross of Raiph's Scotch Souff. 50 boxes of Tobacco.

10 bbbs, of Mackerel. 100 kits and cases of Mackerel. 500 bushels of oats. 50 boxes of assorted cakes.

10 bbbs, of ginger cakes,

Sa boxes of crackers. 100 kegs of nails. 5 000 lbs, of bulk sides and shoulders &c. 500 lbs, ot hams,

Sods, starch, matches, spice, pepper, mustard &c. For sale at Richmond and Baltimore

prices, freight added, at the wholesale and genery store of JAMES T. GOOCH, Weldon N. C.

the many ways in making a live town the meneing Wednesday of last week. Oug following will be found of interest. Son in dry designed to represent and combine ing class here in about two weeks. He your building lets at reasonable prices, the a tivities of the denomination throughhas one at Eofield now, and has taught in and thereby encourage new comers. If the county before. His pupils always you can afford to do so, donate a building profit by his instruction, and where ever lot for some large the Diese control to though it now represents only the white prefit by his instruction, and where ever lot for some large business enforprise and Bashet East of the Bote Ridge, a consti They are metherless! Ou, gently, gently keep back those batter words. Avet

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They are metherless of the goes be improves the value of the colling of the goes be improves the value of the colling of the goes be improves the value of the colling of the goes be improves the value of the colling of the goes be improves the value of the colling of the goes be improves the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved to the colling of the goes be improved the value of the colling of the goes be improved the colling of the goes be improved to the colling of the goes be improved the colling of the goes be improved to the colling of the goes be improved to the colling of the goes be improved to the goes be improved to the colling of the goes be improved to the colling of the goes be improved to the goes be improved to the colling of the goes be improved to the goes cotton gins. Have in store 40, 50 and 60 published a number of letters accepting a established. Speak well of the husiness have a status organization of their own proposal of muriage, for the best of which a property of your town, and by so doing as have the closed Baptist of the State. year's ubscription to the Ranoke Naws | indues business men to locate in it. I am now receiving new goods almost was offered. A committee decided in Speak well of worthy public enterprises, daily, at each of my tarce stores. Weldon, tavor of "Bessle," but a gentleman of taste and do not try to discourage any under- by Rev. R. H. Griffi h. of Cardotte. He and culture disagreed with the decisi n taking that will legitimate's add capital is regarded as one of the abiest ministers and said the letter written by "Elaine" and population to the town. Always to the State and his fermion was worthy of from Edical, was the best and paul for speak well of your place and people to the occasion and the man. Hev. N B the News for six months and instructed strangers. Do your trading at home, and Cold, Prendent of the body, is an able, thereby encourage before enterprises. It call ared and than thind man who more us to send it to ber as a mark of apprecia-tion. If "Elaine" will send us nor name you have surplus money, do not invest it "man (wenty years ago) gave up a consideration. in same far-off speculation, but give your at the law for the bit her work of the mintown the benefit of it by establishing of the Hers deservedly held to high es some profitable factory. And last, but teen among his occurren, on account of not least, encourage your local news his willens, his assest puty and his selfpaper by subscribing for, advertising in, sacriding labous. In him are combused

> LANGUAGE OF THE BROOM. We have over a large popular assembly. Assembly the language of the flowers, the fan, the sted with him as Vice president were J handkerchief and so on, and now we shall H. Whis of the O phan Ost um; Dr. Mc have the language of the broom, which is uniended especially for the ladies. T king it in the hand properly-I shall

sweep the floor. Bringing it over the shoulder brush and foremost-Look out-it's loaded. Holding it across the person-I love an-

other. Moving it along near the ceiling -I see a obweb in the distance. Sweeping the floor very industri usly-

My awaetheart cometh, and he will consider my usefulness when he observeth Striking victorsly with the stick end-

He is my husband, and he needs a correcting hand. Handling very carefully and tenderly-

Brooms been gonoms, and gran canterget one for less than 25 cents. Patting sway in the corner brush en-

bowh I don't know anything about the electric very able addresses by leading eare of brooms. Throwing the old stub over the back

The Sanday School Board showed i serious accident occurred on the Raleigh expenditure of \$6,000 dolls a and exhibit sent up until the first day of court. The and Gaston Railroad, about six mins it of gratilling signs of progress in this from here, near Deep creek. The sector important department of christian labor dief sudden't at her home on Tuesday eleck and shorld by sending cases master was repulling the track, had for The claims of the Bibleal R corder, the morning from paralysis. She was the entire. The clerk should have time to mother of Mrs. W. H. Brown, of this place. but placed his flag as a cauti of trains, were made by editors Battey, Pritchard but thinking it was not far enough of, and Hithen, and by other members of the had told one of his hands to move it firther down. The man misuadorsund-

ing the order took prithe signal and laid entenless, was to be considered on Satur it on the hand-ear, and when the freight day m rning, Dr. Potchard, President of went along, the engineer was not aware of the college, Rev. R. H. March, and Hen deadly weapen, 2; Cheating by lates pra. went along, the engineer was not aware of the college. Rev. R. H. March, and H. a tenses, 2. The whole number amounting danger until too late to stop his train. The O. M. C. oke being the speaker's; but you engine when it reached the place where correspondent is anable to make any tethe trans sess taken up, broke bosse from part as he was obliged to leave before the me . g came off the train and went over an embankment, turning completely over, and fell upside down crushing the cab and otherwise injuring it. The engineer was arried along with it and was much burt, though not soriously, Dr. Green, of Welston at tended him and relieved him and he was Cox welcomes the body in a strong and taken to Raleigh. After the engine settled patrioric speech Rev. N. B Cobb replied, in its position, the driving wheels continued to revolve, the strain, not having been themen, were speaking and afterwards. The shut off. The engineer though suffering from his hurts had presence of mind and courage enough to crawl under the cogine Haves made an arrangement with a destroy the fortune accumulated by a life The read train from Raleigh was delayed iy in perfect health, and is said to be growing tapi if and doing well. The cow is obliged to be down in order.

HAVE made an arrangement with a destroy the fortune accumulated by a life several hours by the secident, and passen of hard work.

Several hours by the secident, and passen of hard work.

First insurance of all kinds promptly gers, baggage and malls had to be keep as can be found in the United as obliged to be down in order. Watches and Jewelry repaired and cleared tailing cales and a very creditable impacts and a very creditable impacts. I swap himber for them and scan placed by R. F. burner in first-class com-

TBy Request 1 O! YE BOSES. BY WRIGHAM.

Of ye roses, how I love you, And the life your bloom imparts How you weep, when'ere I move you Heaven's tears from out your heart.

Opening wide the guarded portal,

And you turn me too, to weeping, Surring thoughts within me sleeping, With a silence like to death.

Where white memory spreads her wing To gather up the flowers immortal, That around the heart graves clirg. Flowers whose lingering fragrance still Round her floating rotes will hover. Till the years their sweetness fill,

Waft me o the great forever. And the graves, round which they bloom Hold within their depths at last Jovs and smiles too bright for gloom, Stars of hope, that set too fast.

Graves, where early love reposes, And where youth lies buried low. Bow your bright heads, O! ye roses, Hold your white wings memory now And within that weird land, Where too it then lovest to stray Touch not with thy gentle hand

Drooping blossoms on your way. Hide in some scaluded bower, Where from out that pad no gleam, or fading star or gem or flower, Can mar or break thy dresm.

Then may bloom the blushing rises, With their frint and traggant broath. The angel of the post represes With a silence like to death.

Pause, Ponder and Peause!!-The Investing Mediane the Family Sewing Michine), marks ore of the most important cras in the history of machinery, and when we consider its great usefulness and | rights who legt that death has stricken x-remely low price (\$2'), it is very diffi- a "shining work." To her family her out, to conceive of any invention for un imals dealt realls with force the domestic use of more or even equal importance to families. It has great that "man knoweth not his time," portance to families. It has great that "what is the properties of the conceive of any invention for unimals dealth realls with force the domestic use of the conceive of any invention for unimals dealth realls with force the domestic use of more or even equal incapacity for work; beautiful, smooth, and quick movement, rapid execution, done must be done quickly." that at mid-certainy and delightful case of operation that the commends it above all others. Let not the virtues of time model woman factors hold 100 yards of thread; the solid 100 yards of thread; the solid 100 yards of thread; the solid 100 yards of thread; the complaint he raised against the partiant regular man to regulate it. est and regol r smi can be regulated in bond that laid her low? No!

able with the orked eye, and with a confry readering it impossible to count them as a stas made; it has more attachments that any our rail it does to par-mented all kinds of the expection all kinds of the expection all kinds of the expection of the results of the expection of the lar less labor that required on other neachines. It needs no commendation, the rold ales, increasing demand, and volum act encomiums from the press, and to thousands of families who use them, couply tesufy to the c undoubted worth a a scindard and re-able household neces ity, excending its popularity each day, Machines sent anywhere to be exam WANTED by the Company, Address them for information, FAMILY SEW-ING MACHINE CO., 755 IS CADWAY,

[Communicated.] BAPTIST STATE CONEVNTION OF N. C. The 49 h annual a sston of this body

How to Make a Lave Town - Among , was held with the church in Oxford, comout the State it was called the State con-

The invoductory surman was preached

alertuces and algority, courtesy and tiemness at needful to the man who presides Dowell, President of the Female codlege at Multreesho of and Rev. William Hill Jord.f. Capt. Wm J Biggs, editor of the e Lance, and Naman L. Show, of Harrensville, were the Secretaries. B. F. Montagne, of Ramigh, was elected Treesarer, and T. H. Brig a, of the same city

W H Pice, of Rideigh, President of the Board of missions submitted an elabe ate and interes ing report, showing the work done by the churches belonging 'o the only during the year. The report motified by later information, may be summed up as tollow-:

Expend d to: Home massions \$5,000 " Church bulling, \$30,000 " Pareign massions \$2,000 Foreign musions, \$2 000 Churches argentzed, 5 000.

The report was descussed in detail and members of the body. Especially notes worthy among these was the speech of Rev H. A Tupper, D D , on Foreign mis-

Convention. The subject of education having special reference to Wake For

Oge of the most delightful evenings of the week was spent at the Orphan Asylum, invitation of Superintendent Mills. Gen There was much weaping while these gen orphans sang several songs and as the ex ercises were about to close, Rev. E. L. Davis came forward with tearful face and said he could not leave the place witho. t making an offering. Throwing down on the pintform his own contribution, be WATERTAINMENT

It is needless to say that the good penole of Oxford extended to the visitors and delegates a lavish and cordial hospitalit The weather was all that could be desire i. All things combined to make this one the mest agreeable gatherings ever held by the Baptists of the State.

OUR ENFIELD LETTER. ENPIRED, N. C., Nov. 11th, 1879.

It is not often that humanity remembers

with carefulness and fitness, those whose eyes are closed to earthly scenes. Forgetniness of the virtues of the dead, and the twing is a principal frequently manifest n buman nature. If it be not true, wby o many neglec.cd graves, where neither a flower is planted or slab erected. Away from the signs of the new made grave, where is deposited the remains of one of the perest women of her time. I feel none the less acutely the loss, the loss not only to her immediate family, to whom shw.s an ornament, but to her community, and to the unfulfilled possibilities of usefainess to her husband, and her children. of which her beart and head gave so sure a promise Mis D B Bell is dead; yes on Saturday the 18 h ulto, about 10 o'clock 'her star of life sank" and not lew there are who can justly testing of a truth to the character of the woman whom God hes called, admost before her childen's lives had burst into blossom. Trush and mora's were the elemental ingedients of her character. Her devotion to train in her daily walk and conversation is known - well known o her numerous trends. Her morels were such that upon a satet analysis of her character it would be impossion for an enemy even to find as ar. Much more could be said of Mrs Bell with the approval of her noment to we itenes from an inch ie | w. hout an enemy she has pas of away con corress material down to time leaving a bright example, a strantess name t, so infinitesimal at to be hardly d. She has gone from a world, where triendships are transient; whose bitter mingles most largely with the sweet, whose cares and re-possibilities, perplexities and troubles, double and triple as life is prolonged.

"Let her rest, it is not often. That her soul had known repose, Sue was weary, working, hopeful, But her life-erown oft has pressed, Sore, and temples sadly aching, She was weary let her rest."

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A DMINISTRATOR'S LAND SALE. tly virtue of a decree of Halifax Superior Court, I as administrator of Wuw C. Ousby, deceased, shak on Monday the 1st day of December 1879, sellest publicance ? the following lands belonging to the estate of said deceased, situated in Hallfax county, to with One tract containing about eighty acres.

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