

SHAW UNIVERSITY.
MR. EDITOR:—Please allow one a little space in your esteemed paper to introduce to the colored friends of this and other parts of the State, where it is not well known, the grand school, Shaw University. This school is beautifully located in the southern part of the city of Raleigh, N. C. The grounds are beautiful and include several acres of land. This institution furnishes by far the largest accommodation of any school in the State of North Carolina, and in the large number of advanced pupils is not surpassed by any in the country. Four departments of study are already established, viz: normal, scientific, classical and theological. I entered the scientific department the last session in November 1878, remained until the close of the session. Entered again this session in October 1879, but had to leave on account of being sick, but if life lasts, I shall return again. Expenses, per month, \$8, with the exception of first-class music, which is only \$10 a session. Young ladies are allowed to do their own washing. Young men pay fifty cents a month extra. Students not able to pay full fare, with a little work, will be taken a lower rate as the President thinks best. I advise all friends who desire their children to have a good thorough education, not to send them to schools outside of the State, when there is such a good one in their own State, but send them to Shaw University. For further instructions go see for yourselves. By request.

Yours respectfully,
S. B. HILL,
Wilmington, N. C.
Jan. 27, 1880.

STATE NEWS.

Chief Justice Smith is confined to his room by sickness.

A new Democratic paper called the *Southern Herald* has been started at Hillsboro by T. B. Ryan.

The Chapel Hill Ledger says: Each county in the State is allowed to send one student to the University free of charge for tuition.

The *Newbernian* suggests Senator Bayard of Delaware, and ex-Senator Merrimon of this State, as Democratic candidates for President and Vice-President.

The name of Judge Ashe, has been mentioned in connection with the nomination for Governor. He does not desire his name brought before the nominating convention says the *Observer*.

The *American Gleaner*: J. T. Albright, our neighbor just across the river, has killed his pig. The little grunter was just thirteen months old, and weighed three hundred and seven-ten pounds. We call that a tolerable good pig.

Prof. Ledoux has resigned his position as State chemist, and a committee has been appointed to correspond with various gentlemen and receive applications for the place. The committee is composed of Gov. Jarvis, President Battle and Prof. Kerr.

We regret to learn of the misfortune of Mrs. Kerr, widow of the late D. W. Kerr, and her son Charles J., in losing six horses two weeks ago. There were eight on the plantation, and six of them died in as many days. The cause of their death is not satisfactorily known, but supposed to be from a disease something like pneumonia.

The *Courier* says: Mr. Spoon has ground 200 bushels of ore taken from his valuable gold mine near this place which panned out four pounds and twelve ounces of gold. Think of it, a bushel of ore containing five dollars in gold. He now has out about eight hundred bushels of ore, which at the same rate will yield him four thousand dollars more.

Weldon News: The road law requires the board of supervisors of each township in the State, to meet on the first Monday in February, for the purpose of consulting on the condition of the roads and to elect a chairman of their number. It also makes it the duty of the supervisors to visit and personally examine all the roads in their township during the week preceding the meeting. We call attention of the supervisors of the various townships in this county to this law so that they may comply with it.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.
And here is how they raise things in that frosty region beyond the White Mountains:

The nineteen families in Mann's Hill school district, raised the past year 310 tons of hay, 721 bushels wheat, 813 bushels corn, 2,715 bushels oats, 60 bushels peas and beans, 6,280 bushels potatoes, 1,241 bushels apples, 159 fawns and 80 calves, and made 10,390 lbs. pork, 13,600 lbs. butter, and 8,610 lbs. sugar.

The *Coast Republican* (N. H.) quotes the Boston *Herald* as saying: "The fusionists at Augusta might catch the Kennedys and secure a quorum from the insane hospital, which might also serve them as an appropriate hall of legislation," and adds: "But why thus seek to insult and demoralize the inmates of said asylum, who are morally and mentally no more to be compared with the 'fusionists' than is the celestial realm to the bottomless pit?" and here is another hit: "Joe Smith, the fusion god, stole a state and away he beat; the state was saved and Joe got hurt, while Ellsbery went howling down the street."

The white Japanese crane ties worn by gentlemen are much liked by ladies who are tired of maulin and lace scarfs. They are very soft and becoming.

QUARTERLY MEETINGS FOR THE WILMINGTON DISTRICT OF THE METHODIST CHURCH, SOUTH—FIRST ROUND, 1880.—The following are the appointments made by the Presiding Elder of the Wilmington District:

Whiteville, at Whiteville, January 24 and 25.
Wacoan Mission, at Bethesda, January 28.
Brunswick, at Sharon, January 31, and February 1.
Smithville Station, February 3 and 4.
Wilmington, at Fifth Street, February 7 and 8.
Wilmington, at Front Street, February 14 and 15.
Topsail, at Prospect, February 21 and 22.
New River Mission, February 25.
Onslow, at Swansboro, February 28 and 29.
Duplin, at Magnolia March 6, and 7.
Clinton, at Andrews' Chapel, March 13 and 14.
A full attendance of the District Stewards is requested at the Parsonage of the Front Street Church, in Wilmington, on the 18th of February, at 10 o'clock, a. m.
L. S. BURKHEAD, Presiding Elder.

Consumption Cured.
An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure for Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh Asthma, and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows.—Accruing to this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge to all who desire it this recipe, in German, French, or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. W. Sherar, 149 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y., sept. 28—131.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

January 24.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market continued dull at 40 cents per gallon, for regular packages, without reported sales.
ROSKIN.—The market was steady at \$1 27 1/2 for Strained and \$1 30 for Good Strained, with sales reported of 1,500 bbls Strained at \$1 30 per bbl.
TAR.—The market was steady at \$1 10 per bbl, of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at \$1 60@62 60 for Hard and Yellow Dip, with sales as offered.
COTTON.—The market was quiet and nominal. Futures for January opened in New York at 12 1/4 and closed weak at 12 3/8. The following were the official quotations here:

Ordinary	10 1/2 cts @ lb
Good Ordinary	11 3/16 " "
S. Good Ordinary	11 " "
Low Middling	11 " "
Middling	12 " "
Good Middling	12 1/2 " "

RECEIPTS.
Cotton, 79 bales
Spirits turpentine, 290 casks
Rosin, 1,954 bbls
Tar, 246 bbls
Crude turpentine, 97 bbls

January 27.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 29 cents per gallon for regular packages, with sales reported of 300 casks at that price, closing quiet.
ROSKIN.—The market was steady at \$1 27 1/2 for Strained and \$1 30 for Good Strained, with sales reported of 1,500 bbls Good Strained at \$1 30 per bbl.
TAR.—The market was steady at \$1 10 per bbl, of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at \$1 60@62 60 for Hard and Yellow Dip, with sales as offered.
COTTON.—The market was dull and nominal on a basis of 12 1/4 cents per lb. for Middling. Futures for January opened in New York at 12 1/4 and closed weak at 12 3/8. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary	10 1/2 cts @ lb
Good Ordinary	11 3/16 " "
S. Good Ordinary	11 " "
Low Middling	11 " "
Middling	12 " "
Good Middling	12 1/2 " "

RECEIPTS.
Cotton, 100 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 115 casks
Rosin, 845 bbls
Tar, 143 bbls
Crude Turpentine, 394 bbls

January 27.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market was dull at 39 cents per gallon for regular packages, without reported transactions.
ROSKIN.—The market opened dull at \$1 27 1/2 for Strained and \$1 30 for Good Strained, with sales reported of 500 bbls Strained and 600 do Good Strained at \$1 25 per bbl, closing quiet at the decline.
TAR.—The market was steady at \$1 10 per bbl, of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at \$1 60@62 60 for Hard and Yellow Dip, with sales as offered.
COTTON.—The market was firm, with sales reported of 50 bales on a basis of 12 3/8-12 cts per lb. for Middling. Futures for January opened in New York at 12 3/8 and closed firm at 12 3/8. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary	10 1/2 cts @ lb
Good Ordinary	11 3/16 " "
Strict Good Ordinary	11 " "
Low Middling	11 13-16 " "
Middling	12 3-16 " "
Good Middling	12 7-16 " "

RECEIPTS.
Cotton, 346 bales
Spirits Turpentine, 256 casks
Rosin, 2,005 bbls
Tar, 99 " "
Crude turpentine, 90 " "

January 28.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market

was quiet and nominal at 38 cents per gallon for regular packages, without reported transactions.
ROSKIN.—The market was steady at \$1 22 1/2 for Strained and \$1 25 for Good Strained, with sales reported of about 1,000 bbls at quotations.
TAR.—The market was steady at \$1 10 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.
CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was steady at \$1 60@2 60 for Hard and Yellow Dip, with sales as offered.
COTTON.—Market opened firm, with sales reported of 50 bales on a basis of 12 1/4 and 150 do, at 12 1/2 cents per lb, for Middling, closing dull. Futures for January opened in New York at 12 1/4 and closed weak at 12 3/8. The following were the official quotations here:

Ordinary	10 1/2 cts @ lb
Good Ordinary	11 " "
Strict Good Ordinary	11 13-16 " "
Middling	12 3-16 " "
Good Middling	12 7-16 " "

RECEIPTS.
Cotton, 75 bales
Spirits turpentine, 70 casks
Rosin, 758 bbls
Tar, 67 " "
Crude turpentine, 87 " "

January 29.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened firm at 37 cents per gallon for regular packages, with sales reported of 200 casks, but later in the day there was a sale of 50 casks at 36 1/2 cents, closing quiet and steady at that price.
ROSKIN.—The market was steady at \$1 22 1/2 for Strained and \$1 25 for Good Strained, without sales reported.
TAR.—Market was steady at \$1 10 per bbl., of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was quiet at \$1 60 for Hard and \$2 60 for Yellow Dip, closing steady.
COTTON.—The market opened firm with small sales reported at quotations. Middling closing dull. The following are the official quotations:

Ordinary	10 1/2 cts @ lb
Good Ordinary	11 3/16 " "
Strict Good Ordinary	11 " "
Low Middling	11 1/2 " "
Middling	12 1/4 " "
Good Middling	12 3/4 " "

January 30.
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened steady at 39 1/2 cents per gallon, for regular packages, closing firm.
ROSKIN.—Market was steady at \$1 22 1/2 for Strained and \$1 25 for Good Strained, with sales later in the day of 1,000 bbls Good Strained at that price.
TAR.—Market for this article was firm at \$1 15 per bbl, of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—The market was quiet at \$1 60@62 60 for Hard and for Yellow Dip, with sales as offered.
COTTON.—The market for this article was firm, with small sales reported at quotations. The following were the official quotations:

Ordinary	10 1/2 cts @ lb
Good Ordinary	11 " "
Strict Good Ordinary	11 " "
Low Middling	11 1/2 " "
Middling	12 1/4 " "
Good Middling	12 3/4 " "

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WORM SPECIFIC
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SYMPTOMS OF WORMS.
The countenance is pale and lead-colored, with occasional flushes, or a circumscribed spot on one or both cheeks; the eyes become dull; the pupils dilate; an azure semicircle runs along the lower eyelid; the nose is irritated, swells, and sometimes bleeds; a swelling of the upper lip; occasional headache, with humming or throbbing of the ears; an unusual secretion of saliva; slimy or furred tongue; breath very foul, particularly in the morning; appetite variable, sometimes voracious, with a gnawing sensation of the stomach, at others, entirely gone; flatulency, pains in the stomach; occasional nausea and vomiting; violent pains throughout the abdomen; bowels irregular, at times constive; stools slimy, not unfrequently tinged with blood; belly swollen and hard; urine turbid; respiration occasionally difficult, and accompanied by hicough; cough sometimes dry and convulsive; uneasy and disturbed sleep, with grinding of the teeth; temper variable, but generally irritable, &c.

Whenever the above symptoms are found to exist, DR. C. McLANE'S VERMIFUGE will certainly effect a cure. IT DOES NOT CONTAIN MERCURY in any form; it is an innocent preparation, and does not do the slightest injury to the delicate system.

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Copies of the advertisement, instructions to bidders, with forms for proposals and all other necessary information will be furnished upon application to the Post Office in said city or to the Second Assistant Postmaster General.

D. M. KEY,
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Oscar Smalley.

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Dear Sirs:—I have been using the Emerson & Fisher Buggy bought from you as roughly I suppose as any one could. I had a fast horse, drove him at full speed, sometimes with two grown ladies and myself in the Buggy, and it is today worth all the money I paid for it. I say the Emerson & Fisher Buggies will do.

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