THE HEADLIGHT From Our Country Correspondents. be much chesper than to send _ Briefs from Everywhere. Gen. Fitzhugh Lee has Educational Column. thom away from home. We hope A 100,000.00 Cotton Mill is to be built F. Lynch one of the oldest JOHN H. WALSH. all parents will consider this most at North Wilkesboro on the co-operativ Cheraw, S. C. died on the 17 important subject with more in- plan. EDITOR. Covington. STEELE'S MILL J. D. Porter is solling a fame Historical Facts. terest in the near future than they and Liver Medicing which is Small Pox is prevalent in differen J. H. WALSH, W. H. CUVINGTOR, PEDIMURA D. A. Parsons made a trip te Everything is running on nicely The following memorands Troy this week-business. Health Restorer, is giving gred faction. He is the agent for this Try it and you will like h. have in the past, and let us work sections of the State. The post Office at Maxton ims and lovely. was gotten up for us by Richtogether for the advancement of ISSUED EVERY WEDNESDAY Still the grippe is with us, and Mrs. F. M. Rogister is visiting advanced to presidental grade. education. mond's local historian, Capt. it gets much worse we think The Marylanders have voted T. F. Austin has lost his Miel suit THE LEGISLATURE friends at Affedine. Measles are visiting in this W. I. Everatt. Let the school Farmer John will have to go to the rieted suffrage and the whites gainst the "Mill News" of Charlotte. The late Legislatury has done many good things and yet it has failed to do some good things which if might have done. But we are not to get all the good at one to get all the good at one Mrs. Dora Lomax is visiting her usighborhood. They are very unthe land. shildren, and everybody read hosa-i.ital. The cotton average is fully equal to Dr N. M. MeLean, of Gibson, nother and many friends at this welcome visitors, but what care if not greater than last year. The farmers of this section are place. on extremely ill, is much im they for that, they just call any-Mrs. Dr. W. M. Fowelks and family shanting some corn and are mak-Ed: Hamilton and Prof. Nichols Queen Victoria's fancral cos way. have returned an Blockingham, and are ing big preparations for putting 000,000 were visiting J. E. Shaw Sunday occupying the T. J. Steele residence G. C. Baldwin and Miss Fanny in large crops of cotton. At Williams & Hinson's Miss Nettie McAuley has noturned vening. Carr were married on the 17th Dr. Brown and C. C. Capel took home after a protracted visit to her Rev. T. S. Wright proached an time, and the next Legisla- La. inst. and have moved to Malee. 000 yards Hamburg, wort 10c yd., will be sold at 50 y Williams & Hinson. " trip to Ingram's fishery Wednessister, Mrs. Page, of Blaque 1 " 0 .. excellent sermon Sunday evening ture can take up what the S. C. Ladies' prayer meeting at Mt. 0 .. Miss Bessie Watson who has been ... day. They brought back a report **. 1 at the Baptist church. Pleasant every Saturday evening last left off. 0 " 2 of a fine time, also some fine fish. vuite sick for soveral days, we are pleas .. Among the wise things it Ala. did not do, was its refusing Ohio to pass a law requiring all Mass. Mrs. Katie Hicks, who has bee Big lot white counter worth \$1.88 to be sold at 1 Williams & Hinson. at three o'clock and public prayer ed to learn, is much better. 44 0 " 1 Miss Blauche Bonnie is visiting ** visiting her mother, returned to A charter has been granted to Aberdeen and Gibson Hailroad. meeting Sunday evening at the the Misses Ledhetter. From the .. 4 " 0 .. her home in Marion, S. C. Sunday same hour. Rev. N. H. Guyton 44 2 .. 8 44 way one of our widow or friends is school taxes paid by the N.Y. white people to be paid to N.H. "The Old Maids" will gi and his good wife, have been with The State Board of Tax Assessors we morning. 44 2 .. 9 paying his attentions we think our 44 in session last week and will again in entertainment for the "Old Mrs. Hellen Ingle, of Greensus every second Sunday. On his .. 0 " 1 ... visitor may come again in the near white schools, and the school Penn. boro, is visiting at home this week. last round we had a stormy rain at June. Listen out, later. .. 1 future "to stay." taxes paid by the colored peo-ple to be paid to the colored ind. schools. We are glad this Maine 1 the usual hour, but when the 2 " 1 . Her many friends are glad to see Farmer John. clouds passed away he filled his .. ĩ " ĩ her back again. .. appointment Rev. Mr. Sell preached at the 44 0 " 1 Lower Wolf Pit. 44 bill was defeated, because the N. J. Agents seem to be plentiful at Miss Maude Crosland, who has methodist church last Sunday .. colored people are poor, and morning. He preached from the The presidents who served present. been sick with grippe, is out again. need assistance, and since text "Pray without ceasing." two terms were : Gen. Geo. D. M. McColl visited his old they have so quietly and pleasantly accepted the 're-Ellerbe. Washington, Thomas Jeffer-As the Headlight is so nice and ome, McColl, Saturday and Sun-The people are husy preparing son, Andrew Jackson, James day. interesting and as we have not for their crops, so there is little sults of the amendment. to Madison, Abraham Lincoln, een anything from our little vil-Mr. and Mrs. Nichols spent a passing, about and nothing occurthe Constitution which de-U.S. Grant, Grover Clevelage we would like to be heard day or so with Mrs. W. K. Diggs, ring to make material for sensaprives them of their franland, Wm. McKinley. from. last week. tional itemizing. We take the chise, we should show our-Washington was inangur-We both Methodist and Baptist Mrs. Wall, of Anson county, is opportunity of suggesting to our selves magnanimous, and ated in New York the first have at last got our churches seatcommunity to take right hold of time and in Philadelphia the T. E. Diggs. treat them kindly, and help visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. them to educate their chil- 2nd time. John Adams was the good chance now given, to proed nicely. We hope to see more people attend church and Sunday dren. Some think education vide a free library for the school Mrs. W. E. Crosland left Wedinaugurated in Philadelphia, school than have heretofore. district. Five thousand dollars hurts the negroes. seeday for a several weeks stay, at Woll, Thomas Jefferson was the first president inaugurated in Washington this day, March 4th 1901, one hunappropriation for that object, calls this depends upon the kind Jav. of education they receive. It has been truthfully said, "a upon us to go to work at once, and Invitations are out announcing Pee Dec. maise ten dollars in the district, so little learning is a dangerous dred years since. as to claim the ten from the board Tracy Worley has returned from to Mr. Ed. Porter, Tuesday, March outh Carolina. of education and the ten from the THIS SPACE IS RESERVED FOR thing" and this is as true as Four vice-presidents filled 26, at high noon. State. The sum of thirty dollars trite. But let us not give Claude Reynolds has resigned the presidential chair by the Our neighborhood was visited will get a nice little collection of THE EVERETT HARDWARE COMPAN them a LITTLE learning but death of the presidential chair by the by a serious fire Thursday night. much learning, which will died before the expiration of About 10 e'clock, flames were dis-colucate the head, the heart, their terms, viz : John Tyler, covered issuing from Mr. Tom his position and gone to Durham. books, to be looned out in the dis-Miss Florence Hines, of Chartrict, for not more than two weeks lotte, is visiting Mrs. Joseph time, then returned and others selected, for the enjoyment and entertainment of the leisure hour. and the hand, and we will Meacham. in place of Gen. Wm. Henry Diggs' barn and stalls. In a few make them a good people to Harrison, Millard Filmore minutes, the building was a roar-We are glad to say the family of to have, in their place, among in place of Gen. Zackary Tay- ing mass of flames. The fire broke W. J. Dollar are convaloscing from vantage of this good provision of

term of four months to weak schools.

Another good thing was to aid the public schools in establishing libraries, and we and grand privilege.

One of its greatest failures, as we understand it, was the failure to establish the ten hour law ina ll factories in the State. We have been told that all our. Richmond factories favor such a law, provided it has State application. Such a law will, sooner or later, be onacted. We like our mill men, employers and employees, and we would Springs township, was here Gillead, spent last week in our sooner rivet the cords which on Saturday, and reports her village. He is quite a manly litbind them together, than cut school as doing fairly well. one link of the chain which tives. They their employers, and will quietly submit to their dised by the endorsemont of their employers, and thus strengthen and perpetuate the good feeling which now exists between them. The mill men of Richmond coun-The ty are of the best in the world. and the operatives are of the best quality of citizonship. Especially would we com-mend the young ladies who work in these mills for their industry, their beauty and their virtue. The war is over now, and all's well. The enactment of some local laws in various counties, has created some dissatisfac tion, and while this may not have been intended or expected, yet such may have been the result. A law, which in its application, ro-dounds to the benefit of a few, and detriment to the many, is termed "class logis-lation"-s term extremely odious to a free-born, libertyloving people. But what has been done, has been done, and we trust, innocently; therefore; let us pour oil upon the troubled waters, ever remembering that, "United, we stand, divided, we fall." e every evil under the su my, try to find it

lor, who died while presi- out so suddenly, and owing to the Another good thing the dent, Andrew Johnson, in large amount of forage stored in place of Abraham Lincoln, the loft, burned so fireely, that who was killed while presi-very little was saved. Eleven dont, Chester A. Arthur in mules and two horses were conplace of Jamos A. Garfield, sumed with the stables. The fire who was assassinated. is thought to have been the work Total number of persons of an incendiary. The loss who have filled presidential amounts to about four thousand await with great anxiety to see what school in Rich-twenty of that number num-ber were elected by the peo-ple. Mangum. Mrs. T. R. Baldwin and baby How many school children have corrected the "misspelled tail" published last week. Did any discover a mis-spelled word in the edi-tor's suggestion? If so, to a No. 1 bridle rad anddle.

name it. Mrs. Farrand, who is day at home. She is attending tacching at the McLean school house in Mineral

one link of the chain which Miss Johnsie . Wall, who Miss Janie Patterson is to be encircles them. We do not has taught a very successful bridesmaid at the Aikers-Scott foar any trouble among our term at Zion, closed her marriage in Charlotte the 28th of chool las Mr. C. B. Milliken, who appointment, hoping that the has successfully taught a been in that State since Septem-next Legislature will hear school in Mark's Creek town-their humble petitions, voicweek.

re sick. Claudius Deckery was in our village several days last week. W. A. Webster spent Friday in

Miss Laida Stanback spent Sunschool at Mt. Gillead. Master Fred Stanback, of Mt.

tle fellow. Miss Janie Patterson is to be

the monales.

Measios and chicken pox are rampant, and bad luck to the man who brought them hare.

Miss Dora Sykes, who has been uite sick for sometime, we are glad to say is improving. Married at the home of Mrs.

counteracted the influence of the Poplin, last Sunday, Neil Edwards and Miss Florence ington. on be han and judging from the fishing

tackles seen we think fish will fare had this season.

Roberdel.

N. G. Terry, of Roberdel, w egret to learn, is quite sick. Bud Baldwin, of upper Rich-

nend, was visiting J. W. Currie, of Roberdel Sunday. We had a pleasant outing last

Sunday in the Green Lake neighborhood, viewing the scenes of our boyhood days. If the legislature has already cest the State \$65,000 or \$70,000

what will it be when the impeachment trial is ended?. . . That agreement between

be better and wiser men and women; from the efforts we make for their benefit. H.

our law-muhers for the up-build-

ing of the people, and especially

of the young people, in the coun-

try districts, where they are so

often circumscribed in the way of

literature. In this way might be

sample trashy papers, with sensational stories, and fake advertise-

monte. With more education,

there needs be more reading. Let

us provide something fit to reach

and fill the minds of the young

with elevating, instructive and

beautiful thoughts, instead of

whatever may come to hand, of

boubtful character. Some schools

have already taken steps to pro-

oure these libraries. We must

not wait till the appropriation is

used up, by those more enterpris-

ing than we. Are there not ten

heads of families who will give a

dollar apiece? Let us live, not

alone for ourselves, but for those

who come after us, and who may



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BARGAINS FOR FARMERS --IN-Wagons, Reapers and Mowers.

Miss Sallie Liles, who is odist church Sunday. He only still teaching in Wolf Pit gives us the 4th subbath in each township, in District No. 4, any und Espuiary wars so inclumwill close hor term in April ent that only a "faithful few" with an entertainment, of ventured out. which, due notice will be givon.

Wo have been shown some examination papers of pupils Gibson, of this place. in Miss Nollio Armistead's Wa extend on a department of school No. 1 Rockingham, which would do great credit to children of the same age, in any school.

Rockingham should have M. N. McLean, who has been so a Graded School. It would seriously ill for a number of days, be a great blessing to the is decidedly better. town.

Professors W. T. Robin- ed from Washington, where she, son, of the Roberdel school accompanied by Mr. Ed. Fletcher. and J. M. Nichols, of the attended the inauguration, March Steele's Mills school were 4. She remained a few days visitpleasant callers at our office ing her daughter, Mrs. S. C. Roper, of that city. Saturday.

Dr. Curry has apportioned \$4200,00 of the Peabody fund to N. C. as follows : Greensboro, N. & I. \$2000,00, Elisabeth City, \$400,00-\$700,00 Winston, \$150,00, Fayette-ville, 250,00, Monroe, 200,00, We take no small rmount of Franklinton 250,00, and \$100,00 each, to Mt. Airy, Kinston, Newbern, Wash-Washington and Wayries-wills villo.

W. A. Smith and family have returned from Arkansas, having

Rev. Rose preached at the Meth-

Gibson Station.

Miss Pattie Parham, of Raleigh. is visiting her sister, Mrs. Z. L. We extend our sympathy to

those who suffer as a result of the rocent fires in Rockingham. With a sincers degree of pleasure, we are able to write that Dr.

Mrs. May McKeuzie has return-

Miss Eva Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs M. F. Gibson, died of Pneumonia March 5th, and was are so interesting.

buried at the Gibson cometery the

tution, for next year.

cotton mills and the logislature is very good as far as it goes, but is it binding.

The legislature has met and adjourned without telling the farm-

ers how many peas would be best to plant broad-cast per acre, whether three pecks or five pecks. Some say three pecks would be plenty.

> D. F. O'Brien, (X-ray) and Mr. Boon, of Hamlet, were visiting relatives and friends at Roberdel Sunday. We regret very much

that we were away from home. Come again, X Ray, and bring your friends.

J. J. Meacham, of Roberdel, found, while clearing up some land on his farm, and old value town. with two suits of old clothes and some five or six pairs of socks in it. very much weather beaten. Where

is the man they belong to?

Malee.

In attempting to write a few dots to your most welcome paper, the Hendlight, reminds me of hy gone days, when the Rocket, so much appreciated, visited so many homes. And now we shall gladly

great the coming of the Headlight each week, for its newsy columns

The silucational column will be much enjoyed by those who are

interested in the advancement of education. What a grand thing it would be if parents would all units together and have good neighborhood sebools, secure good teachers, and carry on the school ten months in the year, It would

An Extinct Species A lecturer in Hastings inquired dramatially: "Can any one in this room tell me of a perfect man?' There was a dead silence. "Has any one," he continued

'heard of a perfect woman?'' woman rose up at the back of the : berewana bna moor

"There was one. I've often heard og her, but she's dead now. Sh was my husband's first wife."

I will have nice, fresh shad Saturday at J. R. Smith's store. will sell them cheap E. N. D. Liles.

Public Examinations.

Free, public examinations will b held for teachers in the white publi schools, on Thursday April 11th, and on the 12th, for colored teachers.

J. H. WALSH, County. Supt. Scho

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Election Notice.

Paragest to an Act of the General Assembly of 1901, an election will be hadd in his town of Flamlet, on Mouday May 6th, to decide as to increase of town taxes, and the issuing of bonds for the parapose of autabilishing and de-fraying the expenses of a Graded School for the town of Hamlet.

E. F. HENTER. T. C and Trease

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