HENRY L. ALSTON, . . Local Editor AND CITY COLLECTOR.

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RALEIGH, N. C., DECEMBER 12, 1896

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW. We are pleased to see the snow leav-

Congress of the United States convened last Monday. Mr. S. E. Gray favored us with a sub-

scription last week. Mr. J. J. Rogers lost a fine horse last week by lock-jaw.

M'ss Lizzie Dunston, of West Raleigh, is st ll on the sick list. Mrs. Bary Young was one of our new

subscribers this week. Mrs. T. L. Williams has been on the sick list for several days.

Mr. F. C. Holden, ex-P. M. of Youngsville, was here this week. Mr. C. L. Rand, of Auburn, N. C., was here last Monday on business.

Mr. Nelson Gunter had his name placed upon the GAZETTE roll last week. When in need of some good old North

Carolina hams call on Mr. J. D. Carroll. Prof. W. H. Peace brought us the renewal of Miss Mary E. Allsbrook last

The City Graded Schools closed several days last week on account of the snow-For Xmas goods, heavy and fancy gro-

ceries, call on A. T. Mitchell, Manly Mr. P. C Williams of South Dawson Street, has been on the sick list for sev-

eral weeks. Rev. W. H. Horton passed through the city one day this week, en route to Frank-

lin county. Messrs. L. Harris, of Nelson, and A. R. Green, of Morrisville were here this week on business.

Prof. P. W. Moore, the efficient Prin cipal of the Elizabeth City Normal School, sent us a renewal last week. Rev. W. A. Jones left the city last Sat-

urday for Forestville, at which place he is in charge of the Baptist Church. The GAZETTE needs the subscription

pay up, especially when you promise so Mr. G. B. Alford, of Holly Springs, was here on business one day last week.

Miss Laura Edwards, of Raleigh, who left the city last week for Spring Hope, N. C., is now teaching school at that

place. Rev. T. O. Fuller, Principal of the Girl's Training School, Franklinton, left the city last Saturday, on his way to Pine

Mr. J. L. Alston, of this city, one of the many colored men who is doing business for himself, is one of our latest ad-

Choir practice at Blount Street Baptist Church every Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Lovers of singing will be delighted to

Messrs. F. J. Jones, of Falls, Robt. Fuquay, of Holly Springs, and Moses Thompson of this city, attended the Grand Lodge of Masons at Edenton this

Mr. J. C. Angier, Mayor of Cary, N. C., as nice a gentleman as ever lived, was in the city last Monday. Mr. Angier did not forget to order the GAZETTE sent

Mesers. Chas. Higgs and N. L. Jeffreys came down from Hillsboro Friday of last week where they are working. They had to knock off on account of bad

Mr. Jno. Pullen is truly a friend to the poor and the suffering. He keeps busy all his spare time looking after their needs. Raleigh is blessed with such a

Rev. F. R. Howell, pastor of Blount Street Baptist Church, is earnestly engaged raising funds for the indebtedness of the church. He is having good success, and we bid him God speed. Maj. W. W. Vass, who was a distin-guished and very highly respected citizen

died last Monday morning about 9 o'clock at his residence on the corner of Halifax and Edenton Streets. His death came Mr. W. H. Chamblee, one of our fusion

County Commissioners had his name placed on our subscription list last Monday. Mr. Chamblee is a man of good sound judgment and will make a splendid officer for the county. Prof. Debnam left last Sunday, a m.,

on the Atlanta Special for Edenton to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons which convened there this week. Prof. Debnam is Di tsict and also W. M., of Widows' Sons' Lodge, No. 4. The Willing Worker's Club was organ-

ixed in the interest of the Blount Street Baptist Church, and is doing good work for that purpose. Mrs. R. J. Lacy, who is President of the club, is due much plaise for the faithful work she is doing.

The Biblical Recorder speaks about Judge Norwood's intemperance and says: "This is not the first time such digraceful conduct has been reported of Judge Norwood. He seems to be a hopeless subject of strong drink. He ought to re sign for his own sake. If he does not, he ought to be impeached. The bench should be kept above reproach, above all other parts of the government."

Perry Hinton Killed by a Train.

over and killed by the S. A. L. passenger train, No. 41, last Saturday afternoon in the vicinity of Boylan's bridge, or near the penitentiary. Mr Hinton was walking leisurely along the track and the train was running at the rate of about ten miles an hour. Engineer Allen tegan blowing his whistle and Hinton, we learn, without looking around, began to run along the track, the engineer whistling loudly all the time. The train was stopped as soon as possible, but not until Hinton was struck, the engine and express car wheels passing over him, cutting both legs off just above the ankles, the skull also being fractured. Hinton was taken to the hospital and rendered all medical aid possible. He died some time during the night and was buried in

death by taking too great a risk by re- | send in petitions for offices. I think they maining on the track too long. Mr. Hin- | should be required to show that they are ton is said to have been a sober, industri- old Republicans and not new converts ous and reliable man. Strange to say, his who have vo'ed the Republican ticket father was killed about three years ago only once or twice, and have just come in the same manner, on the same railroad

and near the same place. People are in the habit of walking too | that they are good Republicans, and at careless on the railroad tracks. Railroad | least no harm will be done. companies are constantly warning peo-ple of this very thing and its danger.

The entertainment given at Mr. Jeffreys' Hall, in the Fourth Ward, is delightful. When you want to enjoy yourself call down.

Messrs, W. F. Debnam, C. H. Higgs and James H. Young left this week to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons at Edenton. Sheriff Jones' first official act was to

ers, foreman of the Caucasian office. An

Mr. C. M. Howe, of Leonard Medical School, subscribed for the GAZETTE and ordered it sent to his mother, Mrs. F. E. Howe, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

excellent appointment.

Mr. and M.s. W. J. Claytor, of Method, had a very fine baby to born them Friday of last week. At last accounts the mother

was faring well we are glad to note. Meeting of County Public School

Teachers. According to call the public school teachers of Wake county met at the Blount Street Baptist Church, November 19, 1896, at 12.45 o'clock, for the purpose of forming a County Teachers' Association, in order that more efficient work may be done in the district schools of

Having assembled, Mr. S. C. Dixon called the meeting to order, and asked Revs. A. B. Vincent, A. M., of Raleigh, and W. M. Brown, of Apex, to conduct the devotional exercise with singing and

After the meeting was opened Mr. Dixon stated, in well-chosen remarks, the object of the call, and the great need of doing something to improve the condition of the public schools, as the times demand better organized plans to that

The teachers present being highly pleased to have Rev. A. B. Vincent, (formerly a teacher at Shaw, but at present Missionary of the middle district of the State, under the auspices of the co-operative movement of the Baptists of North Carolina) to make a few remarks. Prof. Vincent highly commended the effort put forth by the teachers of Wake. Prof. Vincent is always alive to any effort for the betterment of the race.

Having listened to the helpful remarks made by the different teachers, steps were put forward for the purpose of ascertaining the necessary information concerning the present condition of affairs pertaining more particularly to teachers themselves.

Accordingly a committee of three was appointed: Messrs. S. C. Dixon, J. A. Buffaloe and W. H. Dowd, to meet the County Commissioners on their next sit-

This committee will also prepare programme for the next meeting of the County Teachers' Association. The time for the next meeting of the

teachers will be announced hereafter. The following persons' names were enrolled: Messrs. S. C. Dixon, Raleigh; J. A. Buffaloe, Apex; W. H. Dowd, R.I. money that is due. You should try to eigh; B. P. Peterson, West Raleigh; W. Jones, Raleigh; B. M. Montague, Pett: Prof. A. B. Vincent, A. M., Raleigh; J. Levister, Shaw University; R. J. Lacy, Raleigh; Misses B. E. B. okrum, Apex; Annie S. Lockhart, Raleigh; Mrs. E. A. Page; Messrs, Thos. Morrison, New Mr. Alford says he is still a sound money Hill; M. F. Jones, Raleigh; R. E. Blake, Raleigh; A. Strowd, Cary; M. W. Brown,

It is hoped that the Association will realize some very pleasant results in trying to do something for the cause of education, which must advance with the times if our Commonwealth would be secure.

The New Board of County Commissionrs-The Old Board Passes Out and the New One Takes Hold.

On last Monday, according to law. the new Board of County Commissioners— Messrs. J. B. Hill, Rufus Barbee and W. H. Chamblee, the gentlemen who were elected last election to succeed the old Democratic Board—appeared about 11:30. Mr. W. C. Stronach, in putting the motion for the old B ard to adjourn, in a very pleasant speech said: "I hope that our successessors will meet their duties with promptne-s, success and much pleasure to themselves." Maj. Hill arose and in like manner thanked Mr. Stronach for his kind words and well wishes. The new Board then organized. Maj.

J. B. Hill was unanimously elected chair-man. Maj. Hill expressed his thanks for the honor conferred upon him, which came unexpectedly. The first business of the new Board was the election of Mr. J. C. L. Harris, county attorney, in the place of Mr. Jones. The bonds of Treasurer Knight, Register of Deeds Rogers, Clerk of the Court Young, and Sheriff Jones were accepted.

The gentlemen who compose the new Board-Major J. B. Hill, Republican; Messrs, Rutus Barbee aud W. H. Chamblse, Populists-bid fair to make Wake county three of the most competent, re-liable and respectful officers she has ever had. It seemed that dispatching the business as Chairman for the new Board was no new thing with Maj. Hill. Maj. Hill is possessed with that executive ability to move all business for the county and State successfully that may be placed

necessary, by trust companies.

Rogers' bonds were given by the Balti-

Populists remain in con rol of the affairs of this State, will Republicans, white or black, and also Populists, when they are hones:ly elected to serve the people of their different counties, le prevented from giving their bond by Democratic Boards of County Commissioners. I say:

The young men of the Royal Pleasure Club, No. 1, gave their annual White and Green Banquet Thanksgiving night, Nov. 26th, 1896, at the residence of Mr. H. C. Hent e/. Promptly at 8:30 o'clock the Mr. Perry Hinton, of Method, was run | ing and the gentlemen were at their best-The introduction of the guests was given by Pres. E. H. Rogers at nine o'clock, followed promptly by a selection from Whittier by Miss Sarah E. Smith. Selection from Byron-Miss Albertha McClain, Selection from Tennyson-Miss Nita D. Rogers.

Supper was announced at 1030 sharp, when the guests repaired to the dining-room where the following toasts were given: Welcome-Mr. Wm. Plummer; Thanksgiving-Miss Eliza L. Rayner; The Ladies-Mr. E. H. Rogers; The Gentlemen-Miss Ula L. Rogers; R. P. C.-Mr. E. J. Parish.

The Offices Not For New Converts. SCOTLAND NECK, N. C., Nov. 30, 1896.

Your Republican Friend, JOHN S. SHIELDS. . Rocky Mount Grits.

are having August weather. urday. Miss Lula Graham, formerly of

appoint for his chief clerk Mr. R C. Riv-Mrs. H. M. Parker returned from Richmond, Va., last week, where she had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bunn. Hon. J.s. H. Young stopped in our city last Sunday, en route to E lent n, where the Grand Lodge of Masons con-

first of January, will be continued by celebrating the great victory won on November 3 by the Republican party of the State and nation. Ten thousand people will be in Rocky Mount that day. Let every one take hold and have a grand day-a day that will excel all others ever country people should bestir themselves from now out. Let no friction exist. W. S. A.

The county officers gave good and sound bonds-as good as the State and county requires. Everything worked just like a top. The fusion Legislature of two years ago made it possible for officers in the State, when elected (I mean bonded officers), to give their bonds, if

Treasurer Knight and Register of Derds more Trust Company. Sheriff Jines' bond was given by Mrs. E. A Carver, Mr. J. W. Jones and also a Biltim re Company. Clerk Young's bond was given by the same partus as before.

No more, as long the Republicans and W. S. M. No more of it.

Grand Banquet.

guests arrived. The ladies looked charm, diploma and some cash for the best crayon an artistic brain.

Editor GAZETTE: Allow me space in It is said that no blame is attached to the railroad company; that he met his should be very careful about those who into our party. They may be good men, but let it be required of them also to show

The snow, the beautiful snow, has come and gone, and at this writing we Mr. George M. Mitchell returned from Morristown, N. J., where he had been attending a trial of the Safety and Loan Company, of Syracuse, N. Y., last Sat-

Rocky Mount, returned with him. vened this week. We are extremely sorry to have to note

of Rocky Mount, but la'e of Pmladelphia. He very recently married Miss Mary Hines, near Pleasant Hill, Edgecombe county, and made their future home in Philadelphia. We extend our our sympathies to the bereaved families. It certainly is a matter of indecency for colored men to hang around white bar-rooms and defame men of their race, especially when they themselves are not without fault. We would advise them to look for something to do, instead of earned for a little killing whiskey. The meanest enemy a colored man has is of hisown race. We can never succeed as a race until our colored people are taught to respect each other's interest. We speak

of this as a matter of conversation we

overheard in passing a bar-room in this

to vn one day last week. There seems to be a hard fight on for the postmastership in this town. We give below the list of names of the whites who are applicants: Messrs. days of needed reform! Well, the peo-John N. Taylor, G. W. Robbits, J. ple have decreed it. Then so let it be. G. Sayder. On the part of coord applicants: Professors I. D. Hargett, M. M. Hines, and Mrs. Rena J. Person, the wite of senator-elect and former postma-ter, W. Lee Person. Who be foretold just now. But if the will of the people be recognized, then either Mr. Hargett or M. M. Hines will receive the appointment. But if the people's choice is not recognized (which we believe Congressman White will, under no circum stances, ignore), some of the other candidates will receive the appointment. It is being charged that Professor Hargett is not competent; that he could not election returns. This kind of talk is Everybody who is acquainted with Mr. Hargett knows that he has an efficient education and is capable of attending to any business generally that could be offered him. The same charge is being made against Mr. Hines-that le s not and Mr. Hargett both know that a sen- the incoming Legislature or that of the tence begins with a capital letter and enemy (the Democrats), who would do ends with a period, and that it is bad almost anything, or vote for almost anydle of sentences. This kind of opposition | feat Mr. Pritchard-not so much from is uncalled for. Make a manful fight if you oppose these gentlemen; do not misrepresent, the people do not believe it. | bis political faith. We will see. There are some of the candidates we are deadly opposed to, and we endeavor to Messrs, Hines and Hargett have agreed to make a friendly fight for the position. They should be commended, and their many friends should rally to their sup port. Each of them is getting some strong endersements already. We albusiness to underrate any man becaus; you disagree with him. These gentlesome others, but should this debar them? The emancipation celebration, on the

Cape Fear Happenings, A wet, disagreeable week opened up along the Cape Fear, and about the middle of the week sleet and snow visited our city and gave everything the sombre appearance of midwinter, so unlike the almy weather of week before last.

There were some very notable Republicans gathered in the metropolis last week, among them being Senator Pritchard, Judge Ewart, Major Grant, Col. J. E. Boyd, the Hon. Chas. E. Price, and two others whom we did not meet. On an informal celebration in the mayor's

Prof. Jas. B Dudley, of the A. & M. College at Greensboro, is in the city, on his way to the Masonic Grand Lodge, which convenes in Edenton this week. He speaks very encouragingly of the future in his new field of labor.

When my letter shall have reached you our new county officers elect will have house and our Democratic friends will be conspicuous by their absence. Meanheld under the new administration. We are not desirous of being clamorous, but either, and dont you forget it either. shall make firm and reasonable demands, among which we want zealous advocates of race progress on the school board, men who will know their rights and dare maintain them, for the educated and intelligent man always makes the best citi-

Mr. Jno. Quince and Miss Rachael Heflin were happily united in matrimony at the home of the bride's mother on South Seventh street last Wednesday night. Messis. J shua Greene, Sr., E. Lang, D. W. Haward, Robert McD nald, G T. Dixon, Jno. T. Howe, R. L. Hutchius and Prof. J. B. Dudley left the city Monday morning for Edenton.

A Negro Artist. The Eighteenth Annual Fair of the North Carolina Industrial Association held in Raleigh, November, 1896, awarded to William H. Dowd, of Raleigh, a portraits of his own drawing. We should be proud of one of our race who has such

W. H. Dowd, out of a class of eleven, is the only one that has met with success, He guarantees a true copy or no pay. He has done more work for white than colored, but he works for anybody, Below is only a few names as reference.

Call at their houses, and see the work of W H. Dowd, Portrait Artist: Hon. Jas. H. Young, Raleigh, N. C. Mrs. Jas. H. Young, Raleigh, N. C. Hon. C. W. Hoover, Raleigh, N. C. Mr. H. S. Christmas, Raleigh, N. C. Mr. Reuben H. Rhodes, Raleigh, N. C. Mrs. McNair, Raleigh, N. C. Miss Ida Burton, Raleigh, N. C. Miss Minnie Williamson, Raleigh, N. C. Mr. Bud Evins, Cary, N. C. Mr. Jno. Mathes, Apex, N. C.

Mr. M. C. Penny (two portraits), Gar-Mr. Joe T. Broughton, Garner, N. C. Dr. Banks, Garner, N. C. Mrs. Joe T. Broughton, Garner, N. C. Mr. A. H. Dupree (two portraits), Garner, N. C. Mr. Jno. T. Patrick (not delivered),

WHITES

Southern Pines, N. C. You will act wise and save money by giving him a trial order.

A Few Political Snaps from Wallace. Fusion won in Duplin by from four to

seven hundred. We only expected to pull through by about six hundred. Ho! Better than we expected. The election is over. It certainly was

soher, but it did not fail to turn the Democrats over. Don't you hear? We told McKinley by 1,000,000 majority, popular votes, by 25 States against 20; by 277 clectoral votes against 170. What's the matter with Rover? To be sure there

must be something rotten in Democratic Denmark! At the Sand Hill School House, near Wallace, on Saturday night following the election, six rounds were shot by the boys, to-wit, one for McKinley, one for Russell, one for Pritchard, one for the the death of Mr. Wiley Boddie, formerly Legislature, one for Duplin County, and one for the whole Republican party. Each round was followed by a hurrah for whom or what it was shot. You may

imagine the glee. Democrats and Populists, as well as Republicans, seem to be looking for better times under the administration of McKinley and Russell, from the way strawberries are being set out and stored. You bet they have not forgotten the good throwing away what they have already | times of the past from the hands of the Grand Old Party. Let Pritchard be returned to the Uni-

ted States Senate by the Legislature-elect. The whole South needs him there to advocate the protection of her raw materials. He has proven his value in that direction. Therefore let him be returned. Hurrah! North Carolina's n-xt Governor is a Republican, in the person of the Hon. D. L. Russell, of the Cape Fear s. ction. What a favorable event in these

The Populist party need not forget that the Democratic party has no hopes of destroying the Republican party of the State unless they can get hold of the election law. It is the Populist party will be the successful candidate cannot | they expect, by their chicanery and cry of Negro! Negro! Negro! to wipe out. It is earnestly hoped that this Legislature will give the State sufficient revenue laws to afford four months school in each

Democrats would not kick against that, as they so emphatically call their party the party of the constitution. We think that we can truthfully that keep the tally sheet in making out the the new election law has stood the test and proved the best for honest and fair tomfoolery, and falls flat with out notice. | elections. We do not think it needs any change. Good men of all parties speak

year in every school district in the Sale,

as the Constitution directs. Perhaps the

It is a fact well understood that a large majority (at least three-fourths) of the fusion forces of North Carolina want Jeter C. Pritchard returned to the United competent-when it is fully known that States S-nate to succeed himself. Now Mr. H nes remained in school for five | the ques ion is, Shall the will of this vast years and has his diploma. Mr. Hines | majority of said forces be carried out by earning to use capital letters in the mid- body of a different political party to deopposition to his monetary views, as because the word "R put l:can" describes

The Democratic party and papers want Marion Butler to make sure the defeat give a gentlemanly reason therefor. of Jeter Pritchard now. But two years ago they want d Pritchard & Co. to de feat Butler. Don't you hear and can't you see?

Some of the Democratic papers of the State are now howling themselves hoarse about the few Negro magistrates elected ways thought it a poor way of doing in several counties of the State. Well, we fully believe they want something of the kind to howl about. In Rocky Point men, it is true, did not canvass, as township, Pender County, where all the magistrates elected are colored, one of the places was offered to Mr. Charley all parts of the city. Give me a call. Sparkman (white), a well-to-do farmer, who accepted the nomination up to the morning of the election and then de-clined, even after there had been twentyfive or forty votes cast for him. We learn, also, that in 1894 W. W. Miller (a Democrat), of the same township, was held in the history of our freedom. Our appointed as magistrate by the Fusion Legislature, and that he refused either to accept or qualify until he was re-appointed by the Governor

Democrats and their papers deserve watching by the Populists and Republicans, for they will resort to almost anything in order to defeat further Republican Populist fusion, and get in once more themselves. We have oftimes heard Democrats say that they had rather see Negroes till the offices than to see Marion Batler and his crowd fill them. Democrats need locating nowadays. They are everywhere and nowhere. They are everybody's friend and nobody's friend, politically. They are constantly after the Negroes about putting Populists in in office, and, on the other hand, after Friday afternoon Senator Pritchard held | the Populists if a few Negroes happen to get in office-about Negro dominion! private office, and was presented to the | Negro dominion! when they no more citizens by City Clerk and Treasurer F. B. | fear such a thing, nor see the possibility of it, than they do the President of Li-beria ruling this country. They have made it a rule to ask all Democrats to decline, and sometimes abuse them when they do not do it, in case Negroes nominated them for office, and then cursed the Negroes for electing one of their own number. They asked Judge Clark to come off the ticket of the Fusion party taken charge of affairs at the new court- in 1894, yet if it had beed possible they would have got on such a ticket themselves in 1896. Now where are they at? while speculation is rife as to who will The whole truth of it s, they don't want till the various appointive officers to be anybody elected to office but themselves, and they don't care how they get there

> Thanksgiving Exercises at the Washington Graded School.

At three o'clock the teachers and pupils, with a number of parents, gathered in the assembly room to listen to an attractive programme, consisting of songs, recitations, solos and declamations that had been arranged for the occasion. The children did credit to themselves and

teachers Dr. Curtis delivered a very practi al address to the children, at the close of which the little ones came forward with their offerings for the poor. Nearly every child gave something. The offerings consisted of provisions and clothing about two wagon loads- and \$2.10 in cash. These exercises are really an advance step in practical education, for the pupils, about 425 in number, entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion, and seemed to be prompted by the divine injunction: "It is more blessed to give than to re-

The teachers are: L. B. Capehart, Principal; Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. King, Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Branch and Misses Whitaker and Love.

Bicycles.

MR. EDITOR:-It is said that bicycleriding is one of the leading sports of the day, but I venture to say that it is more than that: it is the leading and best exercise of the day. And anyone desiring to acquaint himself with this fact, we wish to recommend for his choice one of the most durable and finest constructed wheels that is handled by any wheelman, viz.: "the Warwick." The writer spent the summer vacation in Philadelphia, and was an agent for the above-named wheel under the title of Penn Bicycle Co., and it is evident that during the time. and previous to the time the writer was an agent, the Company sold 1,500 War-wick wheels, and 5 per cent. has not been returned for repair. We mention tion this as one of the many facts that concern that wheel for the consideration of the present and future riders.

O. B. BALDWIN, Shaw University.

MAJ. J. B. HILL FOR U. S. MARSHAL. His Same Old Place-He is the Man for the Place—No Better Man Can be Found in the State.

It would give us much pleasure, as well as it would his many friends of the entire Eastern District, to see Maj. J. B. Hill appointed to his same old place as U S Marshal for the Eastern District, which he has held from time to time with highest credit to himself, the State and to the general government. He is a man (though a staunch Republican) of the very highest qualities, and he so conducted himself while in office, and all through his dealings as a business man in his community, as to command the respect and esteem of everybody that know him at home, and throughout the State, regardless of party.

Major H ll's services in the Republican cause and interest makes him worthy of any appointment by the Government in

We hear that Major Hill will be appointed to his same old place. We hope this will prove true, for it will give universal pleasure to the people of this city and the entire State. W. S. M. and the entire State.

Silver Day. A Grand Silver Rally at Wake Chappel, Wakefield. N. C., Dec. 6, 1896, for the benefit of Hickory Grove Academy. The people in every adjoining county is invited to attend this meeting, and contribute liberally for the grand purpose. We want a general coming together of all the people to the support of this noble

object and cause. There will be several distinguished divines to address you on this occasion—an occesion that should meet the approval of every right thinking man or woman. We hope the edltor will try to meet us on that day, for we know as a represen-tative of Wake county he is interested in their welfare. Once more allow me to repeat. Let everybody come and give a noble push. Respec fully, REV. D. S. SAULTER, Principal,

SALE OF LAND TO MAKE ASSETS. By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court, rendered in the special proceedings brought before the Clerk entitled, "C. H. Wuliamsen, Adm'r of Isaac Perry, decrased, vs. Dilsy Adams, John Ivory et als.," I will sell at public auction at the C urt House door in Raleigh, Wake County, N. C., Saturday, January 16th, 1897, at 12 c'clock, to the highest bidder, for cash, two lots of land in the town of Wakefield, N. C., and known as the "School House" lot and the "Richardson" lot, belonging to the estate of Isaac Perry, deceased.

C. H. WILLIAMSON, C m. December 2, 1896.

LOOK!

THE SEMI-WEEKLY is printed on Tuesday and Friday, and gives twice as much matter as The Weekly.

The craving for color on the part of the young. The craving for color on the part of the young, and even of other members of a family, has now been recognized by THE SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE in the publication of a colored supplement of 18 pages, with each Friday's paper. If not gratified in a proper way, the liking for pictures and innocent bright reading matter will incine many to seek in less desirable publication that which there were seek in the second of the publication that which there is a fact of the second of the se

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In compliance with Article two, section twelve of the Constitution of North Carolina, notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly at the session to begin in January next for a passage of a law amending the charter of the City of Raleigh. This November 26th, 1896. MANY CITIZENS.

Notice.

NOTICE.

Latta Unsversity will be closed during the Christmas holidays for all the session for the purpose of rebuilding the buildings that were consumed by firelast May, and also additional buildings. The University is located in the village of Operlin, N. C., one and one-half miles west of the capitol building in the city. The location is the very best for a school, being out of the busy city, but within easy reach by means of the electric street cars. It is enough to say, that there has not been a single case of serious illness since the establishment of the school. Each dormitory is h ated by stoves and hearths, so every necessary comfort is secured. The terms are very reasonable—\$7 50 per month. Those desiring to reduce their expenses by work will be taken at the lowest possible rates: young men \$6 40

per month; young women \$5.40 per month; day students \$1 per month. A small incidental fee will be charged. The school will reopen on the 7th day of October, 1897. Our purpose is to make it one of the largest schools in the South for the race. Law and Medicine will be added. The institution is wholly nonsectarian in its religious instruction or influence. Yet earnest attention will be given to Bible study, applying its truths to daily life and conduct, that a thorough Christian character may be obtained. It is open to all sudents of either sex. None but competent teachers will be em-

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