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Leroy Davidson. Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 1. 1881.

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> Atlantic, Tennessee & Ohio Railroad SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE, Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 6th, 1880.

On and after Monday, Nov. 8th., 1880, the following schedule will be run over this road: GOING SOUTH. Leave Statesville. Davidson College,.... 8 15 a. m. GOING NORTH.

J. J. GORMLEY, Sup't FOR RENT.

Leave Charlotte ...

THE stere room in the Observer building next to W. N. Prather's is for rent after January 1st. JNO. L. MOREHEAD.

### NEWS IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Gatherings From the State Papers.

In days of old, the schoolmen raised this question: Suppose an ass on either quarter saw, When stirred by any motive to digestion, Two equal heaps of thistles of straw,

Each equally attractive to bis vision, Each equal in its succulence and size; Could he arrive at grounds for a decision, Or must he weigh their merits till he dies? And they inferred that, granting the condition

The British Lion.

Of equal appetite and equal claim, The puzzled beast must die of inanition Before he could determine on his aim. Perhaps the quibble of these ancient sages,
Which only served to stir their wits about,
May furnish us, who live in later ages,
A pointed moral from the ass's doubt.

The British ass, set between Whigs and Tories, Two equal bundles of unwholesome food, Will die of hunger, certainly, before he's Able to judge which mess should be eschewed.

-- London Truth. Peet to Poet.

During his recent visit to Norfolk, Father Ryan presented Capt. James Barron Hope, editor of the Landmark, with a copy of his poems, accompanied by a few verses complimentary to the poet of Virginia. In acknowledgement, Capt. Hope has sent the following to Father Ryan:

Himself I read beneath the words he writes.
I may come back and sing again.
—Father Ryan.

This bard to me's a whole-souled man in honesty and might, For when he sees wreng in the van He leaps like any knight To horse, and charging on that wrong Smites it with the great sword of song.

But 'neath the cassock of the priest There throbs another heart,
Another heart—but not the least—
Which in his lays takes part,
So that 'mid clash of swerds and spears
There is no lack of pity's tears.

This double heart is brave and soft As such hearts always are, And plumes itself, a bird aloft, When morning's gates unbar-Till high it sears above this sod Bathed in the very light of Ged.

Woman and soldier, priest and man,
I find within these lays,
And the closer still the verse I scan
The more I find to praise.
Some of these lyrics shower down
The glories of the cross and crown.

To thee, oh bard! my head I bow
As I'd not to a king,
And my last word writ here and now Is not a little thing.
Recall the premise of thy strain—
Thou art to "come and sing again!"

Too many pins go to waist.—Newburg Register. low dare you, sir? Take your arm away this in-It is estimated that eight million croquet sets were sold in this country during the past five years.

And yet we wonder at crime!

OBSERVATIONS.

"That's my impression." as the young lady remarked yesterday when she got up from the snow. "Father," asked a young man who will vote two years hence. "what is civil service reform?" "Get-ting the other fellow's man out of office and getting your own in," replied the well-posted father. The leader of the classes at Vassar College is a Japanese girl. She is probably the only girl in school who doesn't scream at the sight of a rat. It takes Worth a whole week of hard work to de-sign a costume for the French actress Judie, but Lydia Thompson can design a costume for herself in half an hour and make nothing of it.

A Donazion of \$10,000 to the Deems

Baleigh News and Observer. The following letter of Dr. Charles F. Deems gives the tidings of a noble benefaction by the eminent Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt to the University of North Carolina for the "Deems Fund." This fund is to be loaned to needy students to enable them to obtain an education at the University

University.

429 WEST TWENTY-SECOND STREET,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1880. To President Battle:

MY DEAR SIR: Last night, upon my return from church, I found on my desk the following: "MY DEAR DR. DEEMS: Herewith

please find my check for ten thousand dollars, as subscription to the University of North Carolin, as an addition to the "Deems Fund" to be loaned to indigent students of the University. Very truly yours, "W. H. VANDERBILT."

When I began to make my little do-nations towards building up that fund, my trust was that some friends might be found in North Carolina who, after I am dead, would, for old love's sake, make it up to a few thousand dollars, but now my large-hearted friend, from whom I have never solicited anything, steps in and makes it quite as large as I had hoped it might grow in a quarter

ultimately be able to return the sum borrowed, and will find friends to stand

Further particulars will be written soon. In the meantime draw on me for whatever is needed immediately. Thanking you for the trouble you take in this matter, I am, dear President Battle, with great respect and af-

Your old teacher and friend, CHARLES F. DEEMS.

A Queer Itom.

The following from the local col-umns of the Boston Herald seems 2 curious item for the "Hub": The annual meeting of the Stonewall Jacksen Association was held at the hall of the Sons of Liberty, Saturday aftermoon. The hall was neatly decorated with visit New Orleans, where, he said, they warm hearts by the people of Louisiana. The association received from Miss Mattie Shaw, of Boston, costly bound volumes of the life and public service of Gen. Robert E. Lee and Gen. Thomas J. Jackson. The recorder stated that the amount received by donations and assessments during the year was \$1,440; paid out from the relief fund, \$940. The old heard of officers was re-elected.

Smith's Scrofula Syrup and Star Curine are purely vegetable. Why will you suffer with Cancer, White Swelling, Catarrh, Rheumatism, Kidney and Liver Diseases when a few bottles of these two From C. D. McCurry, Newton county, Georgia From C. D. McCurry, Newton county, Georgia:
I take great pleasure in recemmending to the public Dr. Cheney's Expectorant and Croup Preventive My little son had been a great sufferer from Spasmodic Croup during the night. Dr. Cheney, about two years age, prescribed for him his Croup Preventive, which has most miraculously cared him. I find it equally benficial in all cases of Coughs I consider it a blessing in my family. every one should keep it in their houses. For sale by Dr. T. C. Smith. by Dr. T. C. Smith. oct26 -6m. Customer—"Why are 'Mait Bitters' so popular?"
Druggist—"Because as a Food Mediane, they en
ch the blood, harden the muscles, quiet the
nerves, perfect digestion."

The Raleigh Observer furnishes the following facts connected with an interesting social event in that city: "At 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon a fashionable audience assembled in Christ church to witness the marriage of Misses. Bettie B. Haywood, the beautiful and admired daughter of Dr. E. Burke Haywood, to Mr. Preston L. Bridgers, son of Col. R. R. Bridgers, of Wilmington, the president of the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad. The approach of the went has for a long time hear a subject event has for a long time been a subject of comment in fashionable circles, and the many friends of the pair and society generally felt that it was to be one of the most interesting ever celebrated in this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. M. Marshall, D. D., rector, assisted by Rt. Rev. Bishop Lyman and Rev. Geo. Patterson, D. D. The bridal party entered the church in the follow-ing order: Mr. A. W. Haywood and Miss Emily Bridgers; Mr. Robert Bridgers and Miss Placide Engelhard; Mr. Thomas McKoy and Miss Pattie Mordecai; H. J. Carmeck and Miss Maggie Fowle; Mr. Louis Davis and Maggie Fowle; Mr. Louis Davis and Miss Lavine Haywood; Mr. Bruce Wright and Miss Emma Bembury; Mr. Thomas Strange and Miss Carrie Winder; Mr. Jordan Thomas and Miss Sadie Green; Mr. Pembroke Jones and Miss Florence Tucker; the bride and groom. Preceding the party were the following gentlemen ushers: Messrs. Wm. Boylan, Sherwood Haywood, Edward B. Engelhard and Hubert Haywood. The extreme esteem in which wood. The extreme esteem in which the bride is held found fit expression in the presents which were sent by many friends in all parts of the State. The presents were attractively displayed and were, perhaps, as elegant and varied as were ever seen here.

The Marion Lanp post is the authority for the following important statement: There are some gentlemen in New York who desire to organize a company for the purpose of developing the mineral and agricultural interest of Western North Carolina. They are monied men and will have an eye to railroad and other communications. They will apply to the Legislature which is soon to meet, for a charter for a company of \$1,000,000 capital, and will at once open an office here at Marion where We hope the Legislature will be liberal with them, as well as take some steps looking to the encouragement of mineral developement, especially now while the eyes of both capitalists, scientific and practical miners are turned with sanguine hopes to the Opha of the

Mr. W. J. Glidewell, of Virginia, captured the daughter of Mr. A. Jeffries, and with his party made good their escape to Virginia. A few miles beyond Oxford the party met a negro man in the road, of whom they asked directions to a certain point. He was insolent and finally as one word brought on another snatched up a fence rail and made at a party in one the buggies. But he was met by a pistol ball, which struck him in the middle of the forehead, and glancing upwards, split his scalp to the crown and made its exit. No body was much hurt, but the ball was flattened

this city, as well as elsewhere, as we understand it, is to have a law passed by the Legislature submitting the question of prohibition to the vote of the people of the State. It is a matter of some importance to have the matter properly understood, some being under the impression that it is designed by the friends of the mevement to urge the passage of the prohibitory law without referring it to the vote of the people

The Fayetteville Examiner calls the incorparated companies to the fact, that a fee of twenty-five dollars must first be paid into the Public Treasury before such charter can be granted. Representatives are often embarrassed by ap plications from their constituents for charters for private companies without this necessary prerequisite. No representative can be expected to advance the money in such a case.

So very little was I able to give, that I requested to have the claims of the sons of ministers of the gospel preferred. Now help all applicants, as rapidly as needed, being careful to observe that we desire to help, not carry. I am satisfied that nothing is gained by putting boys through a college like grist through a mill. The right kind of young man will satisfy you that he will ultimately be able to return the sum litical foes, while pleasant to them, is honorable to the Senators who rose above faction to compliment worthy, efficient and faithful public officers,

The Greensboro Patriot printing establishment was sold at public auction in that place on Tuesday last. The ofice was purchased by Col. James M. Morehead at the price of \$2,400. His bid was transferred to Capt. R. T. Fulgum, under whose energetic manage-ment the paper will hereafter be pub-

Winston has a talented young lady authoress whose first effusion will shortly appear in one of the papers.

Mrs. Chritiancy's Denial,

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5—The Frening Star of this city publishes another interview with Mrs. Christiancy, in which bunting and evergreens, including national flags and the beautiful white bunner presented last year by the lady friends of the association. President Packer made a brief speech of welcome, and made mention of the cordial reception by the people of Boston of the Continental Guard of New Orleans on its late visit. North He was glad to its late visit North. He was glad to The letters sent Giro, she now says, notice that the Boston National Lan- were in a different vein, not so gushing, cers would go South next month and though imprudent enough for her to write. When in New York she hastily will be received with open hands and glanced at the headings of some of them She further said that there was a common sense side to her statement, viz., that her mother, brother and Miss Melov all knew that she was not away from home, even a few minutes, uponChristmas day, 1879 and therefore could not he the woman referred to.

"WINE OF CARDUI" for Ladies only. For sale by Dr. T. C. Smith.

Try Smith's Scrofula Syrup for your bleed. It removes all skin eruptions and will give you a beautiful and clear complexion.

WADLEY, EMANUEL Co., GA., Oct., 10, 1879. WADLEY, EMANUEL CO., GA., Oct. 10, 1879. Gentlemen:—While attending the General Assembly this summer. I tried your Star Curine on my leg. It being affected with an old sore caused by a wound received during the late war. After having thoroughly treated it I am compelled to say that it is a success, for I have had experience with different physicians and remedies, and found nother ing to cure me until I used your Star Curine, which has cured a remarkably bad case. Wishing you For sale by Dr. T. C. Smith, oct26-6m,

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WITH A VIEW OF MAKING ROOM FOR OUR

# Spring and Summer Stock,

We Propose to Offer for the Next 30 Days our Entire Stock of

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> Our Stock of Men's, Youths', Boy's and Children's Clothing WILL BE CLOSED OUT ON THE SAME TERMS.

> We have many goods that you will need for this month yet, which we would willingly sell you at a BARGAIN, so avail yourself of it by calling early.

## WITTKOWSKY & BARUCH.

## LATEST ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS.

We are now receiving for the Christmas Holiday trade a large assortment of desirable goods, purchased by our Mr. Elias, who has remained constantly in the Northern markets during the entire season, watching for Bargains and taking advantage of the late rise in price of cotton goods.

We are now enabled to offer both to Wholesale and Retail Buyers inducements to make their purchases of us. We have a new stock of Dress Goods, Prints, Flannels, Blankets, Cloaks and Dolmans. A large stock of Clothing Carpets, Boots, Shoes, and general merchandise. By examining our stock before buying, you will save money ELIĂS & COHEN.

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LOST --- A pair of Peck and Snyder's Club Dr. Bratton and Phifer's pond, on Saturday last. A liberal reward will be paid for their return.