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We are in correspondence now with a number of parties at the North and West who are seeking homes in North Carolina, where the climate is genial and the soli remunerative. Persons having houses and lots or plantations for sale will serve their own interests by placing their business with us.

CHAS. R. JONES.

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The following described pieces of preperty are now offered for sale by the Charlotte Real Estate Agency, R. E. Cochrane, manager, office Trade street front Central Hotel, Charlotte, N. C.:

One dwelling house on B street, 7 rooms, closets in each room, well of good water, lot 99x100 feet, in good neighborhood. Price, \$2,000.

One dwelling on 5th street, adjoining residence of S. M. Howell, 4 rooms, well of water and stable, lot 50x198, convenient to business. Price, \$1,700. One dwelling on South Tryon street, adjoining presidence of Dr. Bratton, 8 rooms, closets and pantry, well of water, well located for a boarding house. Price, \$3,000

One dwelling on corner of Myers and 3rd streets, 47 rooms, 2 room kitchen, bath room and closets, well of water; 2 lots, 1 fronting Myers street, 99,127, 198, 1 fronting 3rd street, 99,127, well of good water and stable on the latter. Picc, \$2,250. One dwelling on corner of Graham and 10th Streets, 5 rooms, kitchen, well of water, lot 120 feet on Graham street, 162 feet on 10th street, very desirable property. Price. \$1,500.

One dwelling on Poplar street, 10 rooms, lot 09x199 feet, brick kitchen, outhouses, stable, well of good water, sold on terms to suit purchaser. Price, \$4,000.

11 One Dwelling on Ninth street between B and C, two stories, six rooms, brick basement; well of water in yard; lot 99x198. Price \$2,000 to one Dwelling on Sixth street, one story, 5 rooms, kitchen, well of water; lot 50x99. Price \$1,000.

Price \$1.00.

One Bwelling on West Trade street, two stories, 7 rooms, 2 room kitchen, well of water; two lots—30 on Trade 39 on Fourth stvery desirable property. Price \$4.750.

One Hundred and Fifty Acres Land ½ mile of the city limits, adjoining the Fair Grounds well located for a track and darry farm; 13 in tumber, branch running through it, about 8 acres meadow. Price \$30 per acre.

One unimproved lot 33 per acre.

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Six Thousand Three Hundred Acres Land.

The owners of The Crowder's Mountain fron works beg to call the attention of capitalists fron manufacturers, stock and dairy men, and those

Works beg to call the attention of capitalists iron manufacturers, stock and dairy men, and those who wish to settle colonies, to their property, which offers inducements to the classes above named.

The property consists of Six Thousand Three flundred Acres of land, located in the counties of Gaston and Cleaveland, in the State of North Carolina, at King's Mountain Depot, on the Atlanta and Charlotte Air Line railway, now owned by the Richmond and Danville railroad company. The property has been used for fifty years past as an iron property, and has been worked at various points, but chiefly at the site of the celebrated Yellow Ridge Ore Bank, which has always yielded an ore noted for its richness in metallic iron, and its softness and toughness. This vein of ore, which extends for two miles in length, has been worked to the dept if 147 feet, showing at that depth a vein of ore about 40 feet wide, and analyzing as high as 66 per cent, of metallic iron. This vein has not been worked for twenty years, but the facts set forth can be fully shown. Various other veins have been worked, and within the past two years very large deposits of iron ore have been discovered at other points. Within the past eighteen months, however, the owners have discovered deposits of ore in Crowder's Mountain, (five veins of iron ore, are exposed), which were unknown before, and which will furnish an amount of good ore, easily worked and above water, that must make it one of the most desirable iron properties to be found. They have discovered on the pinnacle of this mountain, which is 1900 feet above the level land, 220 feet wide, which crops out at various points from the top to the bottom of the mountain, showing in one place about 20 feet of solid vein. This vein can be traced over the top of the mountain. The ore is a mottled gray ore, showing on analysis from 45 to 65 per cent. of metallic iron, with a small amount of titanic acid, and with

quality.

Besides Crowder's Mountain the owners possess King's Mountain, for about seven miles, whose pinnacie is the highest point of land from Richmond to Atlanta, except Mt. Airy, in Georgia, and they have reason to believe this mountain is full of ore also. In addition to iron ore the property has manganese, limestone clay for making fire-proof brick, gold and other minerals. Very pure and excellent barytese has just been found in large quantity.

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As a stock and dairy farm it offers fine opportuaities to those who may wish to engage in such business. It has from three to four thousand acres of level or only slightly rolling land, which produces grain and all kinds of farming products snely, and it is well supplied with water by unfalling springs and branches.

The other 4,000 acres embraced in the mountain sides are productive of fine grasse and herdage, and afford excellent natural pasturage for sheep and cattle. The climate is so mild that but little shelter for stock is needed in the colleast winters. The whole six thousand acres are now covered with a fine growth of timber of all kinds, such as pline, hickory, oak, walnut, cedar, etc. The land is well sulted to farming purposes, by those who wish to colonize. Cotton, corn, peas, oats, clover and grass, and fruits of all kinds are produced beautifully, and it is specially suited to grapes and small fruits. It could be divided into small farms that would give to each farm variety of soil, and level and hilly and. It is situated in the Predmont belt, which is noted for the salubrity of its climate, and the healthiness of its atmosphere. It is a region free from malaria and other unhealthy influences. It is located with great convenience to railroad facilities, being situated at from two to four miles from King's Mountain Station, on a railway that has the most extensive connections with all parts of the country, and which offers great inducements to those who are trying to develop the country along its lines. The owners will sell this property to suit purchasers, as follows: The whole tract, including mineral interests, for Sirty three Thousand Dollars, or will make favorable terms, reserving the mineral interest, payments to be one-third cash, balance in one or wyear.

A valuable water power, which has been used to run large rolling mills, lies adjacent to this property, and can be bought cheaply. T

also in close proximity to the famous all Healing Mineral Springs, and to the widely-known Cleve land Springs.

The town of King's Mountain is also adjacent, where are good hotels, a flourishing and excellent high school, and several new and handsome churches. The owners invite the attention of all interested to this property, and ask an examination of it. Any further information regarding it will be promptly furnished by addressing B. E. Cochrane, Manager Charlotte Beal Estate Agency.

The Yellow Ridge Ore Bank has been recently sold to a Pittsburg, Pa., company, and a German colonization company has recently bought 2,500 cres adjoining this property.

Tract of Land, 150 acres, located in Lincoln & Payne and others, 6 miles from Denver, 23 from Charlotte, and 13 from Davidson College. Has on its good dwelling, 7 rooms, all necessary outbuildings, good orchard, good water, and well adapted for grains, grasses; corn, wheat, tobacco, cotton, etc., 55 acres good bottom land. In fine state of ultivation. Frice \$2,250.

10 Tract of Land, 3 miles south of Charlotte, 20 Tract of Land, 3 miles south of Charlotte, 20 Earnes, known as part of the Samuel Taylor tract, on which is an undeveloped gold mine, known in the N. C. Reports as the Sam Taylor dine), three frame tenement houses, two rooms each, good barn, good well water and good spring on the premises. Sold without reserve for \$1,750.

23 Two unimproved lots 50x198, on north side of West Fifth street. Price \$200 each. buy at our house a good suit for \$4.50. \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$10.00. These suits we sold at least 33\frac{1}{3} per cent higher 25 Farm of 193 acres, known as the "Model Farm," 115 miles from High Point, N. C.; a good frame dwelling 12 rooms, plastered, closets in learly all the rooms, a splendid frame barn 45x60 feet, with basement stalls for 8 horses, but we mean to sell, and therefore put before the Holidays, but we mean to sell, and therefore put before the Holidays, but we mean to sell, and therefore put before the Holidays, but we mean to sell, and therefore put sometimes his best friend.

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e \$8,000; one-half cash, balance on time at a cent interest.

Dwelling in Mechanicsville, 1 story 3-room house, lot 99x190, fronting on C street, lot 5, square 215, adjoining property of W. A. Sing others. Price cash, \$500.

Two-story Frame Dwelling on South Tryon street, adjoining property of McD. Ariedge as H. B. Williams, seven rooms, with bath room, as and well of water; four room brick tenement ones on rear of lot and other out-buildings.

Two lots, N.-m. 257 and 808, square 46, fronting 99 feet on B street and running through the C street. On the premises is a two-story fram dwelling, seven rooms and small storehouse.

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The Charlotte Observer.

FARMING INTERESTS.

It is a conceded fact that the farms ure. The passage of a stringent dog law, in the encouragement it would give to sheep husbandry, one of the

make a home demand for the pro outnumber the consumers, high, or even fair prices cannot as a rule pre-

give him prosperity he must have a upon which he can depend. New Bargains!!! children, as is proposed by the bill

We are now offering some attractive bargains in Bleached retaryship of State to Mr. Bayard, and Unbleached TABLE LINENS. Don't fail to come and no tender of a cabinet position to any examine them. We can also give you a very handsome line

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> John Bright says England has spent in Queen Victoria's reign in war \$750,000,000 and had 68,000 killed, and the question may be asked, what

The City of Mexico comes forward with a woman who gave birth to seven children all in one day. The

A young lady in New York took to eating arsenic to whiten her complex Are Selling Glothing eating arsenic to whiten her complex ion. She succeeded in doing so and at the end of twelve months, made at at the end of twelve months made a very fair corpse.

playing base ball in that State on conducted without too much racket.

lots of fun putting ugly looking boxes filled with sawdust, with fuses attached, in the way of policemen. About 2,000 anarchists, mostly nas

tives of other countries, reside in

It may seem strange but nevertheless it is true that a man's enemy is

Becky Jones Retents.

few days ago sent word to the Surro gate of New York that she was ready to answer questions. The order was given for her appearance in court on Wednesday, but when the deputy sheriff got to the jail Becky had changed her mind because the weather was too cold. She of served that the frost on the window pane was very thick and she said she had no alothing event what she had a many control what she had a many that she had a many clothing except what she had when she went to jail in May last. She therefore concluded to postpone her visit to the court. The case was adjourned to March 4. Becky has THE LEGISLATURE.

Proceedings in the Senate and House

RALEIGH, Feb 14.-Among the bills introduced in the Senate were the following: To incorporate the town of Spring, Polk county. To amend the code relative to con

oners and registers of deeds. To incorporate the Wilson Mutual Benefit and Relief Association. To amend an act incorporating the

town of Saluda. To change the government of the public schools. To amend the law concerning the sale of mortgaged property.

To repeal section 2814, of the

Code. To amend chapter 382, laws of 1883 To establish the county of Ransom. To correct the charter of Laurin-

A resolution concerning counties delinquent in the payment of taxes, was adopted.

Bill transferring Clemmonsville township from Davidson to Forsyth county was made special order for noon Thursday,
The following bills passed second reading:

To give Richmond county the stock law. To give Hallifax and Warren counties the stock law. To recharter the town of Kins-

To authorize the commissioners of Martin county to borrow money, issue bonds and levy a special tax, for the purpose of building a court house

To amend the Code relative to special tax collectors. To allow Chowan county to levy special tax for 1887-'86,

The following bills passed third To authorize Sampson county to levy a special tax.

To ratify the will of John Strother deceased To incorporate the Oxford & Henderson Railroad. To require judges to allow juries to take with them when they retire

writen instructions. To amend chapter 308, laws of 1883. Leave of absence was granted Messrs. Chadbourn, Leak, Boykin, Hill. Thomas and Kennedy.

Resolution giving the Governor the \$360 in lieu of rent for "old mansion" until the new mansions shall have been completed, passed its final

reading, The bill to make the seduction of women under promise of marriage criminal was amended so that marriage shall be a bar to prosecution. Messrs. Buxton, Bond, Conner, Coop er, Gudger Means, Robbins and Tate discussed the bill, favoring its pas sage. Mr. Tate said that as a mem-ber of the judiciary committee he knew that the bill had been very carefully considered, and that it had in all its features been properly guarded. He therefore hoped the bill would pass without amendment, as it would protect the virtuous females of North Carolina and punish those who by means of deception and imposition venture to thus ruin female-virtue in our midst.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. Feb. 14-House -Among the bills introduced were the following: To incorporate the town of McFar land, Anson county. To change the county seat

Brunswick county. To allow Hertford county to levy a special tax to build a jail. The following bills passed their sec-

To prevent live stock from running at large in the county of Vance (after strong opposition by Mr. Ward

To authorize Bertie county to fund its debt. The committee made an unfavora ble report on the bill relating to the sale of the States stock in the Atlan

tic & North Carolina railroad. The following bills passed their final reading; to incorporate the town of Kittrell, Vance county.

To allow the lown of Hickory to

levy a special tax. To incorporate the town of Mt. Airy To provide for the payment of the debt of Stokes county,
To amend chapter 362, acts 1883.

To amend section 2821, of the code.
To incorporate the town of Lewisville, Bladen county.
To amend section 695, of the Code. To amend sections 1797 and 1798 of the Code, so as to foster the improvement of lands in Wake county, for relief of certain citizens of Samp-

son county. In relation to killing live stock in Tyrrell and Craven counties. To amend chapter 98, laws 1879, extending time for funding State bonds. To allow passage of fish up New

river Ashe county. A resolution instructing our members of Congress in regard to the surplus in the United States treasury, a king its appropriation for educa tional purposes, passed its final read

The bill to prevent live stock from running at large in Edgecombe county came up on its second reading. An amendment postponing the date when the bill takes effect until November, which was adopted on the econd reading, was stricken out and the bill passed its final reading.

The bill to allow the Raleigh &
Augusta Air Line Railroad to extend

its line came up.

Mr. Womack explained the bill, and on suggestions moved to postpone its consideration until Wednes day and make it a special order.

Mr. Tate moved that the bill be
committed to the judiciary committee for the purpose of investigating the question of taxation, i' any, that may be involved. The bill was so referred, with a request that the com-mittee make report before Wednes-

Bill to amend section 3326 of the Code, in relation to the mansion of the

Mr. Busbee offered a substitute. One of the questions was whe Miss Becky Jones, the obdurate witness in the Hamersley will case, has become tired of jail life, and a sion. Mr. Galloway moved that the bill be informally passed over.

The amendment of Mr. Galloway

was lost. The bill then passed its second reading. Another Life Saved. Mrs. Harriet Cummings, of Cincinnati. Ohio, trites: "Early last winter my daughter was at accord with a severe cold, which settle in her was well with a several medicine, none of which

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THE INSURANCE QUESTION. lews on the Bill Now Pending Before

the Legislature. ce of THE OBSERVER

There is now pending before the Legislature a question of great im-portance to the people of the State, especially to the mercantile and commercial interests; that question is, shall the present law known as the insurance law be repealed, which law, while it pretends to protect the people, really fosters the greatest monopoly known, and turns the people bound hand and foot over to the tender mercies of a soulless monopoly.

When a repeal of a law is proposed, the first thing to examine is the origin of the law which it is proposed to repeal, the circumstances under which it was enacted, and the promoters or instigators of the law. All laws should be in the interest of and at the suggestion of the people, the Democratic doctrine being "the least

governed the best governed." Now no one will pretend that the people sought, instigated or promoted the passage of the present insurance law. There were no petitions sent up by the people to pass it. There were no complaints by the people of insolvent insurance companies doing business within the State. There was no request in any way by the people to the Legislature to appoint either the Secretary of State or the Treasurer as their guardians.

Who, then, were the instigators or promoters of this legislation which it is claimed is so much for the interest and protection of the dear people? The answer is the insurance compa-nies themselves. They so generously came forward and had these restrictions and these burdens placed on themselves for their love and interest in the people. It is not charged that all insurance companies did this, for a good number of insurance companies had nothing to do with the legislation, and on its being enacted withdrew from the State. The people thus being deprived of competition, were left to the tender mercies of what is known as the South Eastern Tariff Association, the promoters of this legislation, and the parties who are active, through their agents and attorneys, to prevent the repeal These are the wolves in sheep's clothing who propose by legislation to protect the lambs. They, through their agents and attorneys, approach the legislator and urge him to protect the people. "Walk into my parlor, said the spider to the fly." This much as to the procurers of this legislation. Now who asks the repeal, and asks no more of the wolves' protection?. The people all over the State, the merchants, the commercial cities, business men, all who insure property, all say God deliver them from such guardians and protection. Who opposes this repeal? Let the

lobbies, the attorneys, the agents, the officers who receive fees from this legislation speak. Having seen who were the promoters and procurers of this legislation, and who oppose the repeal of it, let us next examine what has been the effect of it. The first effect of it was to drive from the State a large number of good insurance companies, thus stifling and preventing competition. The second effect was that the procurers of this legislation, having by it driven their competitors from the State, consolidated themselves into an association known as the South Eastern Tariff Association, and agree among themselves, having driven out all others, not to compete in rates for business, and appoint a

board in Atlanta, Ga., to say what the rates shall be for all property in North Carolina. What next? The rates on all insurance in North Carolina are increased one, two, three, four hundred per cent, and to better enable this monopoly to plunder the people, this legislation provides that should any one, fleeing from this oppression, insure his property in any other com-pany, he shall not be allowed to collect his losses. This is protection with

a vengeance. The eyes of the people are upon the Legislature, watching closely whether their petitions are to be regarded, or whether the monopolies through the lobby are to control. When a mem-ber is approached by the lobby and asked to continue to protect the people by refusing to repeal the law, let the member ask the lobby if he has any property insured, and if so, is not his rate higher than it was before this legislation and South Eastern combination, and look closely at his and see whether he, in his zeal, represents the people, or the insurance companies, or the parties whose pockets are filled by this legislation,

erquisites and fees.
When a member is told that it is but little trouble or risk for an in surance company to place \$10,000 with the Treasurer, let the member reply that if there is one hundred companies doing business, \$10,000 each is one million of dollars, and when the insurance company sees that the Treasurer's bond is only large enough to cover one-fourth of the State's money in his hands, the insurance company might well say, after reading of the defaults of treas urers in Tennessee, Alabama, Arkansas and others, who will hold the Treasurer whilst the Treasurer holds the stakes. Repeal the legislation, throw the gates wide open and invite competition. There is nothing truer than competition is the life of trade, and "free trade and sailors' rights' the cardinal principles of the Democratic party. ONE OF THE PEOPLE.

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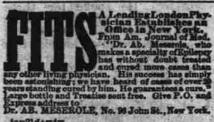
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ng interests of North Carolina are in a depressed condition and the question has been asked cannot the legislature do something to advance these interests. Various suggestions have been made, among the latest one favoring bounties or premiums by the State to farmers raising the great est quantity of a designated product upon a given tract of ground. While this might stimulate a few farmers of means to greater efforts to increase the crop on the given number of acres the number engaging in the competition would be so small that the object aimed at would be a fail-

most profitable occupations the farmer can engage in if intelligently and systematically pursued, would do much for the North Carolina farmer. There are causes, some well known and others perhaps not so well known why our agricultural interests are depressed. Low prices consequent upon insufficiency of demand for the products of the farm is one, unremunerative compensation in consequence of working too much land with bad methods is another. For the first of these the farmer is not responsible as he cannot help it, for the second he is, because he can. The remedy for the

first is in the increase of manufactures which increase the number of consumers to be fed by the farmre. Generally in the neighborhood of cities and manufacturing points the farmer gets a pretty fair price for such articles as he has to sell while remote from these he has to take what he can get. Every factory established in the State adds that much to those who do not produce from the farm, but who must be fed from it and whose wages go in greatest part to buy from the farmer. Herein lies the close connection between the farm and the manufactory, and their mutual dependence, and the mutual aid they give each other. If there were ten times the number of manufactories in North Carolina. that there are, employing ten times the number of operatives the farmers of the State would be immensely the gainers by it, so that one of the ways at least to help the farmer is to en courage the industries which will

ducts of the farm. Everything the legislature do to encourage the estab lishment and growth of manufacturing industries it should do and every. thing that any city or town or county, where there are no cities or towns of importance, can do for the same purpose they should do. While the State is mainly devoted to agriculture, while the producers so largely

home demand, and a home market The Augusta Chronicle thinks it would be well for Georgia and other States to prohibit selling cigarettes to

vail, and the farmer must suffer. To

efore the North Carolina Legisla-Mr. Cleveland denies the published eport that he has tendered the Secand adds that thus far he has made

In addition to the Mahdi's forces the Fnglish in the Soudan will have an enemy to cope with even more formidable, the climate which, as the warm season approaches, is a bad one

has she gained by it?

children died but the mother surviv-

According to a New York Judge, Sunday is not a violation of law if

Boys in England are now having

istered the weeks of her imprisonment by pasting a solton spool label on the window frame for each week.