248.—The thousandth anniversary of the foundation of Rome celebrated, in the reign of Emperor Philip, when Pompey's famous theatre was burned.

2284.—Alfonso X (the wise) King of Castile and Leon, died. He was a man of great learning, and was the first King who had the public documents written in Spanish, which he did with a view to polish and enrich the language. His son usurped the throne, and it was with the greatest difficulty that he got back again, by calling in the troops of the Moora and the excommunication of the Pope.

Pope. 1545.—The mines of Potosi opened They were discovered by an indian peasant, while hunting. A shrub which he had laid hold of to support himself, was torn up by the roots, and disclosed to the hunter a rich mass of silver. The population of the city in-creased so rapidly that in 1611, a little more than half a century afterwards, there were 160,000 inhabitants, but in 1826 they had decreased to 12,000.

1774.—A tea ship arrived at Sandy Hook, but the pilots, under instructions from the city commit-

tee, refused to bring her up, and a "Committee of Vigilants" takes possession of her; in a few days she returns to England. Another ship arrives, with 18 chests of tea, which the people seize and empty into the river.

1774.—A tea ship arrives at Charleston, S. C.; the tea is landed, but being stored in damp cellars, soon becomes worthless.

1809.—Robert M. T. Hunter, states-One of the Southern

triumvirate. 1827,-A portion of the members of some of the American Yearly Meetings of Society of Friends, set up a distinct association under the leadership of Elias Hicks, and are distinguished from

the Orthodox Friends by name of Hicksites. 1844.—Henry Baldwin, one of the judges of the United States Supreme Court, died at Philadel-The first railroad opened from

Wheeling, W. Va., to Columbus, 1673.—John Anderson, of New York, presented the Island of Penikese, in Buzzard's Bay, with \$50,000 bonds, to Professor Agassiz, the establishment of a school

of natural history.

.—The city of Little Rock, Ark., filled with Federal troops and militia, part of the latter being barricaded in the Statehouse to defend Gov. Brooks from the rival chief executive.

1880.—Roof and wall of Madison Square Garden, New York, fell during the hospital fair, killing

four persons.

1884.—A bankruptcy bill passed the United States Senate, after long opposition by Morgan, the recent opponent of the Panama canal. 1894 .- A strike of 132,000 bituminous coal miners begun under the leadership of John McBride.

1899.—Ex-Senator Quay, of Pennsylvania, acquitted of a charge of conspiracy to use State funds for private gain.

FUNDS FOR NEW BUILDING

At Commencement of Piedmont High School, at Lawndale, Nearly \$1,700 Was Subscribed for Additional Buildings—The Closing Exercises, Correspondence of The Observer. Lawndale, April 13.—The commence-

exercises of Piedmont High School took place last week, beginning Friday. The exercises were as follows: Wednesday evening exercises by the school, consisting of songs, drills, pantomimes and recitations; Thursday evening—annual debate of Plerian Literary Society, in which there were 11 contestants for the gold medal, the judges awarding one to Mr. Borden Farnell and Mr. Robert Warlick, being unable to decide between the two; Friday morning-annual sermon by Rev. R. M. Hoyle, of Shelby; Friday afternoon—literary address by Dr. E. Wal-ter Sikes, of Wake Forest College, whose subject was, "The Presidency:" Friday evening-annual concert, hich the Burns medal was awarded to Miss Lena Fayles, of Lawndale, At the annual concert Prof. W. D. Burns, the principal, reviewed the his-tory of the school and predicted a glo-rious future it provided the citibzens would give it adequate buildings. Mafor Schench, in an impressive speech, pledged \$500 for this purpose. Others pledged amounts, in sums from \$5 up until the aggregate reached \$1,690. A new auditorium and a new dormitory are thus assured for next year. At the close of the concert the medals were awarded by Prof. Newton in a

MORE VOTES THAN VOTERS.

Election at Beaufort for Graded Schools Declared Void and Another Will be Held. Special to The Observer.

Newbern, April 20.—An election was held in the city of Beaufort yesterday for the purpose of making as as-sessment for the support of a graded school. The preceding campaign was warm and the election one of the most exciting ever held there. On counting the votes it was found that more the votes it was found that more had been deposited than there were legal voters in the city and, although those who are in favor of the assessment won, they decided to throw the election out on account of fraud and issue a call for a new election, which will be done Monday. The majority in favor of the tax was 40.

Davidson Team's Record-A Mad

Dog Scare.
Correspondence of The Observer.
Davidson, April 19.—Three out of four victories for Davidson in the recent trip northward and even the one game that was lost being by only one game that was lost being by only one point, shows that the Presbyterians are a winning aggregation this season. Catawba, Hickory, Washington & Lee, V. M. I. have all suffered defeat at their hands, Honors are easy with Guilford's fine team, and although Wake Forest won one of the two games, the runs are decidedly in Davidson's favor. About May 1st the team goes to South Carolina to play Brskine, Newberry and Wofford, the latter in two games. latter in two games.

Davidson has a clean team, every man on the team being strictly a bona fide student and regularly classified in college work.

Cornelius has recently had a mad

dog scare. As a consequence about 12 or 15 dogs have bitten the lust. Some days ago a shepherd dog came in and started the excitement by attacking another canine. Since then the biting has gone on from dog to dog, with the result named above.

HUMAN BLOOD MARKS.

A tale of horror was told by marks of human blood in the home of J. W. Williams, a well-known merchant of Bac, Ky. He writes: "Twenty years ago I had severe hemorrhages of the lungs, and was near death when I began taking Dr. Ring's New Discovery. It completely cured me and I have remained well ever since. It cures hemorrhages, chronic coughs, actiled colds and bronchitis, and is the only known cure for weak lungs. Every bottle guaranteed by R. H. Jordan & Go., Druggist, 50c. and 8.50. Trial

PLACING BAN ON THE BELL

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Special to The Observer.

Statesville, April 20.—Federal Court is still in session here but is expected to adjourn to-day. Among some of the most important cases disposed of are: P. A. Jackson, Rowan, defrauding, guilty on first count; in consideration of the fact that property had been forfeited defendant was allowed to go on payment of \$50 pen-alty; J. W. Radfearn, J. M. Trexler, Rowan, refilling, not pros as to Trex-ier; Redfearn plead quilty, one month and \$100 and cost; if fine and cost are paid imprisonment will be suspended; Jesse Henderson, Iredell, breaking into postoffice at Olin, not guilty; J. C. and W. V. Somers, Rowan, carrying on business of rectifiers with intent to defraud, continued for the govern-

ment. The grand pury finished its work Wednesday afternoon and was dis-charged. The jury was composed largely of elderly men, the average of their ages being 60. The youngest man on the jury was 30.

TATUM-MORROW WEDDING. At the home of Mrs. Annie Dulin.
Wednesday evening at 6:15, Miss Jesse
Lee Morrow was married to Mr. J
Ernest Tatum, of Taylorsville. The
ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Pressley, pastor of the Associate KEMINGTON TYPEWRITER CO. Reformed church. The wedding was a very quiet affair, only the relatives and a few friends being present. The couple spent the night in Statesville and left yesterday for the home of the groom's mother in Olin, where they will spend a few days. On their return they will make their home with Mrs. Dulin. Miss Morrow is the daughter of Mr. Mack Morrow, of Amity, and is an attractive young lady. During the past winter she taught a school near Bloomfield. Mr. Tatum formerly lived in Statesville and is now manager of the branch house of the Morrison Produce & Provision Co., at Taylorsville. He is young man who stands well and he and his bride have the best wishes of a large circle of friends.

PLACING BAN ON THE BELL. The Secretary of State has granted charter to the Iredell Telephone Co., authorized capital \$50,000. The stockholders of this concern will meet at the court house Tuesday evening to of civil court has been ordered for elect a board of directors and prepare to begin the establishment of a telephone exchange. Interest is increasing every day in the Independent company and new signers to the "exclusion act" are being secured daily. It prohibits them from using a Bell phone even if given to them free of harge.

A meeting of the stockholders of the O. W. Slaine Glass Co. was held yesterday afternoon and the follow-ing directors were elected: Geo. H. Brown, Dr. P. F. Laugenour, A. P. Barron, T. D. Miller, W. F. Hall, A. W. Slaine and A. C. Cheilman, of Pittsburg, Pa. No officers were elected, as the charter has not been received, although it has been issued several weeks.

Mr. Paul Ware, of King's Mountain, a brother of Mr. White Ware, of this place, was operated on yesterday at Long's Sanitarium for appendicitis. At last reports he is doing nicely. COMING THE 20TH.

yor J. C. Steele has received special invitation from Mayor Mc-Ninch, of Charlotte, to attend and take part in the exercises of the May 20th celebration to be held in Char-lotte. Mayor Steele has accepted and will be accompanied to Charlotte by a large number of Statesville people. Mrs. Mary McLelland, of Concord township, is the mother of three sons who served in the Confederate army. One, J. A. McLelland, was killed The other two are Dr. Thos. E. Mc-Lelland, who lives at Matthews, Mecklenburg county, and Mr. Jacob McLelland, now living in Texas.

Why Nurse Doesn't Hold Job Long.

Saturday Evening Post.

Carefully gathered statistics appear
to show that the marryingest of all
women are trained nurses. Though
complete figures have not as yet been compiled, from a considerable mass of data the conclusion is drawn that nine out of ten trained nurses marry during the first seven years of their occu-

When a pretty young woman speaks of devoting her life to the self-denying profession of a trained nurse she is using, perhaps unconsciously, a mere figure of speech. Statistics show that she has an even chance to be married within four and a half years and that she has one chance in eight of becoming the wife of a physician. The chances are five to one that within ten years she will marry one of her

The importance of these figures from the viewpoint of the sociologist is ob-viously great. Pretty young women in stadily increasing number are entering the field in question, in which there seems always to be plenty of room for fresh recruits, who are required to fill the places of those who get married and pass out of the profession forever. Thus, owing to the causes suggested, it is rare indeed to distance trained agrees who has been in over a trained nurse who has been in the business for as much as ten years.

Mrs. Mary Ann Morris, of Statesville, Correspondence of The Observer. Statesville, April 20.—Mrs. Mary Ann Morris, a widow, aged 87, died Tuesday morning at 5, o'clock at her home in south Statesville. Her health had been failing for some time and the end was not unexpected. Eight children survive: Mr. William Morris, of Rock Hill, S. C.; Messrs. Frank and David Morris, of Statesville; Mr. and David Morris, of Statesville; Mr. Jake Morris, of Rowan; Mrs. Mary J. Coley and Mrs. Maggie Sowers, of Statesville; Mrs. Dancy, of Concord: Mrs. Lucinda Sparks, of Hickory. The funeral services were conducted Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence by Roya Frank Siles. the residence by Revs. Frank Siler and J. F. Mitchiner and the remains were interred in Oakwood Cemetery.

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ROWAN'S CIVIL DOCKET THE ACCUMULATION OF YEARS

Salisbury Bar Association Arranging Calendar for May Term of Court

—A Special Term in June to Clear
Crowded Docket — Interlocking Crowded Docket — Interlocking Switch Tower at Barber's First in State—A Strenuous Young Farmer —Southern Rebuilding Wrecked Bridge, Which Was Damaged to Extent of \$75,000—News of a Day in and Around Salisbury.

correspondence of The Observer. Salisbury, April 19.-There was meeting to-day of the Salisbury Bar Association, called for the purp arranging the civil docket of the May term of court. It is an unusually heavy one, being the accumulation of years heavy is it that a special June, in which two weeks will be devoted to those who have not been able settle their litigations before the regular term of the quarterly visits of the judges and solicitors. Capt. Geo. Bason, attorney for the Southern, was here this week in consultation with some of the local attorneys relative to the cases that come up fore the May court and against the railroad. There are several tant suits against the railroad that is sued as often as any. AN INNTERLOCKING SWITCH

TOWER. At Barber, the Southern Railway, under the direction of J. E. Gregory, of New York, is installing an interlocking switch tower, the only one in this section of the State. Barber is two roads juncture and 16 switches are connected by the tower. The watchman sits at his post and manipulates the whole yard. The structure is not finished but will be ready for use in a few days. Mr. Gregory has put a number of these in Virginia makes you well and keeps you well.

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**N. C., writes: "I feel it mr duty to write you that the dreadful pains that have always come to my wife every month have been prevented by Scott's makes you well and keeps you well. but this is his first work in Carolina. A STRENUOUS FARMER.

Near here, Barber, where The Ob-server's correspondent is to-night talking cotton to farmers, is the big farm of Dr. B. W. Kilgore, State chemist. It is being worked by R. W. Pou, a young cousin of the Pou brothers in Congress from North Carolina. Although the magnitude of Mr. Pou's though the magnitude of Mr. Pou's cotton crop appears almost a personal affront to this scribe, who preaches nightly the gospel of reduced acreage, it is such a fine tribute to his genius and industry that is deserves mention. He has planned a 125-bale crop and has bought the stock and crop and has bought the stock and hired the labor necessary to accomplish this end. Pou is a young man yet, very young, and he has converted a howling wilderness into a garden of beauty. A fine pace he has set for the young farmers, as a worker, but rather a bad example to that Southern farmer who hopes, by reduced acreage, to compass 15-cent cotton this fail, In other words. Pou is a diabolical hero. compass 15-cent cotton this fall. In other words, Pou is a diabolical hero. There came to town a few days ago a colored man. George Lipe, of this county, who is a good type of his race, or any other man of industry, for that matter. Lipe is a middle-aged man and, by the most assiduous application to his work, has accumulated money, should be a madel from plication to his work, has accumulated money enough to buy a model farm, stock it and equip it with modern machinery. He brought here on this visit \$1,000 in money which he put on interest, a method he employs with his business. He keeps his money always in the banks. The desertion of the farms by the young people is doing somebody good.

The visitors to the beautiful dance last night returned to-day. Misses Florence Thomas. Caro Brevard.

last night returned to-day. Misses Florence Thomas, Caro Breyard, Florence Thomas, Caro Breyard, Messrs. Frank Caldwell, Robin Brem. Walter Tallaferro and Dr. Moore, of Charlotte; Dr. Frank Rogers, Misses Ola, Grace and Arthur Brown, of Concord; Misses Lizzle Steele, of Statesville, and Margaret Burkett, of Greensboro; Messrs. Will Osborne and J. Corpening, of Morganton, and A.

Braswell, of Charlotte, were very enthusiastice over the dance. Abbott's Band, of Charlotte, gave the best music ever danced to by Salisbury. This city's most gifted musician paid the band this high tribute. Salisbury was bountiful as usual. REBUILDING WRECKED BRIDGE.

The Southern is at work with a big force of hands on the bridge recently wrecked eight miles west of Salisbury. The end knocked off into the creek is so badly bent and out of plumb that it will be necessary to put in a new structure entirely. This will cost new structure entirely. This will cost a deal of money and take considerable time. The creek is full of timber and shattered cars. This was a wreck whose enormity of loss grows with each day's developments. Although not a person was hurt the damage was fully \$75,000 and it is estimated by some to be higher. Considering the sullread's graves sledding in this coup. railroad's rough sledding in this county this spring, it seems entitled to imfrom the courts for a small It will be several weeks benunity season. fore the bridge on the creek can be touched and as many months before t is finished.

Dr. Nicholls Found. Correspondence of The Observer.

Spartanburg, S. C., April 19.—Dr. H. R. TOWN Nicholls, who mysteriously disappeared from his home at Enoree several days ago and whose whereabouts his family have been endeavoring to ascertain, has been located, it is reported, at Glenn Springs. Friends of the man and his family have gone to the place and, if he is found to be there, will endeavor to persuade him to return home. Why he left or rein an important switch yard where mains away is a mystery and one that his acquaintances are still unable to

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