DOCTORS HAVE DEPARTED AFTERMATH OF THE BANQUET.

The Crowd Was Small Yesterday as a Result of Much Fun the Night Before—The Papers That Were Read—Old Officers Retire and New Ones Are Installed—Dr. Booth Succeeds Dr. Register—The Medical Society a Fine Organization.

The last session of the 53rd annual meeting of the North Carolina Medical Society was held yesterday afterwhen the new officers were installed and the final papers were read.

The Charlotte meeting of the docenjoyed the visit of such a fine body of fellows. The business was so great that the social features had to be neglected. The reception in the Colonial Ciub Tuesday evening and the banquet in O'Dono-ghue Hall, Wednesday night, were the only functions given. The reception was a splendid social affair and the banquet was a "howling" success. In taking his departure yesterday one delegate confided to a friend that the banquet was "a memory-possibly a

night mare. work of the North Carolina Medical Society is carried on in a businesslike way. A great number of papers were read here but most physicians seemed to enjoy them. The discussions were in earn-

est and beneficial.

Dr. E. C. Register, the retiring president, and Dr. J. Howell Way. who, for four years, has been the sec retary of the society, deserve great-eredit for having brought together a fine assemblage of their fellows in medicine. They have worked industriously and with telling effect.

Dr. Way has succeeded in building up a large, prosperous and enthusiastic association. On retiring he leaves a creditable organization, one that the dectors of the State. that the doctors of the State are

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The new officers are men of in-fluence and ability. Dr. S. D. Booth, who succeeds Dr. Register, is one of Oxford's most popular practitioners. hair is rapidly turning gray.

Dr. D. A. Stanton, of High Point, follows Dr. Way. He is a young man of energy and popularity.

THE MEETINGS YESTERDAY. Yesterday morning, when Dr. Register called the first meeting of the day to order, there were many empty seats in the court room. Owing to the fact that many of delegates were up late, the previous night, attending the banquet, the attendance was small. Those present were the braver of the doctors. The following papers were read Wednesday night and yesterday

On Washing the Hands," Dr. H. A. Royster, Raleigh. The End Results, Mental, Physical, Psychical, After Abation of Certain Structures and Organs of the Human Body," Dr. J. E. Stokes,

"Gall Stones and Diseases of the Gall Bladder," Dr. Henry F. Long. Statesville. X-Ray Treatment as a Preventive of Recurrence Following Extirpation

of Malignant Growths," Dr. Witherbee, Charlotte, "Present Status of the Treatment of Cancer," Dr. L. B. McBrayer, Ashe-

"Chorea Gravidarum," Dr. J. M. Templeton, Cary. "Placenta Praevia," Dr. H. H. C. Mills, Charlotte.
"When the Baby Comes," Dr. Cyrus

Thompson, Jacksonville "Puerperal Eclampsia," Dr. M. R. Adams, Statesville. 'Eclampsia," Dr. J. W. McGhee,

Dr. Raymond Pollock, Dover. "Forceps in Labor," Wharton, Smithfield. Dr. L. D "Clinical Reports; Two Caesarean

Sections, one Umbilical Fistula," Dr. H. Dixon, Edward. Trepanning," Dr. H. M. Wilder,

'Marasumus," Dr. E. H. Brooks, Reidsville.
"State Medicine, as Now Enforced

and How it Should Be," Dr. W F. Hargrove, Kinston. NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED. At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon the new officers were installed. Dr.

B. McBrayer, first vice president, who was presiding at the time, asked Drs. Benj. K. Hays, of Oxford, and George W. Long, of Graham, to escort President Booth to the chair. On assuming the responsibilities of the presiding officer. Dr. Booth made a brief but happy speech thanking the society for the honor thrust upon

Dr. Oscar McMullan, of Hortford, presented a resolution, thanking the ood people of Charlotte for their hospitality. He referred to the fact that the wines served at the banquet had the right tone and sparkle. The resolution was adopted.

CHAIRMEN OF SECTIONS. The following named chairmen of sections were announced: 'Anatomy and Surgery," Dr. L. A. Crowell, Lincolnton. and Therapeu-Materia Medica ties," Dr. C. G. McManaway, Char-

"Practice of Medicine," Dr. J. B. H. Knight, Williamston. "Physiology and Chemistry," Dr. J. E. Nobles, Greenville

"Obstetrics," Dr. R. Du Val Jones, Newbern.

"Gynecology," Dr. J Ray Browning, Littleton.
"Medical Jurisprudence and State

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IN THE CITY POLICE COURT.

Thirty Days for Unchivalrous Treat-ment of a Woman—White Woman and Negro Lived Together—a Va-grant Who Will Work Some.

Jim Offiney, a colored man who had been so unchivalrous as to strike worden, was arraigned before Recorder Shannonhouse yesterday mora Jim had not only struck the woman, but had, without any provocation, handled the member of the tender sex rather roughly. The recorder sentenced Jim to spend 20 days at the

rock pile for the offense.

Louis Reynolds, a white man against whom a No. 1 case of vagrancy was proven, was fined \$10. Reynolds could not make good and will have to work the fine out on the roads.

unusual spectacle of a negro man and white woman being arraigned in the same case was that presented yesterday morning when Jim Lomax and Grace Collett were charged with living together without the formality of a marriage ceremony. The Collett woman is a Swede and unfamiliar with the American way of thinking. Both defendants were bound over to the Superior Court and sent to jail in detault of bond.

Sam Johnson, a white citizen, contributed 16 to the school fund as a taken of repentance for a spree. man and white woman being arraignA GIANT COTTON CONCERN.

Movement on Foot to Organize a Big Syndicate for the Growth, Man-ufacture and Marketing of Cotton Products.

Messrs. C. C. Barbour & Company. of Vicksburg, Miss., have inaugurated cotton and manufacture cotton and cotton seed oil. The shares are put at \$10 each. The purposes of the company are stated as follows:

"The primary object is to buy, own and operate cotton plantations in the Yazoo Delta.

"The ultimate object will be to manufacture the cotton and cotton seed raised on our own plantations. "We will have directorate of wellknown and reputable business men and the management will be by men thoroughly acquainted with cotton raising.

Many progressive Southern manufacturers believe that the time will soon come when cotton will be grown on syndicate lands, manufactured by syndicate mills, and the product sold by syndicate concerns. The seed from the staple will be sent to the syndicate oil mills, and the oil, meal and hulls marketed in like manner. In other words, they hold that cotton its final disposition to the consuming public, by giant corporations similar in many respects to this Vicksburg concern. Such concerns, they assert. will be operated very economically for the work of one may be made to accord with the work of the other, thus eliminating speculation competition between the several branches of the trade.

Many point to the organization of this \$5,000,000 corporation in Missiasippi as a sign of the times, foretell-ing what is to follow.

THE NEW SELWYN HOTEL.

Work Progressing Rapidly—Roof Fin-ished and Much of the Interior Work Complete—A Thing of Beau-

The roof to the new Selwyn Hotel preproof. In the future, the weather will have no effect upon the progress f the construction work. The build- her. ers state that the hotel building will complete by October 1.

The fire proof partitions have been put in on five floors. A number of rooms have been finished with a plaster of paris coating to show up how they will look when ready for the furnishers. The rooms so finished are unusually handsome. The partitions are now being built on the first floor. One glancing in may gain a very fair idea of what the building is to be like when finished. That Charlotte is to have a modern hotel, of which he city may well feel proud, none will question after they have inspected work even as it now stands. There will be no need in the future for entertainment committees to impress the city polce fnto service to canvass the town for sleeping places for prospective guests, for there will be room enough for all, and to spare.

The disposition of the lease has not yet transpired. The special committee having this important matter in hand is going about it in a business-like manner. They desire the right man for the place and are using every effort to secure such. The official an-nouncement of the tenant is expected within the next few weeks.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN TO MEET.

Several Matters of Interest to be Presented-Scaboard Officials to Subments

An interesting meeting of the board of aldermen is anticipated Monday night in the city hall. The disposition of the mattresses, blankets, etc., purchased by the entertainment com-mittee for the 29th of May celebration will be discussed. The commit-ter desires the board of aldermen to take these articles off their hands. It committee will be acted upon favorably. Col. A. L. Smith's term of office as member of the police, fire and realth commission has already expired and it is very probable that the board will elect a successor. Doubtless 'ol. Smith will be requested to serve another term. A more able chairman of the fire committee could hardly be

ecured.
The Seaboard Air Line Rallway Company will also present to the board the plans for the improvements between East Fifth and East Seventh streets. A request will be made for the right to cross East Sixth street with several additional tracks. If the board of aldermen approves of the plans submitted, and the necessary permits are given, then the railroad officials declare that they will begin the construction of a number of new wagon tracks at once

A Regular Barringer Record. Mr. Angier B. Duke, of Durham, arived in the city yesterday morning. coming from Durham by automobile. He made the trip from Salisbury to Charlotte, 44 miles, yesterday morn-ing in 2.15. The 22 miles between Concord and Charlotte were made in 45 minutes, two minutes more than the record made by Mr. Osmond L Barringer a few days ago. Mr. Duke was accompanied by Mr. W. L. Bryan.

"Medical Jurisprudence and State Medicine." Dr. Goode Cheatham, Brevard.
"Pathology and Microscopy." Dr. E. W. Phifer, Morganton.
"Railway Surgery." Dr. W. E. Heidon, Morehead City.
"Pediatrics," Dr. O. W. Halloway. North Side.
Dr. C. M. Strong, the new vice president, presided for the last few papers. He was introduced by Dr. Way.
At 6 o'clock the meeting adjourned sine die."

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SQUIRE SEVERS REMINISCENT. How He Was Wounded at Seven Pines and How He Got Off the Field.

'Squire H. C. Severs, grizzled old veteran, had a far-away look in his eye. Apropos nothing in particular he remarked, to nobody in particua movement to organize a company lar: "Yes, 44 years ago to-day I was having \$5,000,000 capital, to buy land lying on the battlefield of Seven in the delta of the Mississippi, raise Pines." He then straightened up. Pines." He then straightened upput his hand on his left ankle and-"I was kneeling down firing at a Yankee officer when a builet passed through my thigh and lodged in this ankle. Hurt? It felt as if it were s large as a house and was furnishing food for a nest of hornets.

The 'squire then told how he got off the field, which was pretty hot at that particular time and place. shot an approaching Yankee cavalryman and his horse came on and passing within reaching distance, I caught him and dragged myself on and retired to the rear, when the surgeon took charge of me."

Mr. W. S. Shaffer Moves to Salisbury. Mr. W. S. Shaffer, formerly of the firm of Couch & Shaffer, of this city, has moved with his family to Salis-bury, where he will reside in the future. Some time ago Mr. Shaffer bought an interest in the livery firm of J. C. Black & Company, of that city. In addition to this he also purwill be handled in all its stages, from chased a large farm near Salisbury the time it comes from the ground to and it is his intention to engage in farming on an extensive scale, operating this line in connection with his livery business.

> Tax-Listing Begins To-Day. The tax-listers of the various townships in the county will open their books this morning for the listing of property for taxation. The board of list-takers for Charlotte township, consisting of 'Squires Severs, Hilton and Cobb, will hold forth in the basement of the county court house. By special arrangements this beard will take the returns for the city also.

Death of Mrs. Chas. A. Daniel. News was received in the city yes erday announcing the death of Mrs. Clem A. Daniel, formerly a resident of Charlotte, but lately of Durham. has been finished. It is of concrete Mrs. Daniel's death was not unexpect-and, like the rest of the structure. ed. for she had been in the Watts Hospital of that city for three months. A husband and three children survive

Fuperal of Mrs. Tirzah E. McDowell. The funeral of Mrs. Tirzah E. Mc-Dowell took place at the Tenth Avenue Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Rev. A. R. Shaw the pastor, was in charge of the ser-The interment was at Elmvices.

Real Estate Transfers.

Mesars. C. O. and Willis Brown yes-terday sold two lots at Villa Heights to Miss Bertie L. Boon, the consideration in the deal being \$250. J. F. Sloan yesterday bought a house and lot on South Alexander street from E. J. Young, paying \$600 for the property,

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Funeral of Mrs. Ellen Haley.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Haley took place at St. Peter's Catholic church yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Father Joseph, the pastor. The interment was made in Elmwood cemetery. The following named acted as pall-bearers: Messrs. P. P. Hanley, John H. Crowley, P. H. Phelan, Charles W. Gallagher, George Williams and H. A. Webber. Williams and H. A. Webber.

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Court House, same place as State and County returns are made. C. M. ETHEREDGE, Clerk and Treasurer.

BIDS WANTED !

The Water and Sewer Commis of the town of Laurinburg, N. C.,

will receive sealed bids June 7th, 1906, for constructing Water and Sewerage Systems; for materials used in same; for one hundred thousandgallon tank; for well drilling, pumps and boller used in operating. For

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