hington, N. C., Educational Sys-m Resumes Operation After Holi-tys—Big-Raffrond Bridge About

cial to The Observer. Washington, N. C., Jan. 3 .- The shington public schools will reopen to-day. The present session of the school is the best in its history. already 598 pupils have been enrolled and the prospects for the total en-

colliment during the year of 675 is wery good. Work on both the Raleigh & Pamo, and the Washington & Vandemere Railroads is progressing at a very rapid rate. The hands emthe prospects are that both roads will be completed by the dates contemplated. The large railroad bridge now being erected by the Raleigh &

are now being put on. Washington seems to have caught course of construction the residences Capt. Geo. T. Leach and J. D. residences of B. B. Nicholson, H. S. Ward, F. G. Paul, E. K. Willis, Mrs. of tenement houses. This speaks exceedingly well for the building spirit

Mr. A. G. Spencer has moved his rity. dry goods store to the building formerly occupied by Mr. E. F. Roper on Main street under Hotel Blakely. The family of Rev. Dr. Tyer, the new rive here early next week from Elizabeth City. A cordial welcome awaits this church, but from all the churches

It is rumored that a large stock company will be organized here, with the purpose of erecting a mammoth opera house in this city at an early This is one enterprise the city is badly in need of and this news will be received with much pleasure by our citizens.

The oyster canning factory is now running regularly in this city, and giving employment to a large number of people; but so far the company has had some difficulty in securing the requisited number of hands to produce the full capacity of the plant.

Washington theatre-goers are looking forward to the appearance of Polk Miller in this city on the evening of January 11 with a great deal of pleas-

Mr. H. C. Carter, who, since his location in this city, has had an office in the Havens-Small building, has recently moved to the new Savings & Trust building on the corner of Main and Market streets, where he has rented a handsome suite of offices on the second floor.

Mrs. Frank Wilkinson, wife of one of the Tural free delivery carriers, died very suddenly at her home about one mile from this city Monday night She was a woman known for her many Christian virtues and passed many friends throughout the county.

## ELEVEN NEW CORPORATIONS.

Lexington's Showing for the Year 1906—New Bank Will Open Up February 1-Property Values Show Increase of \$142,708

Special to The Observer Lexington, Jan. 3.—Eleven new corporations have been formed durwith capital stock aggregating \$100,000. Also a new bank, the Commercial & Savings Bank, has been chartered, with a capital of \$25,000, and will be ready for business on February 1. The Rosebrough, Miss Blanche Rose-Lexington Mirror Company, \$15,000; mont Granite & Marble Company. \$1.500; Lexington Excelsion Com-pany, \$1,000, Lexington Ice & Fuel Company, \$3,000; Continental Blow Pipe Company, \$2,500; The Fred Thompson Company, \$10,000; David-son Furniture Company, \$4,000 Many new buildings have gone up. and others are in course of erection Two new business blocks have been added to the business section. total building for the year is esti-mated at \$200,000

Besides the industrial growth of has finished its \$20,000 system, and has extended payed walks, light and water service. The one thing yet needful, payed streets, is assured for the year 1907 increase in property values was \$142 -708 during the past year. Every business enterprise in lexington is prospering, and the future is brighter

FROM THE ANTILLES

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy figure 1
City Councilman at Kingston
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Mr. W. O'Reilly Fogariv who is a
member of the City Council at King
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That it was beneficial and quick in resale by R. H. Jordan & Fra

TILLMAN AT HIGH POINT.

ployed are doing excellent work, and stand for the social equality business the prospects are that both roads will advocated by the President of the United States, and other cranks on the subject. "By the Holy Gods," said the speaker, "when that time Pamileo Road, just below this city comes Ben Tillman will be in front across Pamlico river has about been ranks fighting for his liberty and his completed and the finishing touches rights which he loved better than life itself."

In referring to the fourteenth and the building fever. There are now in fifteenth amendment he said to "Hwith such a law." His talk struck a popular chord here and many were Grimes, the Episcopal rectory, and heard to express themselves favorably. The women of the town were with him, too, and several were heard to Jucques. Mary Kugler, besides a large number remark after the talk that they would like to shake his hand and tell him that he was their ideal defender of womanhood and Anglo-Saxon pu-

Mrs. Joseph D. Smith, of this place, by the will of her father, who recently died in Wilmington, gets a large sum of money. Her husband has also Methodist minister, is expeted to ar- been named as executor of the estate It is expected that within a very short time work will commence on them not only from the members of the Thomasville & Pee Dee Railroad for which bonds were voted to the amount of \$75,000 by the citizens of High Point last month.

## NEW SCHEDULE SUNDAY.

Time Table of Newly Created Durham Division of Durham & Southern Road Contains Slight Changes.

special to The Observer. Durham, Jan. 2.-The new time table of the Durham division of the Durham & Southern road has been printed. This is time table No. I. The new schedules will go into effect on Sunday morning, one minute after midnight. The only changes of importance affecting reaching here are as follows: The ing train from Raleigh, through Durham to Keyaville, will get here at 9:10 instead of 9:30. The eastbound morning train will get here at 9:15 instead of at 9.20. The afternoon westbound train will get here at 3.50 instead of 4.30, this leing the greatest change, with one exception. The westbound morning train will get here at 10.22 instead of 10 as now. The evening train from Keystelle through to Ruleigh will get here now. The evening train from I ne hour earlier. This now reaches here at 5.35 and leaves for Raleigh 19 at 6.35 and leaves for Raleigh 19 at the future will here at 5.35 and leave at 5.45. passenger trains remain same as now, this including the night mixed trains Several of the freight schedules will be

Funeral Services of Mrs. Rosbrough at Hickory.

Special to The Observer. Hickory, Jan. 3 .- The funeral service of Mrs. Rosebrough, one of Hickory's oldest and most beloved women, was conducted yesterday morning from the home of her daughter Miss Mary, on College street, Rev. C. A. Monroe officiating. Those from out of town, among the family relations, to attend the burial were. Mrs. M. D. Bailey and children, of Winston; M. D. Bailey, Jr., Frank. Charlle, Miss Blanche, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Weatherly and Mrs. W. E. names of the other new enterprises brough and little sister and D. B. with the amount of capital stock, all Belt, Hendersonville, the only survivof which have begun business dur- ing sister of the deceased. The body ing 1906, are as follows: Davidson was laid to rest in the family plot in Insurance & Trust Company, \$15,000; Oakwood Cemetery. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved family and Lee Veneer Company, \$10,000; Pled- friends, especially for Missos Mary, Fannie, and Mrs. Reud, of her immediate household.

Wake Forest College Opens.

Special to The Observer Wake Forest College, Jan 3 -With the first day of the new year the spring term of Wake Forest began There is already a good number enrolled and new and old men continue to come. The various classes are already doing good work and by the beginning of next week one would the place, Lexington has done well hardly know that a suspension of In its municipal work. The town college work had been given for sewerage Christmes The ability of the college to do the most effective work has been increased by the numerous improvements in the woy of new buildings, etc., and will enable the college to do better work than ever before. The prospects for this term is bright and encouraging to all interested in the institution.

Special to The Observer. Asheville, Jan. 3 -Information has been received here that the Cullowhee copper mines of Jackson county have been shut down and 50° men have. been thrown out of employment. Pifteen families will be affected by the shutting down. No reason is given for the suspension of operations. It is stated that the mines are very rich and that a sufficient amount of ore is stored on the premises to reimburse the company for all its outlay

ADAMS IS RESPITED.

and Fifteenth Amendments to the Realms of a Eternal Tropicality.

Special to The Observer.

High Point, Jan. 3.—Benjamin R.
Tillman was the attraction at the auditorium last night, being one of the numbers on the star course. The largest crowd of the season greeted this distinguished speaker who chose, after a vote of the audience, as his subject the race question, which completely captivated the audience, being heartily cheered on many of his atterances; especially when he referred to the fact that the Soath would not stand for the social equality husiness which consisted of an affidavit from one of the women witnesses that she was intimidated to testify falsely by threats against her life. The pardon board will probably consider the case on its merits at some extra meeting, which will be called when the solicitor and judge have been heard from. Solicitor Davis, who prosecuted the case, is now out of the State, it is said, and Messra. Gruber & Fishburne pleaded before the board to-cay that they did not know sending the papers to the judge and solicitor was required, or they would have got the petition to the Governor in time for him to forward them. It is not likely that Adams will finally be pardoned. He was to hang next Friday for killing his kinsman, Henry

CHAIR COMPANIES MERGE.

Standard, Gates and Thompson Companies, of Thomasville, to Operate Under the Name Standard Chair Company.

Special to The Observer. Thomasville, Jan. 3 .- By mutual agreement the Standard Chair Company, the Gates Chair Company and the Thompson Chair Company, all three of Thomasville, have been consolidated into one concern and will be known and operated in the future under the style or firm, Standard Chair Company. The authorized capital of the consolidated concern is \$125,000; paid in, \$70,000. Mr. Chas. F. Lambeth has been elected president, Mr. Jas. E. Lambeth vice president, and Mr. Frank S. Lambeth secretary and treasurer. The output of the factory is 1,500 chairs per day. Owing to this consolidation the Standad Chair Company will be one of the most complete factories in the entire South. It will produce chairs of all grades-from the cheapest split botopen priced to high tom seat diners wood and cane consolidated rockers. This its plant

South and the second in the world. THE DRAMA PRESENTED.

company has its plant in Thomasville, the chair town of the

Mooresville Chapter, U. D. C., Pre-sents "Under the Southern Cross" With Success-A Marriage.

Special to The Observer. Mooresville, Jan. 3.-The local chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy presented the drama "Under the Southern Cross" at the Academy here Monday night. It was a great success from every standpoint. Miss Carry Leazar managed the play and she deserves much praise for her efforts in training the

amateur actors. Tuesday was the 75th anniversary of the birth of Rev. W. W. Pharr, who has made this his home the most of his life and is yet in active service in the Presbyterian ministry. The occasion was celebrated by a gathering case will go to the jury to-morrow. of his children.

tained Tuesday evening a number of cent their friends at a planting party, which | Sold by Hawley's Pharmacy. was very interesting and amusing. Miss Julia Johnston, of Davidson, won the prize.

Tuesday evening at a meeting of the board of stewards of the Methodist church the pastor's salary was raised \$100 and it was decided to begin work at once on a new \$15,000 church that the members of the church have been planning for some

MAY PROSECUTE PERKINS, TOO.

A Member of Governor's Administration Says Both Blackburn and Perkins May Receive Attention. Observer Bureau,

The Hollaman Building, Raleigh, Jan. 3. Governor Glenn devoted himself

to-day to his message to the Legislature and said there were no new developments in the case of Congressman Spencer Blackburn. The Governor wrote to his attorneys at Greenshore and Winston for their advice regarding the next steps to take. It was learned from other sources that the Governor may prosecute both Backburn and Perkins, who is his confidential clerk and press agent.

Governor Glenn will act with special care and has conferred with leading members of his administration, who Cullowhee Copper Mines Shut Down. are as indignant as he at Blackburn's charges. One of these said that he expects the prosecution of a both Blackburn and Perkins at the next court, so as absolutely to fix the authorship of the grossly false and infamous charges against the Govern-

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THONED FOR A HOME.

Special to The Observer.

Shelby, Jan, 3 .- Christmas is a seaon of joy and festivity to many a ome, and the ubiquitous fairy, Santa hold of Joseph W. Beam, at Cherry-ville, it brought no joy, for the Angel of Death, that knocks with impartial fate at the palace and the cottage gate, entered that household of months, and claimed the father at toe age of 36 years. Joseph W. Beam was an honest man who did his work faithfully and won the respect of all. How brief is the biography of all who tread the globe-"And he died!"

The father, who lived in a rented house, died of heart trouble Christmas night. At daylight the stepmother in a husky whisper told the blue-eyed, flaxen-haired, win-some girl of 6 summers, Brightie Beam, "He is dead." And she and her step-mother, with tears, guarded the corpse in the bed. The little sunbeam, Brightle, loved

her father tenderly, although a kind friend in Snelby, John Wilkins, had taken care of her for several years after her mother's death and untii her father's second marriage two

months ago. After sunrise and alone in the room, Brightie, so sweet, winsome and self-reliant, went to the 'phone and called "Central give me John Wilhome! Can't you take me to your home again?"

The sad, sudden message of 6-yearold Brightie, and ner piteous plea for love and a home, brought tears to that childless home; John-Wilkins answered her 11 miles distant: "Yes. Come and live with me again." How eloquent was this little child's

voluntary tribute of love for the home in which she was reared and grew in And Brightie Beam will soon be happy again, for no child under 10 years can comprehend the mysteries

and desolation of the grave, The above episode is true and proves that "truth is stranger than fiction.

SKEENE BOUND TO COURT.

Policeman Who Shot Negro While He Was Attempting to Escape Has Special to The Observer. Greensboro, Jan. 3.-At a hearing

to-day before Squire J. M. Wolfe Policeman R. Y. Skeene was bound over to the next term of Guilford Superior Court on the charge of aswith intent George Wilson, a negro. The warrant was sworn out by relatives of the negro, who has been in St. Leo's Hospital since the shooting. The negro was shot several weeks ago and is now recovering. Wilson had been arrested by Skeene, and had assaulted the officer and was attempting to escape when the shooting took place. The attorneys for the defendant contended that the officer did not exceed his authority, while the prosecution says the shooting was not necessary and unlawful. No bond was required of the officer.

Court adjourned this afternoon rett vs. High Point Company. The

his children.

Miss Jett and Nona Brawley enterdrives the poison from the body. A 25drived Tuesday evening a number of the box holds a week's treatment.

CHANGES AMONG BANKERS.

President sank of Chapel mut-

scial to The Observer. Durham, Jan. 3,-There have been several changes in the banking torce of une First National. Mr. J. M. Whitted, who has been with the bank for a number of years as paying tel-ler, has resigned his position and quit the bank. Art. S. A. Johnson, who was bookkeeper up to this incident, has been made teller, and Mr. J. S. Perry, who has been head keeper for Ellis, Stone & Co., has accepted a position as bookkeeper for the First National. These changes have already gone into effect.

There have been some changes in the officers of the Bank of Chapel Hill, which is partially owned by people living in this city and practically the same as the First National Bank officials here. General Julian S. Carr has been president of this bank, but at the recent meeting of the stockholders and directors he asked that some local man be placed at the head of the bank. This was done and in the election of officers Prof. J. W. Gore was made president and Mr. D. McCauley Vice president. The capital stock of the bank was increased from \$10,000 to \$15,000, the additional \$5,000 stock being taken by new stockholders. The stockholders added \$6,000 to the surplus of the

bank. Work has begun on the new Main kins, Snelby," to wnom she taus Street Methodist church. The foun-phoned: "Poor Papa's dead, I've no dation is now being excavated and the cement work will follow as soon as the dirt is removed. The plans for the structure have not been completed as yet, only the foundation plans being ready. The building committee decided to go ahead with this work and by the time the contractors have submitted their bids the foundation work will be completed. It is expected that the contract will be awarded in about 60 days. The plans are being made by a New

York firm. In the police court there were four defendants) three colored and one white, the trial of which developed that there was quite a rock battle last Sunday, the fight being in the western part of the city and between negroes and whites. There were about 20 on either side and for several minutes the rocks were made to hum in that section. So far as learned only one man was wounded. The police arrested Vesta Mayes, white, Robert Richmond, Sid Atwater and Roy Cunningham for participating in this fight. They were the leaders. All were sent to court for engaging in an affray with deadly weapons.

News of Davidson.

Special to The Observer. Davidson, Jan. 3 .- Davidsonians are interested to know that Mr. Joe White has purchased the Allison property, consisting of a dwelling house and large yard and back lots, which is located in the heart of town. The property fronts on Main street, and extends along the entire length of the short cross street leading to the de-

The price paid was \$2,500. It may not be unworthy of mention in the public prints that the horse taken out of the wreck last week apparently about dead, and which afterwards under Mr. Turbifill's care, gave pending argument in the case of Jar- promise of regaining his strength and health, died after all and left its new owner no recompense for his trouble. It appears that the animal died from ness stand. an attack of pneumonia, brought or

THE DEATH RECORD.

Elkin, Jan. 3 .- Mrs. Priscilla Hol

days ago. She was 78 years old, and all her long life had been spent in the community where she died. The funeral exercises took place at Knob's church to-day, after which her remains were interest in the community where the community was a charged in the community were interest.

Southern Rallway; Mr. William Hope jorie Roth and Anna Reece. Adams, teller of the Citizens' National Bank of Gastonia, and Misses Lyda and Rosebud Adams. Mrs. J. A. Ramsour and Mrs. W. W. Orr, of Charlotte, are sisters of the deceased; while Rev. W. M. Hunter, of Char lotte, and Dr. M. C. Hunter, of Meck lenburg county, are brothers of Mrs Adams

The funeral will be conducted tomorrow afternoon from the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church, by the pastor, Rev Dr. J. C. Galloway.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Mrs. M. M. Woodward, of Salisbury Mrs. M. M. Woodward,
Special to The Observer.
Salisbury, Jan. 2.—Mrs. M. M. Woodward, of this city, died this morning about 9 o'clock after an illness covering many months. She had been a patient sufferer in it all and held on to life with remarkable fortitude, Mrs. Woodwith remarkable fortitude, Mrs. Woodwith remarkable fortitude, Mrs. sufferer in it all and new on with remarkable fortitude. Mrs. Woodward was a Mrs. Rotan before her marriage and leaves a husband and a stepson, Mr. James Rotan, of Winston. The funeral will be held from the Baptis church to-morrow, Rev. R. E. Neigh bour officiating.

Templeton-Bass, at Mooresville. Special to The Observer.

Mooresville, Jan. 3 .- Mr. Grover L. Templeton and Miss Dilla Bass were inited in marriage Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's parents. The bride is a very popular young lady of our town, and the groom who has been living in Tennessee for who has been living in tempesses by some time, was a native of this place. Probably die.

They received many very valuable "As I had seen Vinol prescribed They received many very valuable

YOUTH GOES TO JAIL.

C L Scruggs, Alleged Forger, Who Says His Home is in Cannot Give Ball. Special to The Observer.

Greensboro, Jan. 3 .- C. L. Scruggs, alias several other names, was given tion and tonic rebuilder in the a hearing before Mayor Murphy this world, and it is such a blessing to afternoon and bound over to Superior Court on the charge of forgery. In default of the \$100 bail he went to jail. The defendant is charged with attempting to pass a bogus check. He said that his home is in Charlotte and that he comes from a good family and does not wish his name to go in print. Since coming beth M. Cremond, Trained Nurse, here he, has been with the English girls who are here as government witnesses and said this afternoon that positive guarantee to return money if he could prove by two of them that the check was given to him. He told gists.

Several conflicting stories on the witseveral conflicting stories on the wit-

DeWitt's Little Early Tharmacy.

fler, and Mrs. M. C. Sprinkle Give

silkin, Jan. 3.-Tuesday Bev. H. C. rinkle and wife gave a delightful 'At Home" reception at the parso to his congregation from 3 to 8 p. m. Light retreatments, consisting of chicken salad, calery, pickies, cake, late were served. Each guest registered his name in a roll book for fuchurch to-day, after which her remains were interred in the cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

Mrs. Laura Adams, of Gastonia.

By Bell Telephone to The Observer.

Gastonia, Jan. 3.—Mrs. Laura Adams, of Gastonia, died at her home here this evening at 6:45. She was 52 years old. Four children, two-sons and two daughters, survive. They are: Capt, Harry Adams, a conductor on the western branch of the Southern Railway; Mr. William Hops

"Nol Prossed" is Good.

Davidson Dispatch. The papers have been saying many witty things about the lateness of the trains, but a Lexington darkey hit it off better than any, when, in speak-ing of train No. 12, which was hours late one night last week; on which he doubtless expected his Christmas whiskey, he said it was "not prossed."

A Thing of Beauty.

Charity and Children. It is late to say so, but the Christ-mas edition of The Charlotte Observer was a thing of beauty.

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