Interesting Items from Various Parrs of the State.

Glimpses of Life and Progress in the Land of the Sky.

Notes Gotten for the Gazette and Selections from Latest North Carolina Newspapers.

Mr. A. C. Wisnant, a well known and much respected citizen of Upper Clevehand, died on the 25th ultimo, aged 78 years.

The 18-months old child of Ola Anderson, colored, of Caldwell county, was burned to death Monday night. The mother left the child alone in the house. The house was burned and the child

The Salisbury Sun says the increase of wages by the Southern railway does not amount to the 10 per cent. reduction of a few years ago. The raise is only two and one half per cent. in some instances and five per cent, in others,

The little son of Rev. R. L. Limerick, Charley by name, who was shot in the back during the holidays by Master John Randall with a little shot gun, is up and going about, we are glad to note. Of late days pistols and guns are dangerous without lock, stock or barrel. -Shelby Star.

Mrs. Asbury Bumgardner, of No. 11 township, gave birth to a child recently that was so unusual that it is worth noticing. The body and head of the child seemed to be perfectly formed but it had no legs at all, but just tapered off to a point. It lived only a few seconds.-Shelby Star.

Miss Carrie Plong committed suicide yesterday at Indian Creek, Lincoln county, drowning herself in three feet of water. She and a young man of the name of Crouse were engaged and were to have been married last night. Tuesday night they were at a party together and quarreled. This, it is supposed, is the cause of the young lady having taken her life.-Charlotte Observer.

mant returned last week from a visit to plas, and King was assisted by P. J. Marion county, S. C., whither they had Hart, Pink Burrell and Mitchell Stepp. pounds.-Shelby Star.

While Rev. Dr. J. M. Rose, Presbyterian pastor of Morganton, was at prayer meeting Tuesday night, a burroom, turned the key in the door of the window and escaped.

A week or so before Christmas smooth gentleman spent several days in Statesville canvassing for a paper which he said was printed in Charlotte. He sold it for 50 cents a year and secured a number of subscribers. Now several persons who subscribed for the paper and paid the cash say they have eigh Post. received but one copy and they think they have been taken in. Moral: Beware of the stranger who comes along offering something cheap.-Statesville why. On Monday two stockholders pe Landmark.

Mr. L. C. McKay writes the Landmark from Huntersville that Albert Carpenter and wife, colored, who live near there, went to the cotton field last Friday and left two small children alone in the house. The usual result followed. The house caught fire and both children burned to death. Mr. McKay writes that the older child started out out of the door while the house was burning but went back to the other one which was asleep, stayed by it, and both were burned to death.-Statesville Landmark.



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employer, J. K. Stuckey. He was a prother-in-law of Captain R. L. Durham, and his motherless and now fatherless children who are known and a while in the army. loved in Gastonia, where they lived pathy of their numerous friends in their during the holidays. He returned to sudden and most tragic sorrow. The Richmond today dispute occurred over a settlement. Mr. Sevier lived long enough to tell Mr. J. W. Lynch, of Danville, Ky. He how it was, and it is said to have been will enter upon his duties as pastor without provocation. He will be buried next Sunday. at Rutherfordton. Captain Dunham went to Spartanburg Tuesday night .-Gastonia Gazette.

Constable Mark King of Zirconia recently lodged in jail here John Collins. charged with moonshining and general disregard to law and order. The ar-Messrs. L. C. Palmer and D. B. Whis- restrest was made on United States cagone on a pleasure trip. (By the way It was an all-night job in mud and rain this is the old home place of Dr. V. J. the prisoner being found at Dan Hise's. Palmer in the long ago.) In the vicin- in Greenville county, S. C. Subsequentity of their stay a hunt was instituted, ly Collin's female consort, Delia Holwhen a large buck deer was the result lingsworth, was also arrested and for them and disbursed by a governof the effort, young Whisnant being the brought here, the technical charge lucky marksman. Its weight was 200 against her being vagrancy. She gave bond for appearance and took the train for Asheville.-Hendersonville Times.

Collector E. C. Duncan, of the internal revenue department, yesterday exglar entered the Manse and stole \$10 in emplified his love for the civil service cash and a gold chain from the desk by removing a young gentleman of this in Dr. Rose's study. Mrs. Rose came city from a clerkship in that office and Settle none; that the money disbursed down stairs while the thief was in the appointing a negro in his place. Mr. study, and hearing the noise in the Cecil Holloway is the young man who fund created from the sale of lands was removed. He secured the position belonging to these Indians, and is paid study. The burglar sprang out of the in a competitive civil service examina- to them as an annuity, and not as a tion. The salary of the clerkship is gratuity, the government acting only \$800. J. E. Shepherd is the negro who in a fiduciary capacity. gets the plum. Shepherd formerly held a position under Collector Duncan, but his color was distasteful to patrons, and as some rather unpleasant talk relative to his future came to his ears he and the collector thought it best that a successor to him should be named.-Ral-

> The bank of Guilford closed its doors Wednesday and posted a notice telling titioned for the appointment of a receiver to wind up the affairs of the in eltitution. Tuesday the directors, as stockholders, filed a like petition. The suspension causes no alarm for the reason that it is voluntary liquidation and that every depositor will be paid in full. The cause is said to date back several years when the deposits commenced falling off and the improvement has not been such as to justify keeping open the doors any longer. The deposits



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were about \$24,000. J. S. Cox has been appointed temporary receiver.

The extension of the city in all direc tions; the building up of suburban property, has made it imperative to have car service for those living in these parts. For some time a number of centlemen who are keenly alive to the city's interest, and therefore indirectly their own, have had under discussion a belt line of electric cars. Yesterday considerable portion of the monied interest of the city, met at the Piedmont building to formally discuss the building of the line. The meeting was an enthusiastic one. Every one present signified his intention of liberally subscribing to the stock. Twenty or more citizens who were not present were represented by proxy. Application will be made to the general assembly, now in session, to pass "An Act to Incorporate pany of Charlotte." Mr. Hugh W. Harris is the attorney for the new com pany.-Charlotte Observer.

#### WAKE FOREST.

Wake Forest, N. C., Jan. 6.- The students who went home for the holidays are coming in very rapidly. The work of the spring term was begun yesterday, Dr. Taylor has been confined to his room for the past few days with an attack of grip. He is now able to meet

Some new men from the western part of the state have been enrolled during the last few days. Three are from Mad-

Mr. A. P. Bryan, representative from Mr. John Sevier was shot to death in Madison county, has been on the "hill" Spartanburg Tuesday morning by his visiting some of his old schoolmates

Mr. Gaston Justice, of Rutherfordton, has entered college again after serving

Mr. H. M. Taylor, of Richmond, Va., with Captain Durham, have the sym- has been visiting at Dr. C. E. Taylor's

The church at Wake Forest has called

#### THE CHEROKEE VOTE

The senate contested election case of Cannon against Frank involves the ineresting question of the citizenship of the Cherokee Indians.

These Indians voted largely for seaator Frank, and it is conceded by the contetant that if they are qualified electors Frank's majority is legitimate. The contention of the contestant is inderstood to be that these Indians are wards of the nation, paid by the government out of a fund set apart ment agent, and that decisions of the state and federal courts sustain the contention that this fact debars them from the privilege of the suffrage.

Senator Frank, on the other hand, claims that these Indians have as the principal Indian township, in 1876, Vance received minety-nine votes and by the government is out of a trust

Viewed in the light of legal jurisprudence this question will admit of boundless professional disquisition and delightful research, and as an ethnological opportunity it can but afford pleasure to an antiquarian, a poet, or philosopher.-Raleigh Post.

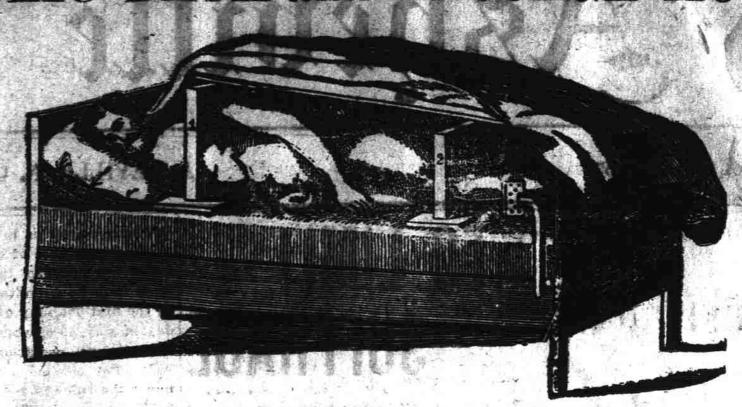
### Plants Received by Mail.

When the plants are received through he mail exercise care to keep them as resh as possible, and instead of laying them out in a row for inspection with the roots exposed to drying influences of the air, keep the box or package unopened until the soil and pots are all ready for the reception of the plants. Take the plants from the wrapping of moss about the roots one at a time, potting them as they are taken out. If the plants arrive dry and somewhat wilted, which in very warm weather funded and with careless packing sometimes occurs, immerse the plants, root and branch, in tepid water for an hour or so, to revive them, after which they may be taken out and potted. Should the plants arrive frozen or badly frosted they should at once be taken to a cold room or cellar and allowed to thaw gradually. Cut off all frozen or frosted parts, and keep in a shaded, cool place for a few days.-January Woman's Home Companion.

### OFFICERS ELECTED.

Swannanca lodge, Knights of Honor, have e ected the following officers: dirtator, J. H. Lee; vice-dictator, J. H. Boardman; assistant dictator, R. L. Pitz-patrick; reporter, R. J. Stokely; financilail reporter, W. B. Gwyn; trees uner, Dr. A. Crawford; guide, G. L. Mc-Donold; chaptain, J. W. Albright; sen-tinel, W. C. Carmicheal; guardian, J. H. Woody; representative to grand loige. J. H. Lee; alternate, G. L. McDonald; prostees, G. L. McDonold, Dr. A. Craw-ford and R. A. Long. ford and R. A. Long.

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Veal, 7 1-2@10c. Roasts, 10@20c. pound. Ham, 20c. pound. Lard, 10c. pound. Dried beef, 20c. pound. Lamb, 9@10c. pound. Sausage, 10@12 1-2c. pound. Bacon, 8@10c. pound. Steak, 10@20c. pound. Hogshead cheese, \$600c. pound. VEGETABLES.

Spuash, 5c. to 25c. Onlone, 5c. quart. Parsley, 5c. bunch. Cabbage, 5@10c. head. Celery, 5c. bunch. Radishes, 5c. bunch. Butter beans, 10c. quart. Sweet potatoes, 10@20c. peck. String beans, 5@10c. gallon. Irish potatoes, 20c. pecks Canned tomatoes, 7 1-2@10c. can. Pepper, 10c. dozen.

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