

WINDLESS RAIN. The rain, the desolate rain! Ceaseless, and solemn, and chill! How it drips on the misty pane!

THE RAVAGES OF THE BIRD. Painful Discoveries of the Department of Agriculture. The Department of Agriculture is engaged in publishing an interesting work in regard to the action of birds upon agriculture.

POPULAR SUPERSTITIONS. Cleveland Plaindealer. Dream of eggs, sign of money. Dream of snakes, sign of enemies. If you sing before breakfast you'll cry before supper.

THE GIRL WHO CAN NEVER GROW OLD. St. Louis Magazine. Heaven bless the girl at the front gate with peach-bloom on her cheeks and love-light in her eyes!

NAUGHTY EDITH. "Yes," said the parson at a tea-table, "young Jordan was out driving with Miss Popjoy the other evening and his horse ran away."

MRS. CLEVELAND'S ROOM. The Apartments at the White House Reserved for Her Use. If you should take the President's house and run a line through it from north to south, at the end of the library, you would cut off Mrs. Cleveland's part of the mansion from that of the President's.

THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC. The Department of Music is engaged in publishing an interesting work in regard to the action of music upon the human mind.

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NOTICE. JOHN A. WOOD, Raleigh, N. C.

Law School, UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA. Regular Session begins Sept. 1st, closes first Thursday in June, 1887.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL, RALEIGH, N. C. The Advent Term, the 91st semi-annual Session begins Thursday, September 9th, 1886.

Statesville College, STATESVILLE, N. C. Begins Wednesday, September 1, 1886. Closes June 1, 1887.

AUGUSTA FEMALE SEMINARY, Staunton, Va. MISS MARY J. BALDWIN, Principal. Opens 1st September, 1886.

WARSAW HIGH SCHOOL, WARSAW, N. C. W. M. & D. S. KENNEDY, PRINCIPALS.

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LITERARY DEPARTMENT. The Principal will be ably assisted in this department to the full requirement of the school.

A SPECIAL FEATURE. In connection with the school, is the Philotechnic Literary Society, one of the oldest and best established Literary Societies at any Academy or High School in North Carolina.

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