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BOARD OF EDUCATION. N. Y. Gullett, Chairman, E. G. Conyers, B. B. Massenburg, J. N. Harris, Secretary. The Superintendent will be in Louisburg on the second Thursday of February, April, July, September, October and December, and remain for three days, if necessary, for the purpose of examining applicants to teach in the public schools of Franklin county.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS. B. B. MASSENBURG, ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office in the Court House. All business put in my hands will receive prompt attention.

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HENDERSON, N. C. Will practice together in the counties of Granville, Vance, Franklin and Warren, and in all matters requiring their joint attention.

THE TEMPERANCE PROBLEM AND COMMON SENSE.

The Excise Revision Committee are preparing a bill to be reported at Albany in due time. The subject of temperance is always on the carpet. Nobody denies its importance, neither the clergyman nor the liquor dealer.

Admitting everything that has been said by both wise men and fools about temperance, the question which is dimmed into our ears like an expiring and irritating blast of trumpets, is "What can you do about it?"

Under a government whose policy is settled by voters who live on Fifth Avenue, on the side streets and in the tenement districts, by the educated and the uneducated, the religious, the unreligious and the irreligious?

All these people have equal rights whether they have good judgment or only prejudices, a high moral standard or no moral standard at all. Every man of them has a vote, and the best laws you can ever hope for—pardon me—are those which strike a fair average.

They have adopted the policy of the impossible. General Fisk's party is the Quixotic party in politics. His constituents don't believe in their own principles, or at any rate haven't the backbone to stick to them.

Now the cause, apart from the presence of soil which is a powerful fertilizer, lies in the fact that burnt clay is a good fertilizer. By baking and burning and smoke drying clay loses its adhesive quality, and so breaks up and remains crumbly and friable, and its saline deposits are set free and made soluble.

Our streets are in a wretched condition. Drive faster than a jog trot through some of them and your vehicle will groan at every joint and at last go all to pieces from sheer exhaustion. It costs piles of money to keep them in order, and yet good streets are a prime necessity.

Female Physicians.

Nine years ago the Legislature of this State recognized the propriety of the employment of competent female physicians to have the care of female patients in the State hospitals for the insane by authorizing the managers and trustees of State hospitals to employ them.

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The Public School System.

This is a subject which we consider thoroughly ripe for discussion, and one which we have some time been intending to touch upon, and no better time has ever been presented for bringing this matter before the public than now—the eve of a session of the Legislature.

Our school system since the war has attained gigantic proportions. The fund has grown from nothing in 1876 to more than \$600,000 in 1887. This immense sum is apportioned according to school population among all the children of the State, both white and black, equally.

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STATEMENT.

This shows the number of meetings held by the Commissioners of Franklin County N. C., from December the 1st, A. D. 1887, to December the 1st, A. D. 1888, and the Per Diem and Mileage received by each member of the Board during the time.

Number of meetings held, 31. C. A. NASH, Chairman. Attended 30 meetings at \$2.00 per day. Traveled 92 miles at 5 cts. per mile. Making for same \$61.00

Number of meetings held, 31. S. J. CRUDUP. Attended 29 meetings at \$2.00 per day. Traveled 636 miles at 5 cts. per mile. Making for same \$32.80

Number of meetings held, 31. R. S. FOSTER. Attended 31 meetings at \$2.00 per day. Traveled 298 miles at 5 cts. per mile. Making for same \$76.90

Number of meetings held, 31. W. B. UZZLE. Attended 30 meetings at \$2.00 per day. Traveled 320 miles at 5 cts. per mile. Making for same \$76.00

Number of meetings held, 31. B. F. BULLOCK JR., Register of Deeds and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board.

RENEWS HER YOUTH. Mrs. Phoebe Chesley, Peterson, Clay Co., Iowa, tells the following remarkable story, the truth of which is vouched for by the residents of the town: "I am 73 years old, and have been troubled with kidney complaint and lameness for many years. I could not dress myself without help. Now I am free from all pain and soreness, and am able to do all my own housework. I owe my thanks to E. C. Bitter for having renewed my youth, and removed completely all disease and pain."

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