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To the Editor of The Robesonian
From time to time during the past month I have been looking over the Robeson county part of the North Carolina census for 1790. lately published by the federal government. Although there is little in the body of the publication beyond the bare mention of names, it has been, to me, interesting and suggestive. Presuming that ordiners may be alike interested. I ask the privilege of noticing it in your columns. This was the first census ever taken in this country and like most first efforts, it has its imperfections, and these must be viewed, as far as it can be done, from the frequency with the conditions and surroundings of the path the screening to the heartrending a popular plurality against him runs upward of 1, 100,000.

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Mr. Bryan said, in the formal statement issued yesterday: "If I could regard the defeat as a purely personal one. I would consider it a blessing rather than a misfortune." The defeat was found that the swamps of 1790 were much deeper than now and, in some cases, virtually bottom-less, From all this we can appreciate how dangerous, as well in its importance to the following it in your columns. This was the families representing a population of 5,356.

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eson. It was in an era when good spelling was not fashionable and when few people, except the Scotch, knew much spent the spen

John Blue and John Blew: again notice them. he would distinguish one as farmer, another as singing mas-

ter, another as captain, and another as Esq., and so on: but performed upon any name was where he took the names Daniel McIntyre and Daniel McGirt. and telescoped them into "Daniel But these were doubtless in-

sinificant in comparison with other difficulties Mr. Dudley must have encountered. We are told in a general way in the introduction that there was opposition to his work, religious elsewhere that the story of the book of Numbers was the basis of the religious opposition. Had not Moses taken a census of the limits of Louisiana. La Salle never saw Louisiana

St. Pauls. elsewhere that the story of the not Moses taken a census of the heads of families of the children heads of tamilies, except Joshua had entered the Union less than a year previously, and had been slope. The ers. The constitution of the lies of McMillans; 16 families of taking of the census the first lican, and which Robesonians of atans, there were seven Locklear Mr. Charlie M'White, the Jew had towards the puba later day had towards carpet pla had the day had these peobaggers and scalawags. To ple had the largest families. The come visitor at this place Satur- hear of several new buildings to

one leading from Fayetteville to John Fort and Cornelius Win- cellent teacher. ton to South Carolina over what gate, 10 each. James Lowery was later the Lumberton and Harlleesville road, and it is not certain that it was there at that time, as the map is dated six years later. There was not a postoffice in the county until six years later. Harlleesville road, and it is not

It is almost certain that a majority of the poeple lived, virtually, in the woods, with no facilities for travel or commu-

Seven Years of Proof.

concerning the county I have

I have had seven years of proof that ever seen, but I resist the temp-Dr. King's New Discovery is the best medicine to take for coughs and colds and for every diseased condition of throat, chest or lungs, 'says W. V. Henry, of Panama, Mo. The world has had thirty-eight years of proof that Dr. King's New Discovery is the best remedy for coughs and colds, la grippe, asthma, hav fever, bronchitis, hemory asthma, hay fever. bronchitis, hemor-rhage of the lungs, and the early stages of consumption. Its timely use always

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and blazed cart paths from neighborhood. The Crumbs of Comfort Extracted Marriage of Miss Hennie Stephand Valuable Historical Doc-than now and it is easy to con-

County-Some Queer Opera- and had to lie out all night, see- In 1896 Mr. Bryan was defeattions Upon Names—Difficul. ing ghosts and jack-o'lanterns in ed by a popular plurality of 601,ties Encountered in Taking
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far as it can be done, from the conditions and surroundings of that day and time.

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Big Marsh and Ashpole, but is all the more interesting on that account. At that time it appears of the average man and woman of 11S years ago. We have some fancy sketches of the lords and dukes, and silk stocking gentry of the average man upon whose shoulders rested the fame of Washington and who. 70 years later stood behind the guns and fought the battles that made Lee immortal.

Guilford Dudley, of Fayette-

eept the Scotch, knew much about the traditions or history or the names of Scotland. We are not surpised, therefore, to find that Mr. Dudley misspelled all the Scotch names spelled all the Scotch flavor out of the name McEachern, and some others on the same order, and became wholly demoralized when he encountered McGeachy. The ways in which he tried to distinguish heads of different families having the same name of the same name of the same name. The major of the same name of the name of the same name of the name of the same name of the same name of the same name of the name of the same name of the same name of the name of the same name of the same name of the about the traditions or history but or avail should be a stream Taft's plurality in the State ex- Mr. W. A. Britt went to Lum-

by such suggestive marks as "Pepper Jack." "Persimmon John." "Red Duncan". "Beaver Daniel". "Wild Archie", and so on. Sometimes he would try different ways of spelling the same name as in the additional geography by aster is Mr. Bryan's own property. So far as the Democratic party is concerned the situation is very encouraging. It is rid of Mr. Bryan's perpetual candidacy.

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15 years' experience. Give me a change would take up too much space to lit has won great victories in Ohio. same name, as in the cases of would take up too much space to It has won great victories in Ohio, not say we could not have drunk To me this is an interesting Dakota, where it elected its can- drank all we had and couldn't chapter in geography, but con- didates for Governor in spite of drink any more," So he was sidering that the map was made the Republican pluralities for caught; he could not get his 112 years ago, it is not a surpris- President. It has won hardly money. It pays to think before the most inexplicable operation fore that, La Salle, before start- and Michigan, where Democratic We heard of another runaway ing on his voyage across the At- candidates for Governor nearly and tare-up-threw a man in a lantic with his Louisiana Colony. overcame Taft pluralities of 175,- branch and tore up a buggy.

> king that the source of the Mis- Compared with the situation days. sissippi river was in China. and four years ago, Democrats every- Messrs. John A. Dave, Stin-

St. Pauls. afterwards, but landed in Texas, Correspondence of The Robesonian.

ly interesting are Jefferson's licans worked faithfully.

heads of families, except Joshua and Caleb, died before reaching in the northwest, and Daniel Townsend still on the sick list. Canaan? Then North Carolina Webster's account of the Rocky Mr. Stedman McCormack went Mountain Plateau and Pacific to Dr. Highsmith's Hospital last week for treatment. Hope he There were 16 different fami- will soon recover.

new government provided for McNeills: 14 of the McLeans: 10 turned home from Davidson Colof the Campbells; 8 of the Buies; 5 Currys, 7 McSwains, 6 McLeods.

Mr. Reard of Lumber Br

was the largest slaveholder among the Croatans and he had annual and a look a look and a look home Tuesday to enter school, of Hope Mills. The factory here is going up right fast; it is about two thirds

completed. impresses me as the most inter- the little marsh.

esting and in many respects the St. Pauls is beginning to look How is Your Digestion?

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Guilford Dudley, of Fayette- few miles further on it entered an slump varying from hundreds ville, took this census in Rob- Raft swamp, and four or five to many thousands.

We hear there is going to be another wedding soon—yes, two

families having the same name ing Lumber river, we find Ash-shows that he was not on to the Scotch method of differentiating pole swamp, across the line from by such suggestive marks as start to finish. Mr. Dudley gave Indiana, Minnesota, and North more if she had given it. We

procured a letter of introduction 000 and 100,000. It gains a Unit- There was preaching twice from Louis XIV to the Kahn of ed States Senator in Indiana. here yesterday. Rev. Willie Tartary. He had found the mouth of the Mississippi river a year or two previously, and claim-sloughed off. Democratic Gov-pastor preached in the evening. ed all the county drained by it ernors in Republican States have There will be preaching twice for the grand monarch. La Salle a rare opportunity to demonstrate each month the coming year, had convinced himself and his their capacity for leadership, on the second and fourth Sun-

are not given, but we learn the case, it would become neces- and new courage.

A. Dave, Stinceon Powell and Fred Yates, of
orrum, attended preaching here Orrum, attended preaching here Sunday. "Happy Jack."
Mt. Eliam, N. C., Nov. 9, '08.

Ex-Judge Spencer B. Adams. Republican State chairman, has that long journey through the contains his bones. Equal- here last Tuesday. The Republican State chairman, has announced that he will not be a wilderness, and had not all the ly interesting are lefforenced licens worked feithfully. Sorry to report Mr. William 1906. It is predicted that he will be recognized in the Taft administration with a responsible and lucrative office.

Mr. John W. Kern, defeated Democratic candidate for Vice Mr. Shaw McEachern has re- President, has announced that he is a candidate for United States Senator from Indiana to succeed step in a scheme for more tax-ation? Mr. Dudley, therefore, and so on. Of the families other than Scotch, very few were of than Scotch, very few were of the coming Indiana Legislature will be Democratic on joint ballot by Mr. Beard, of Lumber Bridge, James A. Hemenway. The inthe same name. Among the Croa majority of 12.

has rented his new store to Mr. Mr. Cliff Rabon and wife are Hesters, of Bladen county, who will open up business soon. only travelled public road laid down on the map which accompanies the publication was the panies the publication was the publi Messrs. Graham Powers and Ed.

Miss Cora Powers, who has There will be preaching here St. Pauls, N. C., Nov. 9, 1908.

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