## THE SEMI-WEEKLY ROBESONIAN

#### Closing of the Proctorsville Col Piney Grove, Colored, School Closing. ored School.

Owing to the measles, whoop- Special to The Robesonian ing cough and a few cases of Maxton, R. F. D., Apr. 19-smallpox, the committee ordered The Piney Grove colored school the school to close on the 12th closed today, after a four-months' inst. On that day the school session taught by Prof. G, W. was called to order at 9 a. m. Bryant of Selma and Emma Patpupils asked leave to decorate been the most prosperous school the house, which was done that we have had for years. The who should stand longest and He takes all necessary pains with

After devotional exercises the terson of Laurinburg. This has promptly and nicely. After children learned more in two being called to order again a months than in the whole term spelling contest was decided, a here-to-fore. Prof. Bryant is the prize to be awarded to the pupil best teacher we have ever had. spell the most words. The prize the pupils and sees that they was won by Odessa Floyd, one look well to the things that will of L. T. Floyd's daughters, of make them honest and useful the fifth grade. The class boys and girls. He is the man

spelled about one hour. At re-cess the boys played a game of Our closing today consisted of ball, which they seemed to en- recitations, declamations, etc. joy. After being called together Among the greater speakers of again the friends were enter- today was Rev. Mr. Wells of tained by the song. "Early in the Morning Send Me", which was sung by the school. Open-parents witnessed the program. ing recitation, by Wm. Stephens; Prof. Bryant is receiving hearty "Be Quiet at Home." by Lucy hand-shakes, as he will leave to-Graham: "Go to School and be morrow. We are all begging Careful to Learn," by Zulu Stephens: "A Bargain by two Lovers to Marry," by Jasper Sikes: "Come Join the Army," committee will get him next sung by the school; "When I'm term. a Man I Mean to Be," by 12

## Federal Aid for Colleges.

by Fannie Williams; "Call the Reapers," by 5th and 6th grades; and other recitations by Carolina, has Hon. A. F. Lever, of South Carolina, has introduced a bill in Congress, providing for exten-The parents seemed well sion work of the agricultural colpleased at the way the school leges, by Federal aid. He prowas managed this year. The posee that each community shall committee stated that altogether have the benefit of instruction the average was not so large as and demonstration in agriculture usual they had a better school this and domestic economics. The year than they have had for sevbill calls for an appropriation of eral years. An address to the \$10,000 for each State which will children by Wright Pitman. We accept the responsibility of this are better equipped for an educaextension work in connection with tion now than our forefathers its agricultural and mechanical were in the dark days of fifties. colleges. It provides for further The Caucasian race is looking appropriations of \$300,000,000 a forward and trying to make year for each succeeding year ungood citizens of the colored race til the gross expenditure shall by educating them when they amount to \$3,000,000 annually. will accept. Our schools seem to It seems that such work would be crowded in January and Febexercise an important influence ruary; after this time they seem on the general farming work of to go back to the farms and althe country. Senator Page, of low the attendance to fall below New Hampshire, has also introthe average on account of so duced a bill in the Senate for much cotton being planted. This similar extension work, and in system of cotton planting seems addition for vocational schools in to be an injury to the school sysindustrial pursuits for actual races. Compulsory school law working boys and girls. tem in Robeson county with both

for a few years would help considerable. Let us give everything its own proper time-plant have been killed, at least a score widespread discussion of the pos- said deceased to exhibit them to the



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The "change of life" is a most critical period in a woman's existence, and the anxiety felt by women as it draws near is not without reason.

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Washington, April 24-The visit of William J. Bryan to Washington yesterday and his conferences with the various party leaders here, particularly in the Carolina, this is to notify all persons Three persons are known to Senate, was followed today by having claims against the estate of



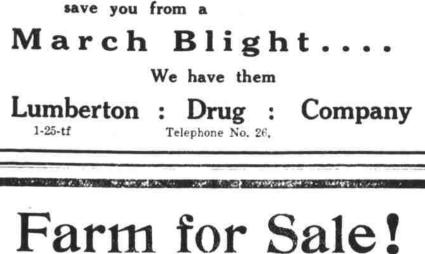
TO PROVE OUR CLAIMS.

St. Anne, Ill.-"I was passing through the change of life and I was a perfect wreck from female troubles. I had a displacement and bearing down pains, weak fainting spells, dizziness, then numb and cold feelings. Sometimes my feet and limbs were swollen. I was irregular and had so much backache and headache, was nervous, irritable and was despondent. Sometimes my appetite was good but more often it was not. My kidneys troubled me at times and I could walk only a short distance.

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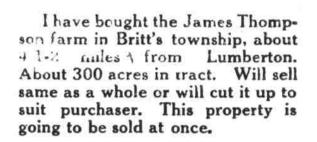
## Administrator's Notice

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## C. M. Barker, Lumberton, N. C.



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until planting time again. Let

boys; "Lecture on Matrimony,"

all the pupils.

us plant less cotton, more grain, raise more hogs, chickens and Pennington Gap, Va., was so bothered other stock; then we can live at with kidney and bladder trouble that home and board at the same he could not attend to business. He place, as the saying is.

other surviving members of the family. He was a great advo-turbed at night, but sleep till morning." cate of education and hero of, For sale by all dealers. North Carolina, and he was much loved not only by his own race but by every one who knew him.

The patrons and friends seemed to enjoy the exercises very much and remarks were made that the children seemed to improve very much, though hindered by different causes, such as changes of books and diseases such as whooping cough and measles. Owing to the scarcity and demand we were compelled to use a few of the old books. Some of the money was paid by the patrons and kept by the teachers for nearly a month, when the books could not be obtained and finally sent back to the parents. The pupils seemed not to like the Fourth reader and E geography at first but at last liked them better than they did the old ones. When the school opened and was graded we had some very poor readers of the 4th grade but by continual practice day by day the 4th grade become nearly as good as the 5th. The sudden close of the school seems to bring about grief among the children.

Erastus Humphrey Principal

The House of Congress Thursday empowered its banking and currency committee to make a sweeping investigation of the financial interests of the country; their relations to industrial transportation and banking interests; and the extent to which their inter-relations may constitute a "money trust."

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Things never look bright to one with "the blues. Ten to one the trouble is a sluggish liver, filling the system with bilious poison, that Dr. King's New Life Pills would expel. Try them, Let the joy of better feelings end "the blues." Best for stomach, liver and Signature of Chart H. Telter kidneys. 25 cents. All druggists.

our farms in the spring, work injured and several farm houses sibility that the distinguished undersigned on or before the 1st day of them in the summer, gather and village dwellings were Nebraskan might again be the them in the fall, then send our descent through the counties of Democratic candidate for Presi- in bar of their recovery. All persons children to school in the winter do swept through the counties of dent. Oklahoma and Logan, Okla.

> W. T. Gilly, a prominent dealer in says, "I had severe pains in my back

and kidneys and had to get up ten to We extend our sympathy to fifteen times each night. Saw Foley ex-Gov. Aycock's widow and the Kidney Pills advertised and bought

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## The Woman's Tonic

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