

ROBESON. Returns given in full in another

place. CUMBERLAND. Majority for Amendments 155, with Carver's Creek township to hear from. Five of the eight townships

have elected Conservative officers. HARNETT. Johnsonville, Harnett county, 60

for Amendments, none against. WAYNE.

Wayne county gives about 250 majority for the Amendments. EDGECOMBE.

The vote (average) stands, For Amendments, 658; Against, 774. Majority, 116 Against. 2 (Re ) (0 ecote CRAVEN.

From returns in, the majority Against Amendments' will, probably reach 1,000. LENOIR.

Kinston Township gives an average majority for the Amendments of 437. being more than two-thirds of the total vote. Township officers all Republicans, as Conservatives had no candidates. PAMLICO.

Conservative ticket for Township officers in the different townships were very generally elected. The county school tax bill was defeated. MECKLENBURG.

Average majority-For Amendments 1620. Fence law-Majority against 728.

### CABARRUS.

Hardly any opposition to Amendments. Thought Fence Law carried

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Overwhelming majority for Amend ments. The highest vote in any township against was 6, excepting the 4th Amendment which seems not to have been understood in many counties. It is one of the most equitable of the Amendments. Conservative officers generally elected.

#### FAYETTEVILLE INDEPENDENT LIGHT INFANTRY.

We have received an invitation from the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry to attend the eightieth anniversary celebration of that gallant old company on the 23d inst. It was as a high private in the "Independent" that we displayed that Spartan co

charge of his duty, was found guilty and required to pay a fine of \$50. Appealed to the Superior Court.

> Colored Odd Fellows' Celebration. The colored Odd 'Fellows' of this city elebrated their anniversary vesterday. The parade through the streets was in fine style. The ranks were full, the regalias handsome and the procession made a very fine and imposing appearance. They were accompanied by the Rose Bud Band, 'under the leadership of Allen Evans, which discoursed excellent music. The address appropriate to the occasion

was delivered at St. Stephen's Church by P. N. G. Anthony Maultsby.

The festivities were closed by a grand levee and soirce at City Hall at night, which was largely attended and, we learn, passed off very pleasantly.

# Tax-Payers' Meeting. The tax-payers' meeting in Lincoln town-

hip on last Saturday was largely attended Four Townships were largely represented There is a general uprising of the people against the oppression of existing assess ments in this county. We hope to publish the proceedings to-morrow. We learn that the action taken was high and bold, and a spirit of harmony and resistance, irrespective of party or color, prevailed. The next meet ing, we learn, will be held at Point Caswell on next Saturday.

### On the Shoals.

The steamer Rebecca Clyde, Capt. Childs. which sailed from this port on Saturday last for Baltimore, got aground on what is somed. known as the Horse-Shoe Shoals, between

New Inlet and the Light House on Satur day evening, about 8 o'clock. . The water was very low at the time and as the steamer Waccamaw was endeavoring to assist her off she also stuck fast. They both came off, however, with the flood tide and proceeded to Smithville. No damage of consequence

Accident. After the large and enthusiastic tax-pay ers' meeting at the stores of Bell & Bivens. in Lincoln Township, on Saturday last had adjourned, and after the people had left

and gone home, Mr. G. L. Robinson, of Rocky Point, was dangerously injured in a fight between himself and some other party unknown to us. ' He is lying in a very critical condition. He was badly beat up, and his brain badly injured. He has many friends who manifest much concern in the result. He has proper medical attendance slight. The thunder and lightning was very and we hope will recover.

For Europe.

We learn that Silas N. Martin, Esq. who has been absent at the North for some weeks for the benefit of his health, is expected to leave for Europe on the 23rd inst. the expected relief not having been experienced at the watering places and other health-resorts he has visited. He will not return home in the meantime. BRO OF BUIL

Nixon; School Committee, Jno. Alexander, V. Everett, Jasper Nixon.

CAPE FEAR-Magistrates, H. E. Scott, M. Ward: Clerk, Samuel Robinson; Constable, Wm. Moore; School Committee-H. E. Scott, Isaac Nixon, Wright Dixon. HOLDEN-Magistrates, G. F. Jordan, W.

T. Bannerman; Clerk, Jas. H. Moore: Constable, Lewis Nixon; School Committee, S. P. Hand, Rodner Wells, T. Lillington. ROCKY POINT-Magistrates, J. B. Mc-Pherson, A. Gamberg; Clerk, Geo. Hill; Constable, Geo. Carr; School Committee, A. Gamberg, W. Moore and Mathew Carr.

COLUMBIA-Magistrates-Geo. W. Bordeaux, C. M. Galloway; Clerk, R. W. Moore; Constable, C. Z. Costin; School Committee, R. H. Murphy, Henry Moore and Archibald Walker.

CASWELL-Magistrates, Jas. Thompson, Jas. J. Pridgen: Clerk, Henry Hall; Con stable, A. V. Horrell; School Committee, J W. Colvin, Cubit Berry and Alonzo Brown. UNION-Magistrates, S. C. Fillyaw, Rufus Garriss; Clerk, Jno. D. Powers; Constable W. L. Rivenbark; School Committee, Edward Garriss, Jno. W. Malpass, I. H. Alderman.

HOLLY-Magistrates, Thomas Williams Jno. L. Marshburn; Clerk, Jno. W. Rowe: Constable, James Lamb; School Committee, Danl. Shaw, Geo. T. Carum, R. P. Williams. LINCOLN-Magistrates, W. J. Bivens, Saml. C. Larkins, A. J. McIntyre; Clerk, H. S. Moore; School Committee-F. H. Bell, Cudjoe Larkins and I. H. Brown.

The Bud Plucked Ere it Had Blos-

Willie, a liittle son of Mr. S. W. Vick. of this city, died suddenly on Sunday. He was taken sick about 10 o'clock and died the same night. He was a very interest ing child and his death will be a severe blow to the afflicted family. The members of Front Street M. H

Sunday School are requested to meet a the Church this morning at half-past o'clock for the purpose of attending the funeral. Cars will be engaged to take the smaller children to the Cemetery.

13 To be and it of the second of the second of the Heavy Bain Storm. The heaviest rain storm of the season occurred on the line of the Carolina Central Railroad on Sunday. At Lumberton and Lilesville it was particularly severe, much damage having been done to the streets of the former place. The damage to crops is



hog of what is known as the Big Guinea Essex breed which measures seven feet and a fraction in length and five feet round the body, and is only about eighteen months. old. The animal was partially raised at Rocky Point in this county and is still. growing rapidly.

plosion in the adjoining house which sounded like the discharge of a pistol, which was immediately followed by a scream from a female voice. His first impression was that a woman had been shot, but upon glancing in the direction from which the sound proceeded he saw the form of a woman emerge from the kitchen completely enveloped in flames from the waste upward. She ran to a side door of the house in front, which was closed in her face, upon which she made an effort to effect an entrance into the door leading into the hall. but that was also closed upon her, the flames in the meantime rising far above her head and threatening her with inevitable destruction. Fortunately, as she met with the last repulse, she came upon a bucket filled with water. standing in the middle of the riazza, when

she had the presence of mind to commence a vigorous application of it to her body. In the meantime (the incidents having trans pired in much less time than we have taken to relate them), Mr. Mahn had jumped the intervening fence and reached the unfortunate woman just as she had got to the water and with his assistance, the fire was soon extinguished. Mr. M.'s attention was

next directed to the kitchen, to the papered walls of which the fire was rapidly com municating. With the assistance of some of the neighbors who had arrived, there being plenty of water, the fire was soon brought under control and finally subdued. The accident was caused by an attempt on the part of the woman to start a fire by pouring kerosene from the can on a parcel of kindling wood. Upon the first attempt it seems that the fire did not burn quick enough to suit her, when she tried another application of the oil, when the flame suddenly shot up and communicated to the oil were arrested, and I depart ........ in the can, when the explosion took place with the result stated. The can was after

wards found blown almost to atoms. 1 The woman was badly injured about the breast, shoulders and arms. Her husband (Hardy Johnson,) who is employed a Messrs. Colville & Co's. Mills, was imme diately sent for and he procured the neces sary medical assistance. Her injuries, though very severe, are not believed to be of a fatal character.

This is but another warning added to those which are almost of daily occurrence of the accidents of careless use of kerosene

Cosh about the Southern >> The Street Hallway. The Street Railway Company are now having their track extended in the direc tion of Hilton by the way of Fourth street, as well as to Union Depot. The grading has already been completed 'beyond Swan street in that direction, and the sills are

being placed in positon. It is the intention of the Company to extend the road to the bridge over the Carolina Central road, about two hundred yards from Hilton, which will be a source of great convenience to persons visiting that favorite

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Mr. Butler, of Bladen. Some week or two since we announced

the fact, as it had been reported to us, that Messrs, Needham Bryant and son, of Bladen county, had been arrested on suspicion of having committed the assault upon Mr. John Butler, near Bladenboro' and the subsequent robbery of that gentleman, an account of which we published shortly after the occurrence. The parties had a preliminary examination before a Justice of the Peace, and were discharged for want of evidence to implicate them n the affair, and this fact we also gave publicity to through our columns. resterday we received a letter from Mr. Needham Bryant, explanatory of the matter and exonerating himself and son, the publication of which: we think is rendered unnecessary by the very fact of the parties to their arrest having failed to make a case against them, which we have already stated. In justice to them, however, we give the evidence as detailed in substance by Mr. Bryant as follows # "The principal witnesses were Dr. Robinson, Col. John McDaniel and Mr. George Tart. Dr. R. testified that Mr. Butler told him on Sunday morning after the robbery on Saturday night that he did not know who did it; that it all seemed like a filash to him. Col. McDaniel testified to about the same. Mr. Tart testified that Mr. Butler told him two days afterwards that it was two negroes that saw the money paid to him. To conclude," in the words of Mr. Bryant, "Mr. Butler is quite an old man, totally blind in one eye and can see but very little with the other, and in truth has no idea who committed the deed." It should be stated that it was upon the repre sentations of Mr. B. that the Messrs. Bryant

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PERSONAL. —We were pleased to receive a call, du-ring the past week, from Dr. Arza's traveler, who was in our town devoting his time and attention to the preparations of the great medicine man. This call has become a pleasant annual to us from the able and reliable business character of the ac-complished gentleman whom this firm send out to transact their business. No house is better known or valued by the press for fis promptness in settle-ment than the well established and popular J. C. Argn & Co., Lowell, Mass., whose medicines have become a household necessity, and won the confi-dence and praise of all. Our own acquaintance with them has extended over a series of years, and we

year ago, Mr. Abiel Deal, an old man of over one hundred years, professed religion but has been unable to be baptized accord-MARASCHING, &c., &c. Finest stock of OLD WINES, BRANDIES and LIQUORS in the city. CHAS. D. MYERS & CO., ang10 -tr 7 North Front street. ing to his faith until last Sunday, when he was carried in a chair from his residence, in this county 3 miles below Fayetteville, near Spring Hill, to a creek several hunanglo -tf dred yards distant and there immersed by CORN ! BACON ! SYRUP ! MOLASSES the Rev. E. K. Statzer of this town. Just Received, - Statesville Intelligencer: John J. Snider recently died at the poor house 20.000 BUSHELS Mixed and White CORN. in this county at the advanced sge of one hundred and six years. It is said that he 25,000 lbs, Smoked C. R. SIDES, was a German by birth, and served with Blucher on the immortal battle field of Waterloo. It is also said in connection with his history, that he served in the Revolutionary war of '76, between this country and Great Britain.

DIED.

VICK.-On Sunday night, at 12 o'clock, Angust 10th, William Reynolds, only son of Samuel W, and Dora V. Vick; aged 5 years, 6 months and 26 days. The funeral will take place from the residence of his parents on Front, near Red Cross street, at 10 o'clock A. M. this day. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. O for the death of those Who slumber in the Lord, O be like his, our last repose, Like his our last reward.

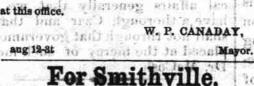
> With us his name shall live Through long succeeding years, Embalmed with all our hearts can give, - Our praises and our tears,

WILKINSON.-August 10th, 1973, at Wilming-ton, N. C., Mrs. Mary Leuisa Wilkinson, wife of Jao. E. Wilkinson, Esq., aged 15 years, 10 months and 8 days.

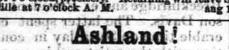


City of Wilmington, August 11TH, 1878. DROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY office until Friday 12 o'clock M., 15th instant, for

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