SHANTY CAR BURNED .- A shanty car, at the depot of the Wilmington, Char-lotte & Rutherford Railroad, in this city, was burned on Christmas morning, before It was occupied by a number of hands, and it must have caught through their carelessness/ probably su-perioduced by two much Christmas,

The weather, on yesterday and Wednesday, says the Journal of the 27th, was very severe along the line of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Railmington, Charlotte and Rutherfold Rall-road. It was intensely cold everywhere, with plenty of ice and sleet from Wil-mington to Lumberton, and snow from Lumberton to the head of the road.

PLAYING WITH PIREARMS.—The Wilmington Journal of the 27th says: A white lad by the name of Benjamin Tur-lington, lost several fingers from his left hand yesterday morning, by the prema ture discharge of his pist at. He was engaged in loading it at the time, when it exploded with the above r suit. The wounded had was taken to his home and the injured hand received prompt surgi-

ACCIDENTAL DEATH.-We learn that a man by the name of Robert S. Hughes, a man by the name of Robert S. Hughes, formerly of Manchester, Virginia, but for some time past employed as telegraph repairer on the lines between this city and Columbia, was killed on Monday night, near Mars Bluff. The accounts of his death are scant and conflicting, some having it that he was on the track and was run over and killed, and others that he fell and broke his neck in attempting to jump from the train while in motion. This last supposition is more generally thought to be correct. The accident occurred about two miles this side of Mars Bluff, at which place deceased resided, with his wife, at the time of his death He was only about 35 or 40 years of age.— Wilmington Journal 27th.

HON, JOHN W. NORWOOD .- We had the pleasure of seeing this venerable gentle man and distinguished lawyer in our city on yesterday.

Mr. Norwood now represents the county

of Orange in the Senate of North Caro lina, and performs the labors incident to the position with a zeal and order and fi lelity that many younger men might well emulate.

We are glad that it has pleased him to spend the Christmas Holidays with u, id can assure him that nowhere would be find a more cordial welcome than in the

city of Wilmington,
A gentleman of the old school and a lawyer well known to tame in those better J W Todd, con. days when the Bar of the State would have done honor to any age and to any country. Mr. Norwood briogs up to us his life-long friend and associate, Hon. Hugh Waddell, of late years a resident of our city. North Carolina may well be yound of such gentlemen as Hogh Wad. proud of such gentlemen as Hogh Waddell and John W. Norwood. — Wilmington

VIRGINIA ITEMS.

Sleigh riding in Richmond, Va., costs but ten dollars per hour.

The James river at Richmond, was frozen in a solid sheet from shore to shore on Thursday last. The heavy weather on the coast has

crowded an unusually large number of vessels into Norfolk harbor. The keaviest snow of the season, at Richmond, fell on Wednesday last. The

fall commenced in the morning and lasted

Spiked heel taps, woolen list and yarn socks are all the go in Norfolk to avoid the slips and slidings incident to the WHOLESOME DREAD OF SMALLPOX.-

The Richm nd (VII.) tee on Health have appointed twelve leading physicians of that city as public vaccinators. Right.

The splendid steamship Hibernia, Capt Watts, of the Allen Line, arrived at Nor-folk, on Thursday, at noon, from Liverpool, with twenty passengers good freight list. Of the passeng were from England, 2 from France and 3 from

Germany. RUFFIANISM .- Two drunken rough made an assault on an unprotected white female on Gosport Bridge, near Jone's Bridge, on Wednesday afternoon, and were proceeding to choke the unfortunate woman, when a half grown lad, who saw the brutal transaction, raised an outery and caused the ruffians to disappear over an adjoining frace and scamper off. --

ACCIDENT TO AN EDITOR -A. P. Ben nett, Esq , editor of the Richmond Enquirer, started yesterday morning from his residence to go to his office. When on Ninth street near the Valentine House, he slipped on the treacherous snow and fell heavily to the pavement, dislocating his right wrist. He was able to reach home without assistance, although suffering greatly. Dr. Peterfield Trent was promptly by called in and reduced the dislocation. Mr. Bennett is undergoing intense pain from his injury, but it is hoped that he will be out and able to resume his duties

In a few days .- Whig 27th. NEW STEAMER FOR TAYLOR'S ROANORE RIVER LINE.—Messrs, Wm. 1. Hardy Kader Biggs and Capt. Babel Taylor have put a fine new steamer on the Roanoke river line. The vessel is called the Lucy after the estimable wife of Kader Biggs. Esq., and is constructed with the n modern improvements. Her length is 110 feet; breadth of beam 20 feet; depth of hold 7 feet; carrying capacity 68 feet from bulkhead to bulkhead cylen der 22 inches diameter and 23 inches in the cargo hold; engine stroke; boiler 15 feet long, 6 1 2 feet diameter; draws when unloaded 9 inches forward and 5 feet aft. The Lucy is commanded by Captain Babei Taylor and was to bye made her trial trip from Norfolk up the Rouncke on Saturday last. Long live

DRAD.—Miss Mattle Baker, who was so badly burned on the day before Christmas, died of her injuries Christmas night. Miss Baker was conscious at times, and during one of those times she stated to the anxious friends a he gathered around her bedside that she had finished writing the better of the state of letter, and was standing with her back towards the grate, but was so much alarmed by the light of the fire creeping up upon her dress that she could scarcely move, until with a sudden impulse she rushed into the hall. The shock from the rushed into the hall. The shock from the extensive surface burned was so great that she never rallied, and about half past six o'clock Christmas evening death bore her away from her family, who are plunged in the deepest grief at this sad visitation of Providence. She was betrothed t - a most worthy young gentlemen of this city, and their auptishs were soon to be consummated. Physical Williams of the consummated of the consumma THE STATE SENATE.

SENATE FOR 1872. 1st District. Carrituck, Camden, Pasquotank, Hertford, Gates, Chowan, Per quimans, 2; Jno, L. Chamberlain, C. W. Jr., Reps.
2nd. Tyrrell, Washington, Martin,
Dare, Beaufort and Hyde, 2; J. B. Res

pass, H/E. Stilley, reps.

| Brd. | Northampton and Bertie, 1; Hol. 1 way, rep.
4th. Halifax, 1; Henry Eppes, * rep.
5th. Edgecombe, 1; Alexander Mc

Cabe, rep.
6th. Pitt, 1; Jacob McCotter, rep.
7th. Wilson, Nash and Franklin, 2;
Jno. W. Durham, Wm. K. Davis, cons. 8th. Craven, 1; A. S./Seymour, rep. 9th. Jones, Onslow and Carteret, 1

J. G. Scott, con. 10th. Wayne and Duplin, 2; Wm. A Allen, Lott W. Humphrey, cons. 11 Lenoir and Green, 1; Richard W. King, rep. 12th. New Hanover, 1; Geo, L. Mab-

son,* rep. 13th, Brunswick and Bladen, I; Hill, 14th. San paon, 1; Dr. C. Tate Mur phy, con. // 15th. Columbus and Robeson, 1; Juo.

W. Ellis, con. Cumberland and Harnett, 1 16th. Wm. C. Troy, con. 17th. Johnson, 1; William H. Avera 18th. Wake, 1; James H. Harris,

19th. Warren, 1; John A. Hyman, rep. 20th. Person, Caswell and Orange, 2; John W. Norwood, John W. Cunningham,

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24th. Alamance and Guilford, 2; Jas T. Morehead, Jr., W. J. Murray, cons. 25th. Randolph and Moore, 1; Dr. J. M. Worth, con. 26th. Richmond and Montgomery, 1;

R T Long, rep. 27th. Anson and Union, 1; C M T Mc 28th, Cabarrus and Stanly, 1; J C Barnhardt, con. 29th. Mecklenburg, 1; R P Waring,

30th, Rowan and Davie, 1; Charles Price, con. 31st. Davidson, 1; John T. Creamer

32d. Stokes and Forsythe, 1; John M Stafford, con. 33d. Surry and Yadkin, 1; A C Cowles, 34th, Iredell, Wilkes and Alexander, 2; Thomas A Nicholson, Phineas Horton,

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Walker, rep. 40th. Buncombe and Madison, 1; Jas H. Merrimon, con.
41st. Haywood, Henderson and Transylvania, 1; W. P. Welch, con.
42d. Jackson, Swain, Macon, Cherokee, Clay, und Graham, 1; Dr. W. L. Love,

Those marked * are colored. Senators from the following districts are re-elected : 4th. 6th, Mr. Allen in the 10th, 11th, 14th, 16th, 19th, 23d, 25th, 26th, 33d, Mr. Flemming in the 36th, 40th, 42d. Total

14.
The following were members of the last House of Representatives Messrs. Cham-beriain, Dunham, Scott, Mubson, Powell, McCauley, Waring, Nicholson, Welch,

Conservatives 32. Republicans 18. Con servative majority 14. HOUSE OF REPRESENT ATIVES. Alamance, Jesse Gaunt, con, Alleghany, A. M. Bryan, detr. Anson, Col. R. T. Bennett, con.

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Dr. Alex B. Hawkins.

It appearing to the Court that Dr. Alexander B. Hawkins besides beyond the limits of this Btate, to wit in the city of Tallahassee, in the county of Lore, in the State of Florida. It is therefore ordered that publication be made for six weeks, once a week in the Raleigh Szstiszi, notifying the defendant of the thing of this complaint, and that unless he appear in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for the county of Granville, in the State of North Carolina on the second Monday in January, A. D., 1873, and answer or demur to said complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and heard experies to him.

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