And it sings to my soul in a music That earth is not blessed to hear. Open the little window, wife, Then come and sit by my side; We'll wait God's sweet flood water To take me out with the tide.

I see the harbor bar, wife, And my dear little boat in the bay; But who shall be able to guide her When her master has passed away?

I know that helm so trusty, Will answer no other hand As it answered mine, when I knew, wife,

You were waiting for me on the

Our boys are all before us, wife, Wee Jack is beneath the wave, And blue-eyed Freddie sleeps, wife, In you new-bowered grave, Where the early daises cluster Around his baby bed, And the thrush sits chanting softer

There's a chill runs through our hearts, wife,

When the harbor-bar doth moan; But a darker grief will be yours, wife,

When you're left in the cot alone; But a few more flows of the sea, wife And a few more ebbs of the tide.

Again to your old man's side.

The red sun if low in the west, wife, And the tide sinks down with the sun; We will part with each other in

love, wife, For sweetly our lives have run. Give me your hand, my own love, As you gave it in days of yore; We will clasp them, ne'er to be sun

dered, When we meet on the far-off shore!

Humorous.

A Texas banking firm at Fall River has suspended. The rumor is that a cattle drover passed a bad ten dollar bill on them.

"Mother, I'm afraid a fever would go hard with me," "Why, my son ?" "Because, you know, mother, I'm so small there would not be room for it turn."

A rural editor, wishing to be severe upon an exchange, remarks: "The subscriber of the --- in this place tried, a few days ago, to carry home some lard in a copy of that paper; but, on reaching home found that the concentrated lie had changed it to soap."

don't forget to send the dressmaker around so that I can have my dress finished before Sunday sure." Hushand-"Now, Sarah, there is no fret about that dress; guess the heavens week." Wife-" John! you know | miles before they get to a station, that next Sunday is communion or else the train would run by beand I have not a single dress but fore the bell could be heard! that I have worn to communion at | Wonderful, ain't it? I suppose least twice. They'll all know me by the clothes I wear before a great

"Ish der some ledder here for me?" inquired a German at the general delivery window of the post office. "None," was the reply. "Vhell, dot ish queer," he continued, "my neighbor gets sometimes dree ledders in one day, and I gets none. I bays more daxes as he does, und I haf never got one ledder yet."

A Michigan paper says: "A dentist not a hundred miles from this office recently suspended work on a young lady's teeth for a moment and kissed her. The next day he paid the girl's father three hundred dollars, though, as he said, "it was like pulling teeth to hand over the money."

"Please, sir," said a boy with two bottles, to a grocer, "mother wants a cent's worth of your best yeast." "Well, which bottle will you have it in ?" "She wants it in both; and won't you put corks in 'em, and send 'em home, as I'm going t'other way, and mother says she hain't got no cent, but you can charge it."

At an auction of household goods near New London, recently (says Ralls Co., Record,) a woman had made a bid on a gallon crock which was worth about 10 cents, a boy (interested in the sale) slipped around to another woman and whispered "You see that woman with

wart above her eye?" " Yes."

" Well, she says no woman with bow-legs can buy anything at this

The bow-legged woman elbowed her way into the crowd, and put the price of the crock up to 30 cents, and as it was "knocked down," to her, she remarked:

I I may be bow-legged, but no wart-eyed woman can bluff me." Two of our prominent citizens-

know to be so. a doctor and a dry goods man-happened to go to Chicago on the same !

train one day. When the train stopped at Clinton Junction, a gentleman and his wife got aboard. The dry goods man shook hands and spoke to them, when the doctor did the same. After being seated the doctor asked the dry goods man who they were. He was told, and the physician exclaimed:

"Oh! yes, now I remember. have prescribed for him and his family a number of times."

The merchant answered, should think you would know them,

"Well," replied the physician, 'I prescribe for a great many whom I never see again."

"Yes, yes," rejoined the dry goods man, "and no one else ever sees them again either."

The doctor had no more to say. Here is an anecdote told me by one minister about another:

"A certain Presiding Elder, who was noted for being seldom up to time, seldom very animated, and seldom very brief, once kept a congregation waiting a long time for had come he preached them a very In you tree that shades the dead. the text, "Feed my lambs."

"He had not yet finished when that original old minister, known as "Camp-meeting John," rose in a quick oven until done. Excelfrom a seat in the congregation and

"Brother, I have had some exand I have found that the follow- and let it boil gently, carefully Then God's sweet flood shall bring | ing rules are absolutely essential to | skimming; when done lift it up them food in season; second, give ordinary-sized piece will be done give it to them warm."

A LESSON IN GRAMMAR.—" Jake did you ever study grammar?"

"I did, sir."

"In what case is Mr. ——?"

"He is an objective case." " How so ?"

subscriptions that's been owing for lard to a light brown color. Arthree years and a half."

"Right. What is a noun?" "Don't know, but I know what the center.

renoun is." "Well what is it?"

"Running oft with out paying the printer, and getting on the list as a delinquent."

"Good what is a conjunction?" "A method of collecting out standing subscription in conjunction with the constable-never employed by printers until the last ex-

"That's right. Go to your seat, and quit shooting paper wads at the

An Englishman was bragging of he speed of English railroads to a Yankee traveler seated at his side in one of the cars of a "fast train" in England. The engine bell was rung as they neared a station. It suggested to the Yankee an oppor-Loving Wife-"Husband, dear, tunity of "taking down his companion a peg or two."

> "What's that noise?" innocently inquired the Yankee.

"We are approaching a town," they havn't invented bells in

America yet?" "Why, yes," replied the Yan kee. "We've got bells, but can't use them on our railroads. We run so tarnal fast that the train always keeps ahead of the sound. No use whatever; the sound never reaches the village till after the train gets

"Indeed!" exclaimed the Englishman.

"Fact," said the yankee : "had to give up bells. Then we tried steam whistles, but they wouldn't answer either. I was on the locomotive when the whistle was tried. We were going at a tremendous ratehurricanes was nowhar-and I had to hold my head on. We saw a two-horse wagon crossing the track, about five miles ahead, and the engineer let the whistle on, screeching like a stooper. The next thing I knew, I was picking myself out of a pond by the roadside, amid the

fragments of the locomotive, dead horses, broken wagon, and dead engineer, lying beside me. Just then a whistle came along, mixed up with some frightful oaths that I had heard the engineer use when he first saw the horses. Poor fellow! he was dead before his voice got to him. After that we tried lights, supposing these would travel faster than sound. We got some so powerful that the chickens woke up all along the road when we came by, supposing it to be morning. But the locomotive kept ahead of it still, and was in the darkness with the light on close behind it. The inhabitants petitioned against it; they could not sleep with so much light in the night time. Finally we had to station electric telegraphs along the road, with signal men to telegraph when a train was in sight. and have heard that some of the

Leap year advice to the belles:-Look before you leap."

fast trains beat the lightning fifteen

seconds every forty miles. But

can't say as that is true—the rest I

Recipes.

Cookies .- Two cups white sugar one cup butter, one egg, one-half cup sweet mik, flour enough to roll; flavor to suit the taste.

ANOTHER WAY .- One cup butter, one and one-half cups sugar, then mix until creamy, one cup of sour milk, one egg, one teaspoon of soda, and enough flour to make it roll out easily.

ECONOMY CAKE. - One cup butone cup chopped raisins, two eggs, one tablespoonful soda, spice to the term of the Governor's appointaste with clothes, nutmeg and cinnamon, three cups flour,

COCOANUT PUDDING (PLAIN.)and one coacoanut, grated. The and stirred into the milk when hot. Strain the milk and eggs, and add the cacoanut, with nutmeg to the taste. Bake about twenty minutes like puddings.

Molasses Cake.—One-half pint his appearance, and when at last he of molasses, one heaped tablespoonful of sugar, one large tablespoonful prosy sermon of unusual length on of lard, one cup of milk, one egg, one heaped teaspoonful of saleratus, salt, flour to make stiff as cup cake, ginger or cinnamon to taste; bake lent if made right.

BOILED CODFISH.—Tie the fish several times over with string, lay perience in raising lambs myself, it in cold water plentifully salted, successful lamb-raising: first, give and let it drain, then serve. An them a little at a time; and third, two or three minutes after the water comes to boiling point.

MUTTON CUTLETS .- Trim of all superfluous fat from each cutlet, dipthem in an egg beaten up with a little oil, some peper and salt, then cover them with bread crumbs, and let them rest for a couple of hours. "Because he objects to paying his Fry them in plenty of butter or range them in a circle on a dish, and pour some tomato sauce into

BREAD AND FRUIT PUDDING .-Butter a deep dish, and lay in slices of bread and butter, wet with milk and upon these sliced tart apples' sweetened and spiced. Then lay on another layer of bread and butter and apples, and continue thus until | to protect sheep husbandry. the dish is filled. Let the top layer be bread and butter, and dip it in which prescribes the system of milk, turning the buttered side county government, assessment of down. Any other kind of fruit will taxes, election of Magistrates, &c., answer as well. Put a plate on the including the valuation of property top, and bake two hours, then take is amended so as to give the Genit off and bake another hour.

dried and pounded bread crumbs | &c. with an equal quantity of any kind a pint of milk, three spoonfuls of their election. fine flour, and a half a teaspoonful the pudding-cloth and tie tight, as their approval or rejection. it will not swell in cooking.

EXCELLENT PUFF PIE CRUST. one pound or quart of butter. Mix with the flour one-quarter of the ral election a majority of the voters stiff dough. Divide the balance of they shall become a part of the Conthe butter into six equal parts. Roll the dough into a large thin sheet. then put at equal distances one of the six pieces of butter divided into small bits; fold up the sheet or paste, flour it, roll it out again, and process until the butter is all in, then fold again and divide into as many pieces as you want sheets of \$4.00, their mileage at 10 cents, paste. Everything should be cold, and sessions limited to 60 days. the working tools as well as the ingredients. It will rise to a great thickness and appear in flakes.

weapons. Ribbons should be washed in cold suds and not rinsed.

Amendments.

Synopsis of the Work of the

Convention. The total number of amendments adopted is 31. The Judicial Department received more attention than any other in the Constitution. to establish other Courts inferior to the Supreme Court, with power to prescribe the manner of appointing the presiding officers of such Courts, who shall hold for a term

not exceeding 8 years. The number of Supreme Court Judges was reduced from five to three; of Superior Court Judges from twelve to nine-all to be elected by the people. At the first election the Superior Court Judges are to be chosen by general ticket, but the General Assembly may provide that at succeeding elections they be chosen by Districts, as ut present. Both Supreme and Superior Court

Judges to be elected for eight years. The General Assembly are authorized to require the Supreme Court to meet at points other than the State capital.

The principle of rotation of Judges was adopted; and no Judge can G. Jones.

hold the Courts of any District twice in succession except at intervals of four years.

Sections 15, 16 and 17 of Art. 4 o the Constitution, which prescribe the original jurisdiction of the Superior Courts, and regulate the matter of probates, administrations, &c., are stricken out, and in lieu thereof the General Assembly are empowered to allot and distribute the judicial power, regulate the jurisdiction of the Supreme Courts, all matters of appeal, practice, &c. ter, two cups sugar, one cup milk, Section 31 of the same Article is so amended as to limit the duration of tees to vacancies in this Article to the next regular election for members of the General Assembly. Sec-Take one quart of milk, five eggs, tion 33, same Article, is so amended as to leave the original jurisdiction eggs and sugar are beaten together, of Justices of the Peace in civil actions to the General Assembly. The eriminal jurisdiction of these officers is retained.

The provision in the Constitution of 1776 by which upon a two thirds vote of each House of the General Assembly Judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts may be removed from office for physical or mental inability, is re-enacted. This power is in addition to that of removal by impeachment.

The Article on Suffrage and Eligibility is amended. Hereafter persons convicted of felony or other infamous crime are denied the right to vote until restored to citizenship by due course of law. A residence of 90 days in the County, instead of 30 days, as heretofore, is indispensable to voting.

The Article on Education is so amended as to retain all fines, penof the respective county officers, to- 1835. It is now closed. gether with the poll tax and such property tax as is collected on that

The Article on Penal Institutions, Punishments, &c., is so amended as to give the Legislature power to farm out penitentiary convicts on public works, public roads, &c.

Intermarriage between whites and negroes is prohibited to the third generation.

Separate schools for the two races are to be provided.

A Bureau of Agriculture, Immigration and Statistics is established with full power to the Legislature

Article 7 of the Constitution, eral Assembly full power to change A PUDDING OF FRUIT AND the present system of county gov-BREAD CRUMBS .- Mix a pint of ernment, election of Magistrates,

The General Assembly is to meet of berries, or of dried and chopped biennially on Wednesday after the sour apples. Add three eggs, half | first Monday in January succeeding

The 13th article is so amended of salt. Bake on a griddle or in an | that no Convention of the people of oven in muffin rings, or, when made | this State can hereafter be called exthinner, as griddle cakes. If dried cept by a two-thirds vote of each fruist is used, more milk is needed House of the General Assembly, said the Englishman. "They have than for fresh berries. This may such call to be first submitted to the won't fall if it is not done this to commence ringing about ten also be boiled for a pudding. Flour qualified voters of the State for

> Amendments to the Constitution may be proposed by a three-fifths To one pound or quart of flour add vote of each House of the General Assembly, and if at the next genebutter and enough water to make a of the whole State approve the same

> An ordinance has passed declar ing that no amendment adopted by the Convention, shall have the effect of tecating any office or term of office now existing under the Conadd in the same manner another stitution, and filled or held by virportion of the butter. Repeat this tue of any election or appointment. The per diem of members of the

> > The General Assembly are invested with power to denounce fitting penalties for carrying concealed

General Assembly was fixed at

Directory.

City Government. Mayor-B. C. Manly.

Alderman-First Ward-Jas. Mc-Kee, John Armstrong, H. J. Hamill. Second Ward-J. J. Nowell, W. H. Martin, Stewart Ellison. Third Ward-P. F. Pescud, Jr., That Article was so amended as to John C. Blake, Wm. C. Stronach, son, of Wake. give the General Assembly power R. H. Bradley, J. C. R. Little. Fourth Ward-H. C. Jones, James H. Jones, James H. Harris. Fifth Ward-P. C. Fleming, J. Ruffin Williams, R. H. Jones.

Treasurer-Leo. D. Heartt. Clerk and Collector-George H Williams.

Marshal-J. W. Lee.

Raleigh Township Government. MAGISTRATES .- A. Magnin, J. C. Gorman, M. B. Barbee, W. H. Martin, Jos. P. Prairie, Norfleet Dunston, J. D. Morgan.

CONSTABLE .- J. R. Caswell. CDERK .- John E. Williams, SCHOOL COMMITTEE .- A. W. Dr G W Blacknall, Wake, term Shaffer, Ch'n.; O. Hunter, Jr., expires July 1, 1880. Clerk; M. V'B. Gilbert.

Wake County Government. Commissioners-Solomon J. Allen, Chairman; Wm. Jinks, W. D. Turner, J. Robt. Nowell, Adolphus

Sheriff-S. M. Dunn. Superior Court Clerk-John N. Bunting.

Treasurer-David Lewis. Register of Deeds-W. W. White. Coroner-James M. Jones. Surveyor-J. Q. Shaw. Government of North Carolina.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT. Curtis H. Brogden, of Wayne, Governor. John B. Neathery, Private Secre-

the Senate. W. H. Howerton, of Rowan, Secretary of State.

D. A. Jenkins, of Gaston, Treas-A. D. Jenkins, Teller.

Donald W. Bain, Chief Clerk. John Reilly, of Cumberland, Au.

Wm. P. Wetherell, Chief Clerk. S. D. Pool, of Craven, Supt. of Public Instruction.

John C. Gorman, of Wake, Adjutant General. T. L. Hargrove, of Granville, At-

W. C. Kerr, of Mecklenburg, State Geologist. Thomas R. Purnell, of Forsythe,

orney General.

State Librarian. Wm. R. Richardson, of Wake, Keeper of the Capitol.

GOVERNOR'S COUNCIL. The Secretary of State, Treasurer, Auditor and Superintendent of Public Instruction.

Public Works and Institutions in North Carolina.

BRANCH MINT OF THE U. S. Located at Charlotte. This es- 4th tablishment was authorized by act 5th alties and forfeitures in the hands of Congress, passed the 3d of March, 6th

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA. 8th Situated at Chapel Hill, Orange county, 28 miles W. N. W. from Raleigh. Re-opened Sept. 6th,

Officers of the University .- Rev. Charles Phillips, D. D., Professor College of Mathematies; Mr. J.DeB. Hooper, Professor College of Literature; Mr. Geo. T. Winston, Ass't Professor College of Literature; Mr. John Kimberly, Professor College of Agriculture; Rev. A. W. Mangum, A. M., Professor of College of Philosophy; Rev. A. F. Redd, Professor of College of Natural Science; Mr. Ralph H. Graves-Jr., Professor College Engineering and Mechanic Arts; A. Mickle, Bursar; Hon. Kemp P. Battle, Ra, leigh, Secretary and Treasurer.

DEAF AND DUMB AND THE BLIND. The North Carolina Institution for the education of the Deaf and Raleigh.

Officers.-John Nichols, Principal; R. B. Ellis, Steward; L. E. Heartt, Treasurer.

Board of Directors.—Rufus S. Tucker, President; John Nichols, C. D. Heartt, Albert Johnson, J. W. Cole, J. J. Nowell and James H. Harris.

The Institution has a full corps of teachers in the Deaf Mute and Blind Departments. The course of instruction includes eight years. All applications for the admittance of pupils should be made to the Principal.

INSANE ASYLUM.

Situated in the vicinity of Raeigh, will accommodate 220 patients.

Officers .- Dr. Eugene Grissom, Superintendent; Dr. F. T. Fuller, Assistant Physician; W. Whitaker, Steward; Mrs. Mary A. Lawrence, Matron; E. Burke Haywood, Jr., Secretary and Treasurer.

Board of Directors .- Dr. J. G. Ramsay, of Rowan, President; Dr E Burke Haywood, of Wake; Jas D Uzzell, of Wake; J M Pool, of Wake; Anderson Betts, of Wake; E W Pou, of Johnston; Dr S G Coffin, of Guilford; PR Hardin, of Alamance; W T Faircloth, of Wayne; G W Brodie, of Wake; J B Mason, of Orange; W R Myers, of Mecklenburg, G W Stanton, of Wilson.

Time of annual meeting of the Board, first Wednesday in November in each year.

PENITENTIARY.

Board of Directors and Executive Committee.-Jacob S Allen, of Wake; John M Coffin, of Rowan; James Pace, of Chatham; JC Rhodes, of Wayne; Stewart Elli-

Officers.—W J Hicks, Architect; W H Thompson, Deputy Warden M Grausman, Steward; Dr Wm G Hill, Physician; H A Correll, of Rowan, Superintendent of the Shoe Department.

PUBLIC CHARITIES.

One member elected annually by the Legislature, to supervise all the penal and charitable institutions of the State. Dr C T Murphy, of Sampson,

President, term expires July 1, Capt C B Denson, Chatham, Secretary, term expires July 1, 1878.

Dr W R Sharpe, Davie, term expires July 1, 1877. Col JT Morehead, Rockingham, term expires July 1, 1879.

INSANE ASYLUM, MORGANTON.

islature.-Dr. Nereus Mendenhall, of Guilford, President. Col T Geo Walton, Burke, Secre-

Dr Eugene Grissom, Wake. Dr. M. Whitehead, Rowan. Capt C B Denson, Chatham.

Board of Education. The Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Auditor, Superintendent of Public Instruction and Attorney General constitute the State Board of Ed-R. F. Armfield, of Iredell, Lieu- ucation. The Governor is Presi tenant Governor, and President of dent, and the Superintendent of Public Instruction, Secretary of the

> Supreme Court. Richmond M. Pearson, of Yadkin

Board.

Chief Justice. Edwin G. Reade, of Person, Asso. Justice.

W. B. Rodman, Beaufort, W. P. Bynum, Mecklenburg, " Thomas Settle, Guilford, Tazewell L. Hargrove, of Gran-

ville, Reporter. W. H. Bagley, of Wake, Clerk. D. A. Wicker, of Wake, Marshal. Meets in Raleigh on the first Monday in January and June.

Superior Courts. Samuel W. Watts, Judge Sixth Judicial District, Franklinton. J. C. L. Harris, Solicitor, Raleigh

N. C. Representation in Congress SENATE. A. S. Merrimon, of Wake. Mat. W. Ransom, of Northampton.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. 1st District-Jesse J. Yeates. J. A. Hyman. A. M. Waddell. Joseph J. Davis. A. M. Scales. Thomas S. Ashe. W. M. Robbins.

United States Government. Ulysses S. Grant, of Illinois, Presi-

Robert B. Vance.

Hamilton Fish, of New York, Secretary of State. Benjamin H. Bristow, of Kentucky, Secretary of the Treasury.

William W. Belknap, of Iowa, Secretary of War. George M. Robeson, of New Jersey, Secretary of the Navy.

Z. Chandler, of Michigan, Secretary of the Interior. Edward Pierrepont, of New York, Attorney General.

Marshall Jewell, of Connecticut, Postmaster General. United States Courts. The stated terms of the United

States Circuit and District Courts are as follows: United States Circuit Court—Eastern District, North Carolina-held Dumb and the Blind, is located at in Raleigh first Monday in June

> H. L. Bond, Circuit Court Judge; residence, Baltimore, Md. Geo. W. Brooks, District Court Judge, Eastern District; residence,

and last Monday in November.

Elizabeth City. United States Marshal, Joshua B. Hill; office, Raleigh.

N. J. Riddick, Circuit Court Clerk; office, Raleigh. EASTERN DISTRICT COURTS.

Elizabeth City, third Monday in April and October. Clerk, M. B. Culpepper; residence, Elizabeth City. New-Berne, Fourth Monday in

April and October. Clerk, George E. Tinker; resi- 71 o'clock at Briggs Building. lence, New-Berne. Wilmington, first Monday after

the fourth Monday in April and October. Clerk, Wm. Larkins; residence,

Wilmington. Marshal, Joshua B. Hill, office, Raleigh. District Attorney, Richard C

Assistant, W. H. Young, Oxford.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT-WESTERN DISTRICT. H. L. Bond, United States Cir. fraction thereof. cuit Court Judge, Baltimore, Md. Robert P. Dick, United States weekly, and oftener, and from a District Judge, Western District,

Badger; residence, Raleigh.

residence, Greensboro. Robert M. Douglas, United States Marshal; office, Greensboro.

same time.

and October.

Clerk, John W. Payne; resi., Greensboro. Statesville, third Monday in April and October. Clerk, Henry C. Cowles; resi.,

Statesville. Asheville, first Monday after the rected proof sheets. All packages fourth Monday in April and Octo-

Clerk, E. R. Hampton; resi., Asheville. Virgil S. Lusk, U. S. District Attorney; residence, Asheville.

Assistant, W. S. Ball, Greensboro, United States Internal Revenue. I. J. Young, Collector Third and Fourth Districts, office, Raleigh.

Supreme Court of the U.S. Morrison R. Waite, of Ohio, Chief Nathan Clifford, of Me., As. Justice. Noah H. Swayne, of O., "Samuel F. Miller, of Ia., " David Davis, of Ill., Stephen J. Field, of Cal., " Wm. M. Strong, of Pa., J. P. Bradley, of N. J., Ward Hunt, of N. Y., Court meets first Monday in De-Commissionerselected by the Leg- cember, at Washington.

Local Directory.

Masonic.

Hiram Lodge, No. 40-A. S. Lee. W. M.; F. H. Busbee, S. W.; J. C. R. Little, J. W.; E. B. Thomas, Secretary. Meets third Monday evening in each month at 71 o'clock.

William G. Hill Lodge, No. 218 .-Jack R. Williams, W. M.; D. S. Waitt, S. W.; William R. Cox, J. W.; W. P. Wetherell, Sec'y. Meets 2d and 4th Monday evenings in each month, third story of the Fisher Building, at 71.

Raleigh Chapter, No. 10 .- John Nichols, H. P.; D. W. Bain. Secretary. Meets 3d Tuesday evening in each month at 71 o'clock.

Independent Order of Odd Fellows. Manteo Lodge, No. 8.-Morris Rosenbaum, N. G.; George D. Culley, V. G.; O. F. Curtis, Secretary. Meets at Old Fellows' Hall. every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Seaton Gales Lodge, No. 61 .- T. P. Devereux, N. G.; T. K. Waitt

V. G.; Phil Thiem, Sec'y. Meets

at Odd Fellows' Hall, every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock. Raleigh Lodge, No. 65.-R. H. Weathers, N. G.; L. G. Bagley, V. G.; J. J. Lewis, Secretary. Meets at Odd Fellows' Hall, every Monday

evening at 7 o'clock. McKee Encampment, No. 15 .-W. B. Hatchings, C. P.; Henry Porter, H. P.; Phil Thiem, Scribe, Meets at Odd Fellows' Hall, 2d and 4th Friday evenings in each month at 7 o'clock.

Knights of Pythias.

Centre Lodge, No. -. E. G. Ha

rell, C. C.; B. C. Manty, V. C.; C. A, Sherwood, K. R. S. Meets every Wednesday, at 71 P. M. third story Exchange Building. Independent Order of Good

Templars.

Hickman Lodge, No. 1.- J. S. Allen, W. C. T.; Miss Delia Watson, W. V. T.; Walter C. Richards son, Secretary. Meets every Tuesday evening, 7½ o'clock, at Good Templars' Headquarters, Fayette.

Bethel Lodge, No. 77.—Stephen Starr, W. C. T.; Mrs. George D. Culley, W. V. T.; R. H. Towles, Sec'y. Meets every Monday evening at 71 o'clock, at Good Temp lars' Headquarters, Fayetteville St.

Hudson Degree Temple, No. 1.-N. B. Broughton, D. T.; Miss Blanche Fentress, V. D. T.; Thos. Hampson, Secretary. Meets on the 1st and 3d Thursday evenings in each month, at Good Template! Headquarters, Fayetteville Street,

at 71 o'clock.

Friends of Temperance. Raleigh Council, No. 127.-L. 8. Burkhead, President; Willie C. Stronach, Associate; V. Ballard, Secretary. Meets every Friday evening at 71 o'clock in the Briggs Building.

Young Men's Christian Association. John Armstrong, President; D W. Bain and J. B. Burwell, Vice Presidents; E. R. Stamps, Secretary. Meets every Tuesday evening

Rates of Postage. Postal Cards-Written or printed, one cent each. Drop Letters-Without local de-

livery, one cent for each half ounce, or fraction thereof. Drop letters with local delivery, 2 cents. Post Letters-Newspaper manuscript, or other written matter, to any point within the United States,

three cents for each half ounce, or

Periodical Publications-Issued known office of publication or news agency, and addressed to regular subscribers or news agents, must be prepaid at the rate of two cents a Circuit and District Courts in the | pound and fraction thereof, less fre-Western District are held at the quently three cents a pound or fraction thereof. One copy free to sub-Greensboro, first Monday in April scribers residing in the county where the same are published.

> Miscellaneous Matter-Rate of postage on miscellaneous matter is one cent for each ounce or fraction thereof, Packages must not exceed four pounds, except books, book manuscript, proof sheets, and corof small matter not sent at letter rates (except seeds) must be so wrapped or secured that their con tents can be conveniently examined by postmasters, otherwise they will be charged letter postage.

Rates of Postal Money Orders-On orders not exceeding \$15, 10 cents; over \$15 and not exceeding \$30, 15 cents; over \$30 and not exceeding \$40, 20 cents; over \$40 and not exceeding \$50, 25 cents.

Registered Letters - The order is only payable at the office on which it is drawn. The order should be collected within one year from its date. After once paying an order, by whomsover presented, the department will be liable to no further claim. Fee for registered letters is 10 cents, this in addition to the regular postage.