

swift, with a very rocky bed and the channel girl, just as she glided across my path one is a deep cut, though there is not a great a- sunny Sabbath in the leafy month of June, mount of running water. The fall is 96 the memory whereof sweeps over my soul feet, and at some seasons of the year there is like gales from Araby the blest. With the no water over the falls, as it is all used up picture of her angel face daguerreotyped upon by the numerous mills on the sides of the the living tablet of my heart, I penned the and splendid eloquence-entitling the learn- over, that's a fact. stream above ; and conducting the water in- following lines, and desire, with your permised Divine to the front rank of pulpit orators sion, to preserve them among the records of in the State. to the channel below the falls. this circle of loved and loving hearts :

The Assembly of the Presbyterian church is in session at this city just now. There are more than three hundred commissioners now here, and the meeting is beginning to be one of great interest. We have here the first talent of the Presbyterian church, such men as Spring, Hodge, McGill, Thornwell, Adger, Keebs, &c. It has been the desire of a goodly number of Presbyterians to have a change an arganic change in the Board of "Domestic Missions ; but the committee on Domestic Missions gave a report unfavorable to a change, and thus there arose a considerable discussion, calling out the speaking tallent of the house. We sometimes think the Clergy are quite severe and sargastic debaters. They pounce upon and almost wool each oth

TO ADA. Why thrills my heart with music sweet, Whene'er thy beauteous face I see-Whene'er thy sylph-like form I meet, And dark eyes bend their gaze on me Is it that thou art fairer than The fairy ones that glide along, As noiseless as the magic flow Of noets golden song ? Is it that Heaven hath rained upon

> Examination of the Students of Statesville Male Academy, under Professor Andrews.

For the "Iredell Express." Commencement Exercises at Concord Female College.

The Examination and Commencement Exer, and then shake hands, laugh a little, and ercises of Concord Female College took place pull out a big twist of Old Dominion and pass on Monday, the 28th ultimo, in the presence it round-all right. We were sitting at our desk yesterday, and casting our eye over the of a very large concourse of friends and visitbrs. We have heard but one expression of house, it rested upon a sable object, resting. with one elbow against the organ, up stairs, opinion, by competent judges, who were preand on examining more narrowly we found sent, that the young ladies had been well inhim a finely dressed African, whom they structed by their indefatigable teachers, afcall Fred. Douglass. You see he has return- fording the most undoubted testimony for ed from his European tour. His family are the reliability of this College and of the great merit of its worthy Professors. Monday all in this city, and he scems to be quite a evening was devoted to Concert exercises and personage here. reading Compositions. The large chapel, as

This city is quite noted for its fine churches, as well as for its Flour Mills. We have rarely seen a city of greater business capacity, having more active and energetic citizens than this.

I have sometimes wondered where all the Irish potatoes and potatoe barrels came from! Well, sirs, you may be assured that sone of

Delicioso, with Variations. By Grobe. attended with a long noise. One of never returned home with a full basentered the Hall at 12 o'clock. The exer- very uneasy about it at last, and used ed my friend J., as he ushered the writer inacre) with the understanding that he these parts fell into an arable field ket. Everybody bought an orange of Miss Bell McRorie. cises at the Hall were opened with prayer to get up in the night sometimes, and Composition. The Eloquence of a Tearto a social gathering the other evening; and would place a flock of Merino Sheep and made a great fissure or cleft ju. Ettie, for all admired her, but it was by Rev. Mr. Krider. Rev. W. A. Wood then call her darter, and make her go off Drop. Miss McLean. so, dear "circle,"-not however, with the there and test the ability of your cliell wide, and singed the earth on both with a respectful admiration, she was Master and Pupil. Duett. Misses D Fradelivered a most appropriate and comprehen- to bed, and once or twice come plagboisterousness of the Autumn winds that mate and soil, that he would unfold to sides. The other piece fell in a mead, so pure and good. Ettie was about ley and J M Bell. sive address to the young gentlemen connect- gey near catchin' of them. So what you resources that are now worthless shout and howl among our mountain fastness- 10 Bells of the Monastery. By L Wely .you resources that are now worthless to your State. This small donation Their fall was attended with a shock of the Kentucky, Tenuessee, and Ohio ed as students with the Academy. As we does Barney do, but takes two niggers es, when the "sere and yellow leaf" has fled, Miss J Moore. took no notes we will not here attempt a re- with him when he went after that, and but rather, with the gentleness of the "warm of your legislature would in five years, Legislatures took place at Columbus, PART 2. like an earth-quake. port, but those who know Mr. Wood's fine leaves them on the roof and fastens a South," that now caresses your sunlit mounplace your State in the front rank of 'Cardan, in his De Varietate Rerun; a youthful member of the Tennessee 1 Kathleen Mavourneen. - Two Guitars. Misses Cowles, M C Bell, M J Bell and abilities will understand how to appreciate large basket to the rope and tells them tain tops, dallying tenderly with the flutterwool-growing States, In correspondrelates that in 1510 he witnessed the Legislature, strolling the city, was any literary effort that he put forth, and this if they feel the rope pulled, they must ing with intelligent men who are now fall of one hundred and twenty stores starled by a silvery voice, asking, ing leaves, or kissing with warm breath and Fraley. one was sensible and practical. We hope hoist away for dear life, but not to living in your State, I have been as-from the sky; that among them one 'Buy an orange, sir?' He did buy perfumed lips, the placid bosom of your sing- 12 Marche Du Compte de Gallenburg. Trio. the students will cherish and conform to the speak a word for the world. Henderson, Well, By Czerny, Misses tonished to find so much idle land that ing streams-would I ask admittance into weighed one hundred and twenty one, and this opened the way for a Sharpe and D Fraley. tenor and outline of Mr. Wood's excellent one night the old woman came to the would make the finest of Sheep Walks. pounds, and another sixty pounds, ---- conversation, in which the girl artles. your "magic ring." Will you give me a 13 Requiem for Col Butler. By Mrs. Penadvice to them. The ceremonies were clos- door as usual, and sais, 'Jerussia,' place beside some friend, long tried and true? Lands that I now learn are worth from dleton. Misses L Henderson, D Fraley, He describes them as mostly of au ly revealed to the stranger the povered with prayer, by Rev. Mr. Rockwell, of sais she 'what on airth ails you, to or grant me the luxury of sitting at the feet J M Bell and Fleming. 40 cts. to \$3 per acre, would soon beiron color, very hard, and smelling of ty of her home, and the necessity of 14 Composition. Memory's Treasure-House. Miss Ann Stimson. make you sit up all night that way ? come valuable, as sheep tramping over of some fair child of song-some gentle daugh-Davidson College. her supporting her mother. The Report which was read by Prof. An- Do come to bed, that's a dear.' 'Prebrimstone. ter of the fabled nine? Shall I gain the and grazing its now scanty grasses 'In the Philosophical Transactions He was so struck with the girl's drews, afforded the most gratifying informa. sently marm,' said she. 'I'm rastling would soon give to the surface a smooblessed privilege of sitting anear the loving for 1802 there is an account of a pue manner and singular beauty, that be Miss Bettie Dalton. tion to parents having sons in his institution with the evil one, I'll come present-16 Grand Polka de Concert. By Wallace ther aspect and also enrich the soil. "Linnette," and as the radiance of her poetic nomenon of this character, which be secretly resolved to visit her home, -corroborated as it was by the practical re- ly.'-' Dear, dear,' sais she, 'you have soul, flashing through her love-lit eyes, falls Miss Adelia Tomlin. curred in India in 1798. About eight and become more intimately acquain-17 From the Alps. Miss L Henderson. sults which they had witnessed during the rastled long enough with him to have Victor C. Barringer, Esq., is a canupon my anxious face, be permitted to drink in the sweet music of her gentle voice ?---of 18 Leinates Klaenge. Waltz. By Labitzo'clock in the evening a very lumin- ted. He did so, and after successive throwed him by this time. If you didate to represent Cabarrus and Stan-The Statesville Male Academy is a model can't throw him now, give it up, or he ly Counties in the Senate of the next ous meteor was observed passing thre' visits, won the confidence and love of ky. Misses Cowles, Stockton, Tomlin and Examination. listening to the "feast of reason and flow of the heavens by persons at Benares, the maiden, and the mother's consent school in its way; but 25 students will be may throw you.' 'Presently, marm,' Legislature. Knox. soul," that runs the circle round? Will you, 19 Newfoundland Dog. Descriptive Ballad. in that region. It was in the form of to their marriage ; and when he went admitted at any one time, consequently, they sais her darter. 'It's always the same Russel. Miss D Fraley dear circle, give one poor stranger a place ?--Henry Walser, Esq., Whig, is a a ball of fire, was accompanied by a back to his Southern home, it was with 20 La Somnambula, with Variations. By are instructed most thoroughly. The mili- tune,' sais her mother, goin' off gruma wanderer from far off lands, sun-bronzed candidate for the Senate in Davidson. loud noise resembling thunder, and a promise to return in a fortnight for Rosellen. Miss Knox, ... tary science, also, is taught with as much blin'-'it's always presently-what and tempest-tossed, who has been sweetly He and Mr. Thomas, however, we shot forth a number of stones, which his bride. He came, and now the mandiscipline, as at West Point, so that the stu- has got into the gal to act so ? Oh, DIPLOMAS learn from the Greensborough Patriot, fell about fourteen miles from the city, ly Southerner and the beautiful Ordrawn thitherward, even as the roving bee is seduced to wander wide, by the breaths of were conferred by President E. W. Faucette, summer winds heavy laden with sweets of upon the following young Ladies, who were dent is made both a scholar and a soldier dear ! what a pertracted time she has submit their claims to the County Connear Krakhut. Eight were found in ange Girl are man and wife. He has after the most approved method. vention which is to meet on June 26th. a space of about a hundred yards, -- taken her, the fairest of the fair, to opening flowers, as they float across broad about to quit their Alma Mater to enter upon poor girl.' Gen. S. H. Walkup, Whig, is a They were covered with a black cost his Southern home, to dwell with him, fields of wild thyme and rosy-headed clover. the untried future in life: MISS MARY E. Will he Vote for "Dug" or "Abe ?" As soon as she had gone, Barney candidate for re-election to the Senate having the appearance of varnish (r and her aged mother, in opulence. If Douglas is nominated at Balti- larfed so that he had to put his arm If my request-modestly preferred-be grant- BELL, MISS CORINA MCLEAN, MISS ANNA from Anson and Union. bitumen, and had fractures over which more, will Mr. Buchanan vote for the around her to study him on the bench, ed ; if-and dare I doubt the kindness of your Srinson. Mr. Faucette first addressed the The Hon. R. C. Puryear has been The Democratic candidates in Wake this substance had run. Internally Little Giant or for Abe. Lincoln? in a way that didn't look unlike romhearts, gentle ones ?--- you will make room young ladies for Collegiate honors in an af-He spread himself for the latter dur- pin, and when he went to whisper he are, for the Senate, Geo. W. Thomp- they consisted of small spherical bodies nominated to represent the Senatorial for one more, my word for it, -and could my fectionate exhortation, that was felt by every ing the celebrated contest in Illinois, larfed so he did nothin' but touch her son, Esq., for the Commons, E. G. of aslate color, interspersed with bright District composed of the counties of bond be stronger ?-I will come in with smil- heart present, for its sublimity and christian cheek with his lips, in a way that looks Haywood, Henry Mordecai, W. R. metalic points. The sky was cloud- Yadkin, Surry, Watauga Ashe and ing face, loving heart and open arms; and enunciation, and a Diploma was presented premise to bring with my every entry words to each graduate, with a copy of the Holy and wouldn't he do it again ? less at the time of this fall, had been Alleghany. plaguily like kissin', and felt like it Con. Richmond Whig. of blessedness and peace, if peradventure. my Bible to guide their path in life.

daughters and wards. Thy heart, its choicest drops of bliss. And given thee power—how like the sun Of e'er conferring happiness? I know not why it is, unless-And here I think the secret lies-Thou wast designed by Heaven to bless, E'en hermaneath earth's changing skies. Each heart that turns in truth to thee: Oh: I have loved—am blessed in they. PILGRIM. The Examination of the Students belonging to this Institution of learning took place

Monday, 28th May. The result was preeminently satisfactory to the friends and patrons of the Academy-the young gentlemen

exhibiting a high degree of proficiency in the various studies pursued by them, which includes quite all the branches taught at the State University. The exercises in Declamation and Composition came off on Tuesday following, at 9 o'clock, at Stockton Hall, in the presence of four or five hundred ladies and gentlemen. Here the students distinguished themselves as orators and composers of much promise, receiving frequent and rapturous applayse from the delighted hearers, as each pupil enunciated his theme from the tage. An hour or so was consumed in this part of the programme, which being concluded, the audience repaired to the female College, to hear the address of Rev. J. B. Watt.

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before the young ladies of the institution, that was delivered at 10 o'clock. At 11 o'clock, the ladies repaired again to Stockton Hall,

but his address is spoken of by competent in one pastur' and a lover in another, Sea now.' judges, as a masterly effort of scholarship it's a high fence that they can't get 'Tell you what it is aunty,' says the sea with a hissing noise like the are thrown to the height of many miles

"Tell you what," says Barney, it secret for your life-folks might say of this meteor was computed at thirty- from Vesuvius at times have been.

"sit up alone in the keepin' room, the house is harnted-that you were eight Italian miles. In conclusion, we would say, that Concord Rushy dear, arter old mother has gone possessed, and that Jerusha was in 'In 1767 a dark threatening cloud Halley supposed that a meteor was Female College has never been in a more to bed, put out the light, and I'll slide league with the evil one. Don't so was observed in the province of Main, merely a train of inflammable vapor, prosperous condition ; and that its success, down on the rope from the trap-door much as lisp a syllable to a livin' sin- Germany, from which came thunder, which, taking fire at one end, burned together with the healthfulness of Statesville, on the roof. Tell her you are exer- ner breathin'-keep the secret, and I but no lightning. A whizzing noise to the other, like a train of gunpowand the moral tone of the society of the place, cised in your mind, and want to medi- will help you.' offers superior inducements for parents and ate alone, as the words you heard this The hint took, the old woman had shot out from the cloud, descended in Others, and among them a Professor guardians to patronize this school with their day have reached your heart."

would rastle with the spirit. and idle company no more. You see secret no longer, and many a good and a half of sulphur.

talk of 'em now, or even thinks of From the National American.

Sheep Husbandry. 'Strange, Squire ain't it?' But it's much easier to cheat ourselves than cheat the devil. That old hag ter addressed to a North Carolina pa- lightning that came from the cloud may be added the plausible conjecture was too stingy to buy a dress, but persuaded herself it was bein' too good wear it.'

Well, the house was a flat-roofed house, and had a trap-door in the cellin' over the keepin' room, and there in reference to North Carolina, holds amined near twenty stones which fell seem not unlikely that the combinawas a crane on the roof, with a rope equally true in reference to this State, from it. The heaviest weighed five tion of inflammable gases in the atto pull up things to dry there. As and we hope will be pondered by Chero-Barney thought the old woman was kee-Georgia. It is a branch of indusasleep, he crawls on the house opens try that should be engaged in, and be a diamond, and another contained par- with the mineral matters of the gasses the trap door and lets himself down by encouraged by our civil authorities, ticles of gold and silver as well as irdig themselves into a mass; which immethe rope, and he and Jerushy sat down State and County. Here is the exwhere Rev. W. A. Wood was to address the on the hearth in the chimney corner tract :

PART 1. courtin' or as they call it in them digsix inches in diameter, and was seen through the varying strata of the at-MR. EDITOR:-I have been informed students of the male Academy. Meantime, A welcome to the Audience. Chorus .-them came from the "city of isms." We gins' 'sniffin ashes.'-When daylight in its fall and picked up quite hot. mosphere, and probably, also, to the Marche de la Norma. Two pianos. By there are thousands of acres of land in the military and citizens assembled in front have seen thousands of bushels and hundreds began to show, he went up the rope The Abbe Stutze of Vienna, who gate action of a strong centrifugal force, your State that is dead capital to its of the Academy building and formed a line Vierech of barrels here. But sirs, our time is up .--2 Star of the Evening. Song and Chorus. hand over hand, hauled it up after an account of these stones, further finally bursts, and comes in hot smokowner ; now if some of your enterpris-We hope to leave this spirits place without of procession in the following order: Chief Marshal; Music; Independent Ire- him, closed too the trap-door, and Misses L Henderson and J Fleming. ing citizens would place a flock of Mestates that two others fell in Groatian ing fragments to the earth." any of the isms in our pockets or heads .--Messrs. Faucette and Hill. dell Blues ; Assistant Marshal ; Citizens ; made himself scarce. Well, all this rino Sheep on a tract of it, how soon Hungary, near Agram, on the 26. La Reve, with Variations. By J Sherpf. Visitors; Teachers: Press; Clergy; Presi- went on as slick as could be for a while, And, if nothing happens to the contrary, we The Orange Girl of Columbus. would he enrich himself, and also prove of May, 1851. A fiery ball was seen Miss D Fraley. will go home with a most favorable opinion dent, Professors and Trustees of Concord Fe- but the old woman seed her darter And this is Vanity. Miss a blessing to his country. I have of-4 Composition. At Columbus, Ohio, there has been towards the east, which burst into the of the hospitable citizens of Rochester. male College; Patrons and Trustees of the looked pale, as if she hadn't sleep Mary E Bell. ten thought that if your legislature C. M. 5 United States Waltz. Two pianos. By parts, with a report exceeding that of for some years past, a lovely orange Academy; Minnie Cadets (Students;) As. enough, there was no gitten' her up Yours, &c., would give to some man, who under-Grobe. Misses R Fraley, Shaver, McLean a cannon, and then fell from the sky girl, known to all as Ettie, and of all sistant Marshal; Orator of the Day. The in the mornin'; and when she did she For the "Iredell Express." stood his businesss, some three thouand McIntosh. in the form and appearance of two respected. She supported an aged procession marched up Academy street, across was yawnin' and gappin', and so dull 6 Grand-Ma's Advice. Miss M Revnolds. To the Social Circle. sand acres of your mountain lands chains entangled in one another,' and mother by the sale of her fruit, and Jameison Square, down College Avenue and she hadn't a word to say. She got Chorus. Dear Circle :- "Room there, room !" shout-(now worth but a nominal price per

dresses. We much regret that other engage- woman. But Barney warn't to be flesh off-oh hear! Lord have mercy ic, crossed the Adriatic, swept over more propriety, have thought that they ments prevented us from hearing Mr Watt : put off that way long. When a gal's on us! I hope he's laid in the Red Italy beyond Leghorn, and burst with may have been cast out from the inloud report, its fragments falling inte ternal fire of our own earth. Stones

Barney, 'that's an awful story-keep quenching of red hot iron. The height from the craters of volcanos, and ashes blown by the winds all over Europe. was then heard, and an opaque both der, giving the appearance of motion. no wish to be burnt or drowned as a a curved line, and fell in a field. It of Yale College, have suggested that Jerusha was frightened to death al- witch, and the moment a fellow has a was found to be a stone, burning het, they were solid bodies revolving round most; but what won't a woman do woman's secret, he is certainly that similar in formation to other meteodic the earth like the moon, till, by some when a lover is in the way? So she, woman's master. He was invited there, stones, and weighing seven pounds accident, losing their course, they fall that very night, told the old woman stayed there, married there; but the and a half. It was covered with a to the earth. Cavallo adopts part of she was exercised in her, mind, and old woman never knew who the evil black crust, and, on analysis, was this last theory, and adds that the orone was, and always thought to her found to contain, in one hundred par's, bit of these bodies may be spiral, and 'Do dear,' says the mother, 'and dying day it was Old Scratch himself. fifty-five and a half of vetrificable continually contracting, in conseyou won't think of the vanities of dress After her death they didn't keep it earth, thirty-five of iron, and eight quence of the superior attraction of the earth ; till, on coming in contact how I have given them all up since I laugh has there been at the story of '1794 a tremendous cloud appear d with our atmosphere, the friction heats made profession, and never so much as 'Barney O'Ballentine and the Devil.' over Tuscany, coming down from the them, melting the surface and supplynorth, and sending out sparks and ing the black crust, while the unequal

smoke, with violent explosions like expansion of the parts of the body discharges of musketry, and casting causes them to explode, as stones of-The following extract is from a let- down to the ground hot stones. The ten do in a common fire. To all this per in reference to the raising of Sheep was remarkably red, and shone like that as clouds of dust, mixed with in the mountainous regions of that the flame of a cannon rather than com- leaves and mud, and even living repmon discharges of electricity. The tiles, are often carried to high alti-State. We copy it for the purpose of cloud lay very high, and remained for tudes by whirlwinds and water-spouts. remarking that what the writer says a long time. Professor Soldani ex- to say nothing of volcanoes, it would and a half pounds. Their surfact mosphere, set on fire by electrical curwere regular, and covered with a black rents or other chemical changes, should glaze. One had a crystal point like bring these together and fuse them 'In 1758 two stones fell in Germany diately taking motion, and exposed to -one in Eichstedt county and the of 1- constantly increasing friction and aler in Bohemia. The first of these wis ternations of heat and cold, in passing

usual, was thronged with a wealth of beauty and manly forms at an early hour. The evening's entertainment was opened with prayer by Rev. Scott Krider. The exercises then proceeded in the order of the following PROGRAMME: