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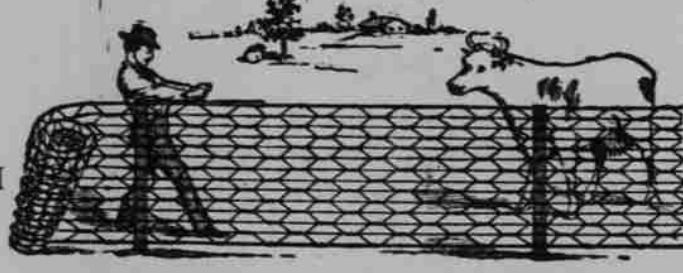
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Number of counties 96.
State area, 52,286 square miles
Extreme length is 503 1/2 miles.
Extreme breadth is 187 1/2 miles.
Number of electoral votes, 11.
Length of coast line is 314 miles.
Water surface, 3,620 square miles.
Area Dismal Swamp, 150,000 acres.
Number of miles railroad 3,597.
Indian population (census of 1890) 1,571.
Inland steam navigation, 900 miles.
Total population (census of 1890) 1,617,047.
Average mean annual rainfall, 52 inches.
Colored population (census of 1890) 567,170.
Total water power 3,500,000 horse power.
Western boundary—longitude 81 degrees, 42 minutes, 26 seconds.
Average winter temperature 42 degrees Fahrenheit.
The highest point is Mitchell's Peak, 6,888 feet.
Average area of counties is 507 square miles.
Number of varieties of minerals discovered 180.
Average summer temperature 75 degrees Fahrenheit.
Average elevation of State above sea level is 640 feet.—Whitsett Student.

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