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DUNN, N. C., DECEMBER 1st, 1897.

THE LILLY JUDGMENT IN CANCELLED.

ty was not cancelled by the county commissioners when they issued bonds to pay the same. Chairman Green was in town Saturday and told us that the bonds were not paid that groes and made use of this lan- ism, the preacher said: the judgment should be revived, guage; and that the commissioners submitted to his demands and signed such agreement providing that whatever amount had been paid an the bonds should be credited on the judgment for paid on the bonds.

Here we see an attorney drawing up bonds for a board of county commissioners to issue which he believes are invalid of his State by making such a and issued without authority of law. We say that he did not believe that the commissioners could issue bonds to pay that judgment and if they did the bonds would be invalid if contested, because he demaded of them an agreement to reinstate the judgment if the bonds should be declared illegal.

If these bonds were issued by the commissioners in accordance with the Constitution then every board of commissioners of the county that shall succeed this one would be bound under the Constitution to levy, a special tax on the people every year until these bonds were paid and this would make the bonds as good as gold for as long as there was taxable property in the county these bonds would be equivalent to a mortgage on it, but not so with the judgment. It could not force the commissioners to levy a special tax to pay it and could get the money only when there was a surplus after paying the necessary ex-seeder, the paper of Railroad

penses of the county. The Union (after it defeats this Them Retire," which is a disspecial tax as it will, see notice cussion of State politics, and in of meeting held Tuesday in the the course of which it is said: Lillington news) will get more The whole political atmosphere abuse than any one else as there seems now to be tainted without will be no funds to pay county giving out any fertilizing esorders if the judgment has to sence valuable to the soil. In the be renewed. We will take our days of honor men holding popart of the abuse like little men. sitions of importance and trust Chairman Green and his board who no longer represented the have paid off most of the in- sentiments of their constituents debtedness of the county with had the manhood to resign. the bonds they have issued and When a Governor and a United Star of the 30th from Acheville if anybody loses it will be the States Senator and their "help" says; of-Harnett county. Chairman State and cannot withdraw from neer, shot by A. M. Lambert, Green and his board say they the complaints, discontents and near Fletchers, Friday, died last Cherry Pectoral takes the lead of all it as the best and most desirable to prevent keeping it so. A re- the sake of posterity retire to to be in the mountains near throat, and the dangerous pulmonary please your loved ones with se-

The meeting of citizens at their damnable heresies. was not held on account of the all wear a palpable conscious- Governor Russell has offered a rain but a good meeting was nesss of gilt;" that "they have reward of \$400 for his capture. held Tuesday and every section not only broken their engage- The Southern Railway will can be found at Hood & Granof the county was well repre- ments to the honor of the whole probably offer an additional tham's drug store. sented and work was started people, but they have betrayed reward. which will defeat this special their natural connections.' tax'and the rights of the people It wants to be clearly underwill be respected.

see, recently told of a colord to put the Governor and the Granibam. clergyman who preached a sermon on the text; "And the multitudes came to him and he healed them of divers diseases." anybody else does; who knows They are desirable. They are Display. See it. Said he ; My dying congregation, one of them better. this is a terrible text. Disease is in the world. The small pox slays its hundreds, the cholera its thousands and the yellow fever its tens of thousands, but, in the language of the text, if you take the divers, you are gone. These earthly doctors can Observer of yesterday. cure small pox, cholera and vellow fever if they get there in time, but nobody but the good Lord can cure the divers.

JUST LIKE HIM.

We published elsewhere language imputed to Senator Butler and the proof. His denial in the Entered according to postal regula- Caucasian was a denial of an tions at the postoffice at Dunn, N. C., as accusation never made against him. This dodging and evasion is worthy of him. We did not hear him, but we do not doubt he made the statement, for knowing him as we do, we think we believe Marion Butler the only man in North Carolina mean enough to suspect such motives of a human being. God knows the meanness of Democratic politicians is bad enough, but we don't think that any man would make that indictment against any race or set of men, unless he was capable of It has been talked that the doing the same. And in all our Lilly Judgment against the coun- experience we have never known a man so devoid of political or CHRIST AS A NEWSPAPER personal conscience as this same blatant hypocrite.-S. Otho Wilson in the Hayseeder.

The language referred to by the above article was published ally; that before Mr Gray would in the Rocky Mount Argonaut on Sunday night at the Church of Sun take the bonds for payment of whose editor affirms with the on Sunday night at the Church the judgment that he demanded affidavit of six responsible men of Our Father, in Brooklyn, N. who heard the Senator's speech of the county commissioners a signed agreement that in case that he addressed a crowd of nesigned agreement that in case that he addressed a crowd of nesigned agreement that in case is the preacher said.

OUTRAGES THE DEMO-CRATS PRETEND TO BE TERRIBLY SHOCKED PUBLIC, BUT WHEN THEY of the public schools. Its Every body is pleased with Wilson. GET BEHIND A WALL THEY teachers are numbered among Judge Robinson. twice the amount paid; that is LAUGH UNTIL THEY GROW if there should be one thousand FAT, AND IF THE OUTdollars paid on the bonds the RAGES ARE NOT FRE-

Senator Butler than to think he could be so low as to besmirch so trifling a cost. It is the the good name of the white men newspaper that turns the searchmalignant charge against them has produced the evidence sworn to by reputable citizens and after reading the Senator's twoper, we believe that he said it. S. Otho Wilson, railroad commissioner deposed by Governor, Butler's whilom bosom friend in politics, says that he believes he is the only man in the State mean enough to say such

Butler sees the hand-writing on the wall for him and he is growing desperate. He sees that he has lost caste and prestige with the masses of the pecple and now that he realizes the condition of affairs there is nothing too dirty for him to say

AN INDICTMENT TO BE RE GARD D

In the last issue of the Hay-Commissiner S. Otho Wilson, Chairman Green says that is an editorial entitled "Lei

Lillington called for Monday It is said further that "they ing him.

Senator of whom he thus speaks

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MAN.

"Christ as a Newspaper phone.) Man," was the subject of the Y. After pointing out the

"Christ would recognize the the most faithful workers. Its We had a higher opinion of to fully appreciate its great Smithfield. worth because they obtain it at

light of public opininicn upon abuses of every kind. The but now that the Argonaut newspaper is the open court, where the public listen to the story of anyone who is wronged, ty met and considerable inter- is very strong in Nash county. and where public opinion sits in column denial in his own pa- judgment upon the wronged individual or the corporation."

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Engineer Bumgarduer, dead. A telegram to the Wilmington

bond-holders and not the people have befouled and scandalized a L. M. Bumgardner, the engihave the county now on a cash reproaches of an honestly in- night. Lambert, with several other remedies For the relief and cure assortment of appropriate Gifts basis and if so there is nothing dignant people, they ought for armed companions, is supposed of croup, and whooping-cough, sore I have yet seen. Be sure to newal of the judgment will not some secluded quarter and rest Arden, his home, ten miles lightle it is invaluable, being prompt lightle it is invaluable, being prompt lightle it is invaluable. from the disgraceful labors of from Ashville. Fifteen railroad liable, it is invaluable, being prompt of popular and very desirable men and other parties are hunt-

tood that these are not the ut- coughs and colds should heed the terances of a Democrat, but of a suffering and fatal results by using One keep the scalp healthy and prevent Populist-of a man who did Minute Cough Cure, it is an infallible baldness. Governor Taylor, of Tennes- more than any other one man remedy for coughs, colds, croup and all

> reliable. Our store room has This arraignment from this been made much larger to ac- Now is the time to make credulous and misguided people be pleasantly surprised. Sur- Grantham's. who, by listening to the song of prised at the splendid assortthe siren, have well-nigh ship- ment, nice variety, superior

Respectfully, HOOD & GRANTHAM.

Lillington Notes.

est was manifested. Mr. J. P. - News&Observer of Sunday. Pittman was made chairman and Mr. Geo. E. Prince Secretary of the meeting. Hon.

u es aller which a committee of one from each township to olicit funds for the prosecution and all Country Produce of the suit was appointed by the ch i mai. The committee is A 'de on's Creek, J S Johnson Ave a boro: Ed Smith; Car- And we also sell anything in our line a becue: James Cameron; Plack Liver: A W Gregory; Buck Hom: GF Harrington; Grave: J A Stewart; Johnsonville: H A Morrison; Lillington: JR or anything to buy in the way Gady; Neill's Creek: J P Johason; Stewart's Creek: W J Lethune; Upper Little Riv-

e: JR Bethea. 11 Lillington on Saturday Dece pber 11th 1897 and report the amount of funds collected.

A committee composed of Mes s. Ed Smith, A .W Gregory and J P Pittman was appower enough to digest it. Be poined to investigate and emsure you get SCOTT'S Emul- p ov counsel which will also ar eet on the 11th.

> The brick kiln of Messrs. Santa Claus, May & Kivett, who have the contract for building the new HOLIDAY PRESENTS. Court House, fell in Saturday night and ruined some 20,000 To All My Friends:

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J. B. Barnes in Jail in Raleigh.

There is now another rapist in jail here for safe keeping. He (Staff Correspondence by Tele- is a white man, J. B. Earnes, from Rocky Mount. He was, as LILLINGTON, DEC. 1st 1897. | the readers of this paper know, morning, Judge W. S. O'E. dicted for "assault with intent" Robinson, presiding with Hon on Miss Cora Yarborough, who E. W. Pou. Solicitor. The term lived at his home. The trial was The e was no jail cases and the ty. The attorneys for the State guage;
"IF COLORED MEN COMMIT burns mind The modern of the burns mind The buman mind. The modern cross have been disposed of and while the defence was represented newspaper is a daily school. Judge Robinson is dispatching by Battle and Thorpe, of I ocky Its pupils far outnumber those best as rapidly as possible. Mount, and J. E. Woodard, of

The prisoner was found guilty Among the visiting attorneys and sentenced to seven years in curr culum covers every important subject in the civilized J. M. Rose, of Fayetteville; defendant's appealed to the Sudollars paid on the bonds the judgment should be credited with two thousand dollars and with two thousand dollars and of the world. Surely, the newspaper and is the poor man's college, and I have thousand dollars and GROES TO COMMITTHEM.' RAGES ARE NOT FRE-world. Surely, the newspaper world. Surely, the n here had a commitment from The meeting called for Mon-Judge Timberlake, saying that to test the special tax bonds he regarded his removal to was postponed till Tuesday on Wake county until he could account of the rain. Tuesday make up his bond safer than for at o o'clock quite a longe crowd him to remain in Nash county of the best citizens of the cou - jail. The feeling against Barnes

HIGHEST CASH ing in a speech of fifteen min-

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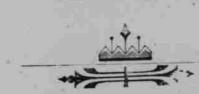
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OTICE! Having qualified as exway, deceased, late of Harnett coenty, North Carolina, this is to notify at persons having claims against the estate of aid deceased to exachit them to the madersigned on or before the 24th day of October, 1898, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indeated to said estate will please make immediate payment. This 2 lrd day of Oct. 1897.

nov-3-6t. H. F. HOLLOWAY, Exic.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND. By virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a Mortgage Deed executed by K. E. Barefoot to me dated the 26th day of July 1897 and registered in Book No. 2, Page 168 of the Records of Har-If ou need a pair please see us nett county, I will sell at public anction before you buy. We carry in stock for cash at the Court House door in the town of Lillington, N. C., on Dec. Ilih Watches, Clocks, Jewelry. 1897 at 1 o'clock P. M., a certair tract of land in Averasboro town-hip, Harmit county, North Carolina, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake it M W chains to H Monds line, thence his how N 63 W 9.78 chalas to a state in said We make Specialty of Plain Gold line, thence N 52 E Gelmins to a stake Wedging Rings We can come as in M.W. Barefoot's line, there e his line

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