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### TERRIRLE VENGEANCE FOR TER-RIBLE CRIME.

The negro, Brackett, that so cruelly humiliated and outraged Miss Kittie Henderon in Buncombe county last Sunday, was taken from the officers in charge and hanged yesterday afternoon in the presence of the unfortunate victim of his passions.

It was a most determined crowd. and it is fortunate that only one life was taken, and that too a life unfit to exist among his fellowmen. Of course we would a l feel prouder of the law-abidingness of North Carolinians if no mobs ever occurred within the State, yet there can be no tears to shed when no mercy is shown to him who has no mercy and no regard for that which is dearer than life.

No shadow of doubt exists as to the guilt of the victim. He was identified and confessed guilt.

# ANOTHER OUTRAGE.

Still the most outrageous o all crimes continues. Miss ing Syrup," and take no other kind Kittie Henderson, of Weaver ville, Buncombe county, was A "Twentieth Century." the victim of a brutal assault last Sunday on her way home the handsome "Twentieth Century" from Sunday school.

ness and physical misfortune. The negro showed no mercy or consideration. Now, if caught by the incensed vindicators of her purity and gets about the same mercy he gave, it is needless to ary down the lynching. Let the crime stop and the lynchings will stop.

Secretary of the Interior Bliss sounds a warning against the effort to reach Klondyke any more this season.

fairly sure that Spencer is to have large iron works soon.

Charlotte is to have a new Populist daily paper, says the Salisbury Sun.

# Pollowing the Excursion.

Mr. A A Almone, in coming from China Grove this morning, met a horse running with a wagon as if doing his very best to catch the excursion train that had just passed him. Coming on to Bethel siding, he found two women and three children that the horse had unloaded, Fisher, Cora Lentz, Annie Booth without injury, by which to make better speed.

property of George Johnston. He and his son were met on their way to induce his horseship to give up the trip to Wilmington and return Smith, Lewis Brown, Ernest Lin-Some.

Dry's Mill Items.

The farmers of this section are engaged in turning stubbles.

Mr. MB Rumage lost a horse last week.

Master Boyd Dry, who has been suffering with jawache for a few days, is better.

We are also glad to hear that Mrs W D J Moore is improving.

Mr Jacob O Moose left Monday morning for Newton, N C., where he expects to enter Catawba College. Proprietors, Lowell, Mass. His many friends wish him great The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. success.

Mr. AS Lentz and family, also Mr and Mrs James E Moose, of Albemarle, are visiting in and around our burgh.

Mr DeDerry Misenheimer, of Copal Grove, is a citizen of Dry's Mill this week, as he is superintending putting in some machinery at the Honeycutt gold mine,

Miss Dora Ritchie of St. John's neighborhood, is at Mr V C Lentz's being instructed in music. CLOD KNOCKER.

### The Official Vote.

The school tax proposition, which was submitted to a yote of the people on Tuesday last resulted in defeat-not a single township in the county carrying a majority for it. Below is the official vote by townchips:

| N     | . 1.—For | , 32; | Against, | 56.  |  |
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Misses Lottie Caldwell, Frances Mallory, Alice Jones, Margaret Can-Dorothy Gunnels, Emily Gibson, Elizabeth Gibson, Agnes Moss, Lalla Hill, Beulah Bernhardt, Mary Bernhardt, Eunice Beach, Sadie and Selene Hutchinson; Messrs. R. Montgemery, Ed Hill, Frank Rogers, C B Buxton, Henry Tyler, Rich-The horse and wagon were the ard Gray, David Ramseur, Junius Caldwell, Luther Brown, Earl Brown, Joe Cannon, C J Harr.s, Sam Wiley, Ed Moss, Morrison Fetzer, Joe Hill: Aubry Hooyer, CL

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