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CONCORD, N. C., Aug. 24.

NORTH CAROLINA COLLEGE IS DE-SIRABLE. What shall be our pull for

North Carolina College? It is well enough to give this

matter due consideration now. Were it a railroad the enthusi-

asm would doubless catch quickly. Business men see the advantages from a financial standpoint.

We confess our inability to compare closely the two enterprizes, but we doubt not the college has its full share of merits from a business point of view.

A splendid site has been provided that will carry with it a very neat and substantial source. of revenue and if built upon will neither be too far off nor too near. It will give a new extension to Concord in the best direction in which to expand the city. There will be much building to be done, which always adds life and prosperity to a town and somehow scatters its benefits directly and indirectly to every live business citizen.

When the institution has been settled down in its new home there will be thousands of dollars every year made and spent by professors and the necessary attendants and much more by the students.

If the college becomes prosperous, which is reasonable to presume in our growing density of population and our ever increasing tendency to popular and advanced education, this demand for more building and supplies will keep pace with all business expansion.

From a business point of view the location of the college here has much more in it for citizens generally than a manufacturing enterprise, we think.

The financial incentive, however, lies in the great saving to the citizens of the town and vicinity who have sons to educate.

While there must be a decided outlay for clothing and susteboys are at home and the loving labors and much needed care for the young becomes a privilege beside and above the consideration of economy, which is in its self very great to the average parent.

Let this subject have due attention now in the period of the town's opportunity.

The Lenoir Semi-Weekly News says the United States Geologiwall of the court house recording the altitude as 1,180 feet above the sea level. Lenoir, too, triumphs over its neighbor, Hickory, which is 1,164 feet. Hickory can now join the rest of us in looking up to Lenoir.

"Another postoffice in the South is likely to be discontinued because a set of unknown men assaulted and severely handled the postmaster on account of his appointment of a negro assistant. This time is Peck, Fla, that is to suffer. We are unable to see day (Sunday excepted) and delivered by why the Washington officials have any more right to deprive the people of a locality of a postoffice on account of the action of a few lawless men than they have, for instance, to stop transmitting the mails over a certain railroad after a set of highwaymen have held up and robbed a postal car. Why should a hundred citizens be made to suffer on account of the crime of probably half a dozen ?- Charlotte Observer."

It reminds us of the olden school days when if a misdemeanor could not be located the pedagogue would at least threaten to apply the cudgel to the whole group with the certainty of getting the right one. The comparison, we admit, is tough, but the principle is the same and is reprehensibly weak.

If there is anything that will put North Carolina in the doubtful column next year it is the renomination of W. J. Bryan for President. Opposition to him can be found all around and many good democrats declare they will never vote for him again. Mark Hanna knows his business and knows Bryan will make a weak run against his man "Friday" McKinley. Short-sightedness and fanaticism are today democracy's twin evils.—King's Weekly.

But with free coinage relegated to the rank of supposed desireables but absolutely impossibles, would not Mr. Bryan be desirable as a democrat and capable of making the strongest run of all? There is no certainty how ever that he would be willing to stand or fall and carry Democracy with him on any but the silver plank- There is time yet though.

The trial at Rennes goes on from day to day with the same manifest anxiety to convict the the accused. His chief counsel, M Labori, is on hand and is very much in the way of witnesses whose testimony largely of such character as would not be entertained in a common court of justice.

Julius Alexander was hanged today in Charlotte. He confessed his guilt, which was the outraging of Mrs. Mullis, and confirms her testimony in court. an honor for Mecklenburg that the law was allowed to take its due course. It is best that lynchings be avoided.

Bingham's Latin Grammar.

This book, which was written nance anywhere, these can be by Col. Wm. Bingham, at the A MOTHER TELLS HOW SHE brought to a minimum when the Bingham School, Orange county, SAVED DAUGHTERS LIFE. near Mebane, has a very large sale in the United States. It is used in the Latin course in Bingham School, Mebane.

MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY.

When They Were New.

First jury, 970. Pins made 1450. Needles used 1545. Matches made 1829. First cast-iron 1544. First newspaper 1494. Coal used as fuel 1834. Surnames used 1162. Lead pencils used 1594. Window glass used 694. First gold coin B. C. 206. Tobacco introduced 1582. First steam railroad 1830. First postage stamp 1840. Kerosene introduced 1826. Electric light invented 1874. Iron found in America 1815. First insurance, marine, 533. First wheeled carriages 1559. First American express 1821. Musical notes introduced 1338. Latin ceased to be spoken 589. Bible translated into Saxon 637. Gunpowder used by the Chinese 80.

First illuminating gas 1792. Bible translated into Gothic

Photographs first introduced Old Testament finished B. C.

Emancipation Proclamation 1863.

Paper by Chinese B. C. 220. Bible translated into English 1534.—Selected.

"This life is a difficult riddle, For how many people we see, With faces as long as a fiddle That ought to be shining with glee.

I'm sure in this world there are plenty Of good things enough for us

And yet there's not one out of twenty

But that thinks his share is too small."-Ex.

Fine Penmanship.

The course in Penmanship and Book-keeping at the Bingham School, Orange county, near Mebane, is taught by a leading graduate of the Zanerian Pen Art College of Columbus, Ohio.

There is a large apple crop in Burke this year and brandy promises to be plentiful. Many brandy distilleries are now running in the county. We learn that the distillers are buying apples at from 5 cents to 12 cents per bushel.-Morganton News.

A First-Class Course in Latin and Greek The Professor of Latin and Greek in the Bingham School, Orange county, near Mebane, is a distinguished graduate of the University of North Carolina, and is an accomplished teacher.

WORKING NIGHT AND DAY

The busiest and mighties little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globule of health, that changes weakness It is a victory for retributive and into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c per box. Fold by P. B. Fetzer, Dru wist.

I am the mother of eight children and have had a great deal of experience with medicines. Last summer my little daughter had the dysentery in its worst form. It is certainly gratifying to the We thought she would die. I public to know of one concern in tried everything I could think of. the land who are not afraid to be I saw hy an advertisement in our generous to the needy and suffer- paper that Chamberlain's Colic, ing. The proprietors of Dr. Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy King's New Discovery for Con- was highly recommended and sumption, Coughs and Colds, have sent and got a bottle at once. It given away over ten million trial proved to be one of the very best bottles of this great medicine; and medicines we ever had in the have the satisfaction of knowing house. It saved my little daughtcal Survey fixed a plate in the it has absolutely cured thousands er's life. I am anxious for every of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronch mother to know what an excellent itis, Hoarseness and all dis- medicine it is. Had I known it at eases of the Throat, Chest and first it would have saved me a Lungs are surely cured by it. great deal of anxiety and my Call on P. B. Fetzer, Druggist, little daughter much guffering .and geta free trial bottle. Regular Yours truly, Mrs. Geo. F. Bursize 50c. and \$1. Every bottle dick, Liberty, R. I. For Sale by guaranteed, or price refunded. M. L. Marsh & Co., Druggist.

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Goods Department.

Linen, colored Crash, for 5c. a yard, worth 10c.

Printed Marsailles at 12c. Duck, Plain White, solid colored and Printed.

Calico 3c up. Yard wide Percale at 20 and 25 cents per pound.

Light colored Outing 51 & 71c. Bargains in Towels.

Hosiery.

Two job lots of Samples of Gent's fine sox, lot No.1, plain and fancy colors, at 15c-worth 20 to 25c. Fancy colored and black Lisle

at 18c-worth 25 to 50c. The best line of Men's and Ladies' Hosiery on the market for 10 cents.

Notions.

Crochet Cotton, 4s per speol, Silk (short measure) at 5c. Turkey Red Cotton, 20c per dozen spools. Embroidery Silks, filo, outlining, rope and twisted at 3c per skein, worth 5 cents. Also gold embroidery thread at 3c per skein. Embroidery Hoops 5c.

Y. VAGIR , III WILLIAM STREET,

Bone Dress Stays 3c, Stely Hooks and I's 10c box. Machine Thread 3c per spool, Safety Pas 2c per dozen, Brass Pins 4c per paper and 25c per pound, Iron Pins Ic, Rubber lived Dress Shields 10c, Mourning Pins 1 and 5c per box, Alumnium Hair Pins 5c dozen, Side Combs 5 and 10c Pompadour 10c, coarse and fine tooth Dressing Combs 4 to 25c.

Stationary.

Jobs in Box Paper at less than co t to produce. 25c boxes for 15c and 10c ones for 5c. Nice Paper at 10c per pound. Pencil Erasers 1c, Typewriter do 5c. Car. bon Paper for typewriter use 3 sheets for 5c, Typewriter paper at 3 ounces for 5c. Fancy Crepe Paper for Lamp Shades 6c un Toilet Paper 2 rolls for 10c. 1nk and Mucilage 3c, Shoe Blacking 1c up, Tan do. 5c, Black Dressing 5 to 15c, Wood Tooth Picks 4c per 1.000.

Gent's Furnishings, Boston Garters 18c, Drawers Supporters 3c per pair, Silk

Bosom Shirts 48c. Glass Ware 5c up. Creckery and Tinware up stairs.

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