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TAXABLES IN CABARRUS.

Valuation of Property as a Whole and by Townships—Also Number of Polls.

The question often arises as to the valuation of property in the County and now especially as the subject of good roads is one of the foremost in the county.

The real and personal property in Cabarrus was returned last year at

Railroads, telegraphs and telephones	\$410,760.
Bank stock,	\$101,217.
Excess taxation by R. R. Commission	\$88,528.
Total	\$4,299,550.

TAXATION BY TOWNSHIPS.

No. 1,	\$255,709.
" 2,	251,375.
" 3,	151,098.
" 4,	220,199.
" 5,	133,712.
" 6,	111,499.
" 7,	109,327.
" 8,	299,603.
" 9,	159,447.
" 10,	283,967.
" 11,	194,086.
" 12,	2,552,578.

There are white persons liable to poll tax, 2,460.
Colored 649.

Total 3,109.

One poll is assessed equal to 300.

Multiplying this number of polls by 300 we have \$632,700,

which added to the property valuation would make \$4,932,250,

on which the taxes should be collected. There is of course much shrinkage, from the poll tax, for many escape.

COMMENCEMENT AT ELIZABETH.

Program of Exercises at Closing of This Institution.

The commencement program of Elizabeth College has been arranged and it is a most attractive one. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by Rev. Karl Boldt, of Charleston, S. C., Sunday morning at St. Mark's Lutheran church.

The address before the Missionary Society will be by Rev. W. A. Deaton, of Dalos, N. C., at 8:30 o'clock Sunday night at St. Mark's church.

The other exercises will be as follows:

Art Exhibition: Miss Siedenburg, June 2nd, 3:30 p. m., College Library.

Annual Concert: Prof. H. J. Zehm, Director, June 2nd, 8:30 p. m., College Chapel.

Senior Class Day Exercises: June 3rd, 10:30 a. m., at College.

Graduating Exercises: June 3rd, 8:30 p. m. Speaker: Rev. Wm. E. Parsons, D. D., Washington, D. C. Confering Degrees, etc.

The students' concert at the Conservatory of Music will begin Monday.—Charlotte News.

CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICTS

They Will Benefit Mecklenburg and Cabarrus Counties—An Agreement Between Two Superintendents of Education.

Prof. R. J. Cochran, county superintendent of education, returned yesterday from Cabarrus county, where he went to arrange with Prof. Charles E. Boger, superintendent of education of Cabarrus county, for the consolidation of some school districts of Mecklenburg and Cabarrus counties. Prof. Cochran was well pleased with the result of his trip. He and Mr. Boger came to an agreement to consolidate five bordering school districts—three in Cabarrus and two in Mecklenburg—into two districts, each one being divided by the county line. One of the school houses for the new arrangement is already built. It will serve two old school districts one in Cabarrus and district No. 7 of Mallard Creek township, this county. The other school house will be built immediately. It will accommodate three old school districts, two in Cabarrus county and Mallard Creek district No. 6.

Prof. Cochran said that this is only the beginning of the consolidation of the smaller school districts into larger ones, a plan that was strongly recommended at the recent educational conference in this city. In the schools mentioned above the children have to walk only a short distance to get to school. There will be more money for each school and therefore better teachers can be secured.—Charlotte Observer.

Ping Pong at the New South Club.

The New South Club has introduced as a feature of its amusements the game euphorically called Ping Pong. And what under the sun is Ping Pong? Well, it is Lawn Tennis without the lawn. It is a miniature of that game played on a table. It accommodates the gouty, the decrepit, the lazy, the bare-footed, the hatless and those who wish to play Lawn Tennis by electric or lamp light. It may even be played by a tallow candle.

Man Killed at Spencer.

Frank Bates, colored, who was serving a sentence on the chain gang for carrying a pistol, was killed this afternoon about 3 o'clock.

He was under an embankment, against the advice and orders of the guards, when the earth caved in. Bates' neck is thought to have been broken.—Salisbury Sun of 30th.

Stillness of person and steadiness of features are signal marks of good breeding.—O. W. Holmes.

CRIMSON CLOVER.

Value for Pasture and Time to Sow

The value of Crimson Clover for pasturage alone should commend it for universal use as it furnishes more and better pasturage during the late fall winter and early spring than any other crop. Wherever sown largely for pasturage the sowing of Rye or Barley with it will prove of decided benefit. The crop can be grazed during the winter, the cattle or sheep taken off it the end of March, and a full crop made afterwards, which can also be used for hay or green feed, and then it will leave the land in very much better condition than before the Crimson Clover was sown.

Sow at the rate of one peck (15 lbs.) to the acre, and, where practicable, sow at different times instead of sowing the whole crop at one seeding, as in some seasons the earlier seedings give best results, while in other years later seedings do the best. It can be seeded from first of July to middle of October, making its full crop early the following May, so that the crop can be taken off or plowed under and followed by corn or other summer crops, the yield of which will be very much increased when following a crop of Crimson Clover. The seed is low in price this year and as it costs very little to seed per acre, it should be more largely used than ever before.—T. W. Wood & sons, Richmond Va.

COMMENCEMENT.

The Closing Exercises of the Presbyterian College to be Held To-morrow Tuesday and Wednesday.

The commencement exercises of the Presbyterian College begin tomorrow morning when Rev. Dr. R. E. Caldwell, of Winston, will preach the baccalaureate sermon, in the First Presbyterian church.

Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock there will be an alumnae meeting to which all the old students of the Charlotte Female Institute—of the Seminary and of the college—are most cordially invited. There will be representatives of each administration present and an informal reception of old students after the business meeting.

Monday night at 8:30 o'clock, there will be an address by Hon. Lee S. Overman followed by the graduating exercises.

Tuesday morning a 10:30 o'clock class day exercises will begin and Tuesday night the final concert will be given.

The friends and patrons of the college are most cordially invited to all these exercises. No cards will be required. Small children are not expected.—Charlotte Observer of 31st.

Friday AND Saturday.

THE last two days in this month should make business matters rather brisk at this store because of the extremely low prices on merchandise of a high character. The department store is a good store in which to do shopping because of the large and interesting line of goods carried on one floor so moderately priced.

Plain White Lawn, usual price 15c, our price 10c

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Very fine French Lawn, 40 in. wide, underpriced here to only, per yard 25c

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1.50—Half Cabinets, gloss finish,	1.00	...
3.00—Cabinets, carbon finish,	2.00	1.50
4.00—Mantelcs, " "	3.00	2.00
5.00—Uniola, " "	4.00	2.50

50 Per Cent. Off on All Sizes Equal to Half Cabinets.

\$1.00 off on 5x7, 6x10, 8x10 sizes. \$1.00 off on Gainesburg, narrow trimmed, train panel—latest out.

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Crayon, \$1.85. Pastel \$2.65. Frames \$1.50 to \$10.

You will do well to take advantage of these low prices. I will have an Electric Motor Fan in by the 1st of June, so you can keep cool while posing. Remember the place.

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