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RUTHERFORDTON, N. C., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1903.

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NORTH CAROLINA, RUTHERFORD CO.

of commissioners of Rutherford county, in Delaware when he really lived in do hereby certify that I have examined the books, vouchers and receipts of E. A. Martin, sheriff and tax collector for the or New York. "Gas" was on to his job. ear 1901, and respectfully submit the | Warming Up. following report:

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The following is an amount of taxes collected by E. A. Martin since the above

settlement: To John Gettys heirs tax To amt collected by discovery in Colfax township To discovery in Cool Springs -To discovery in Green Hill -To discovery in Logan Store To discovery in Morgan township 6 00 To discovery in Rutherfordton

This January 20th, 1903. C. M. Lynch, Coairman Board of Coun-

### Notice.

Under and by virtue of a degree of the

door at Rutherfordton on Monday, March 2nd, 1903, North Carolina, and lying on the waters will have a seat at the cabinet table. | the south have perhaps not strictly sup-

W. F. RUCKER, Commissioner.

# Attorneys at Law,

Rutherfordton, N. C.

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Presidential Candidates Warming Up--Jollying the Negro Voter - Hen of the Moment

HE Delawareans have Hon. "Gas" Addicks, like the poor, always with them, but that is the only thing in which Hon.

for he made so many of them." The effort of Hon. "Gas" to work in great department recently created. a cold deck on the regular Republicans | Bad Faith. in the legislature was not a bowling success. Consequently the Blue Hen is still sonatorless. What a beautiful in the senate. Hon. Matthew Stanley example of that sweetness, purity and Quay, ably assisted by the Democrats,

[Special Washington Letter.]

When one thinks of the Bayards and Saulsburys and then thinks of Hon. from the three proposed states in the are the nighty fallen!" The Demo- they are not wishing very much. The cratic statesmen of Delaware were an truth is that in the summer of 1900 the a disgrace to the country.

Before this men have boodled states promises. in which they lived, but Hon. "Gas" is the only one known to have deliberately moved into a state for the purpose of bootling it. He picked Delaware for several reasons, no doubt. It is the smallest of the eastern states, and "Gas" desired to continue to reside in the east; not much smaller than Rhode Island, it is true, but the ground In Rhode Island was pre-empted by Messes. Weimore and Aldrich, and "Cas" had no show there. He couldn't hone to "raise" Wetmore and Aldrich. I, C. M. Lynch, chairman of the board | Secondly, "Gas" could nominally live some great city, such as Philadelphia

a probable presidential candidate and a an ineffaceable impression on my mind. Its days were few and full of evil. It druggists. ly the Jefferson-Jackson-Lincoln club of times. I never saw anything like it body ever believed that it could be of Columbus, O., pulled off a banquet | until one day last year at the long ses passed, but on one or two occasions it with great celat, a banquet graced by | sion. De Armond was making a speech | was held in terrorem over the heads of the presence of many statesmen and when he was interrupted by an eminent the southern Democrats. It did the say of his work: many oraters. Among them was ex- Republican with an importment ques- negroes no good. So far as it had any "Editing a newspaper is a pleasant and surrender. Covernor Budd of California, who tion. De Armond knifed him instant- effect on them it was harmful and put business-if you can stand it. \$31,642 66 atorical gifts for the mere pleasure of De Armond again, nor will any one nothing more—this deponent saith not, boring for blood. He was in dead ear- cus A. Hanna as follows: By insolvents, errors, etc. C FT 93 06 race, hopes to win. If Budd can man- bill [Mr. Cannon] and followed him in By insolvents, errors, etc. CST 150 64 age Hearst's presidential campaign as happy reverte as he went over his review posed to any more southern disturbby insolvents, errors, etc. CST 150 64 age Hearst's presidential campaign as happy reverte as he went over his review of the history of the country, marking ances. By insolvents, errors, etc. G V T 64 00 paign for governor, his man will win notwithstending the country has grown By insolvents, errors, etc., L S T 193 50 both the nomination and the election, rapidly, marvelously, the growth of ap-By inselvents, errors, etc, CCT 151 29 Governor Budd was nominated to lead proprlations has outstripped the growth a forlorn hope. Nobody thought he 1,499 63 could be elected. He did not think so marked by legislative action, has been even more rapid in its progress, more phe-By receipts from C L miller 25,000 52 | Lineself, but one day a flaming patent nomenal in its achievements, then the By ann allowed Ind pupils - 100 00 medicine advertisement stenciled in im- growth of the country itself. And, Mr. By 2 receipts from C L miller 2,815 92 his attention and gave him an idea eloquent gentlemen from Illinois-and a which made him governor. He hired very interesting picture it was, too, and \$31,642 66 a lot of painters and sent them through in California bore the legend "Vote For 16 92 Budd!" At first people laughed; then the other end of the capitol, one having 1.78 they pondered; then they concluded that a man who possessed that much

larger scale what he did for himself. In the meantime a boomlet has been started for Hon. Lucius F. C. Garvin, Democratic governor of Rhode Island. fifty and under sixty shall have \$100 and a By error and releases, Green Hill 15 63 It is a tiny, tender plant, but it may pension of \$8 a month, and that these who By error and releases, Rath'fd'ton 24 43 grow. Hopes of Democratic gains and By error and releases, Duncan Cr 3 60 successes in New England grow apace. have a pension of \$4 a month. Jan 20, 1908, by com on \$68 74 at 5% 4 24 It is only natural that as these hopes | I do not know whether this bill is going Jan 20, by treasurer's receipt - 21 34 grow the Democratic candidates should to pass. I do not know whether it was increase, which is a healthy sign of It is a curious plece, however, in the the times. Judge Parker is attending study of the passing drama of statesmanbarquets, thus popularizing himself ship and politics. It is rather a seductive center of the stage and under the lime that will reach not only the colored broth-

into the gubernatorial office. Perhaps

A few days ago President Roosevelt war and associated themselves, for purposes of their own, very greatly to their Superior court of Rutherford county, signed his John Hancock to the bill own profit and very greatly to the injury made in that certain Special Proceeding creating 2.e office of secretary of com- of the communities in which they dwelt, entitled Mrs. Eliza Owens, William Me-Fadden et al, ex parte, the undersigned sition—which is only one of the innu-which those who have "supported" the commissioneo will sell at the court huuse merable evidences of our growth as a colored brother might get the pension in people. It is fourteen years since the place of the colored brother. I think they office of secretary of agriculture was have properly supported an aged father at 12 o'clock in, the following described created. It will not be that long until or an aged mother, but I believe the bill pieces or parcels of land, all lying and the bureau of labor is erected into an | can be so expanded and so applied that it

of land containing about 20 acres. For sition himself—is giad that Hon. George Possibly this bill is of more value as a and distances see the petition filed in said commerce and labor. He is a universal piece of prospective legislation. It carcause in the office of the clerk of the Sn- favorite and deserves to be. Hereaft. ries with it, it seems to me, to the broad perior court of Rutherford county. This er the position of secretary to the prest- the barbecue, borne upon the swift breezes dent is likely to be more sought after, of anticipation. It carries with it the sugas it is coming to be regarded as a gestion that our Uncle Samuel is not stepping stone to the cabinet. Two secretaries to the president have succeed- | dren, but that he is going to slaughter the McBrayer & Justice retailes to the president have succeeded the focks and herds. In this ed to the higher position—Daniel S. La. choicest of his flocks and herds. In this continue to the higher position of the flocks and herds. mont and George Bruce Cortelyon. In-ward, in this delightful sniffing of the deed, the position of secretary to the breeze which bears in anticipation and in Rooms Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in Mills-Dicker- president affords the incumbent un- imagination the odor and flavor of the Rooms Nos. 1, 2 and 3 in Mills-Dickercon Building, over G. H. Mills & Son
store.

President anoths the inclination of influence thing political. It seems to me that in
quainted with public men of influence comparison the "glad hand" is not in it. and for conferring favors upon them

printed every Thursday evening.

which, like bread cast upon the waters. will return after many days. Mr. Cortelyou by his uniform courtesy and unfalling good nature has endeared himself to nearly every man in house or one of Abraham Lincoln's finest say- they are not only pleased to see him ings was, "God must love poor people, promoted, but wish him perfect success in organizing and conducting the

> At this writing the omnibus statehood bill is still the piece de resistance

light vaunted by the G. O. P. are the is trying to make the Republicans live Delaware Republicans furnishing the up to their platform promises, which appears to be an impossibility. The "Rads" fear six Democratic senators "Cas," he is forced to exclaim, "How southwest, a consummation for which konor to their country and to the hu- Republicans thought it was popular to

> the cuticle from his opponents. The person here referred to is Judge David A. De Armond of Missouri. Since Thomas Brackett Reed went hence

peer or competitor in this line of oratory. His admirers describe him as a "keen cutier." His sentences carve his victims as so many razors. So The race for the Democratic nomina- Two men got into a fight. One slashed De Mortuis.

launched the boom of Hon. William by. There was that double gesture by notions in their heads which can never | "If it contains many advertisements, Randoith Hearst in great shape. Of the unfortunate Republican-the dou- amount to anything. Its most notable a subscriber complains that they take up course Budd was not speaking for fun. bling up and the throwing cut of both effect was to make its author, Mr. too much space. If there is a lack of He did not journey from California to hands to catch his entrails that I saw | Crumpacker of Indiana, familiar to advertising, it is unpopular and the peo-Olio for fun. He had made the trip in Anderson county, Ky., forty years the country. Whether the judge was ple won't have it. before. He was not exercising his or- ago. That man will never interrupt seeking notoriety - merely that and

of the country; that extravagance, as marked by legislative action, has been is-how we may in the near future have

somewhat remarkable objects in view. refer to the bill for pensioning the siaves, the black men and the black women of governor; consequently they voted him person, man or woman, who was a slave and has attained the age of seventy years age of seventy shall be given \$300 and | nensioned at \$12 a month: that those over perhaps were infants in arms during the

lesigned or expected that it should pass. ried and scurried south shortly after the

mercly going to kill the fatted calf in order to afford a feast for his black chil-And, then, what, in the estimation of

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the colored brother, is the pleasant smile possum and taters in the kitchen? Of course the gentleman who introduced Text of Senator Webbs Bill Which this bill, as we understand upon his own

date for the presidency. We understand upon the same authority, however, that there are no trusts, and so, putting the one statement with the other statement wonder whether or not a certain play for he favor of the colored brother has not been met, and more than met, by another play for the favor of the same colored to the nomination of a presidential candidate by at least one of the great parties of this country the colored delegate is a very important factor-a factor to be playto be bargained for-and there is nothing ir the Supetior Courts. like making preparation in good time, so that the yearning of the colored brother "Gas" resembles the poor. By the way, senate, Democrat and Republican, and may be directed in the proper channel, so that the colored brother may look to the proper source for relief and benefit when, in sood time, his friends come into control. Of course, his friends have been in control for a great many years, but se

> Now, the old promise, the old suggestion of forty acres and a mule, is entirely disview of the present promise of \$500 and

far he has been living very largely upon

I do not know how this is going to come sult in, but it does appear to me that upon the political checkerboard, where there spots than is usual in the forming of ly interested in the result of the game, can watch it, and meantime, as we hear man race. Delaware Republicans are advocate statehood. They are in now, con put these disclaimers side by side with others and form our own conclusions as to what they are worth.

From one point of view-not, of course, from the political point, where, I judge, it appears very practical, but from cer-Sarcasm is his forte. He is past tain points of view-all this would seem to master in the delicate art of removing be almost farcical. But even these farces argued to the jury. sometimes have a solemn side, and I can Imagine how the old negroes of the south. the sharks who, in order to "promote" legislation, in order to bring in the millenwithout day Judge De Armond has no the good time promised in this bill-promthese many years, as they long since this regard recognized that nobedy ever turn to their natural and best friends, the white people of the south, for substantial with any reputation to lose. When I frills and furbelows, which are designed was a boy, I attended a public sale simply to catch the colored voter and not

possible presidential nominee. Recent- I have recalled that picture thousands was a fraud from the beginning. Nowell. Why the southerners should strongly heatherish.

That he will be nominated and elected branded as white livered cowards." mayor of Greater New York this fall,

ly in Pennsylvania, show that Demo-Trial bottles free. eratic prospects are improving. In Philadelphia the Republicans, like Ephraim of old, appear to be joined to their idols, but in other cities, particularly in Pittsburg, the Democrats and among themselves, while Democrats

are drawing closer together. Rumored Changes.

all the appointive officers in the gov- present year. But this leads us to again Sims had gotten possession of Ot. Hardware Store. Will give prompt and being situate in Rutherford county, North Carolina, and lying on the waters of Mountain creak and being settled in Rutherford county, and lying on the waters of Mountain creak and being settled in Rutherford county, independent department, whose chief baggers—who in political association in the bardest job. Colonel II. Clay Ev-necessary for the rural delivery.—Raling it from his hands. The neighbor. of Mountain creek, and being known as

Everybody—that is, everybody that ported the colored brother, but who claim ans, who once received a respectable eigh Post. the home place and lands of James T. did not have a hankering after the poMcFadden, deceased, and all said tracts did not have a hankering after the potainly were supported by him. the effect that General Powell Clayton, ceed him. Nous verrons.

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TO LIMIT TALK OF LAWYERS.

Has Passed Senate.

The bill introduced by Senator Webb in the State Legislature to restrict argument of lawyers, has passed the Sen- Barricaded In Boardinghouse on February 6th, 1903. ate. The judiciary committee of the House has ordered that it be reported favorably. Following is the full text of SMOKED CUT AND THEN KILLED. Overdrafts .....

A bill to be entitled an act to authorize judges of the Superior Court to regulate and limit the argument of coansel

Section 1.—Section thirty of The Code is hereby repealed.

Section 2.—On all trials in the Superior Courts of this State, two addresses hours during which scores of shots Surplus...... 2,000 00 to the jury shall be allowed, two for the were exchanged, Lafayette Sims, a Undivided profits ...... State or plaintiff, and two for the de- desperate negro, was killed by the fendent. The judges for the Superior police early this morning in a negro Court are also authorized to limit the boarding house situated on South Ram. Due other banks ...... time of argument on the trial of all part street. The room in which he Cashier's checks..... actions, civil and criminal, except in the and the fire department called out becapital felonies, but in no instance shall fore Sims could be driven from his the time be limited to less than one hour post. As he attempted to escape, on each side in misdemeanors or to less still carrying his gun, he was shot cial Bank of Rutherfordton, do solemnly than three hours on each side in other down. The body was taken to the

Section 3-Where any greater num- from the mob of several thousand neber of addresses, or any extension of groes, who crowded the vicinity of the time shall be desired, motion shall be tragedy. Intense excitement premade, and it shall be in the discretion of vailed while the siege lasted. the judge to allow the same or not, as the interests of justice may require.

Section 5 -This act shall be in force. male and female, will now be the prey of and effect from and after its ratification. —Charlotte Observer.

A Most Fatal Gift, thoroughly is his superb capacity in learned to do and as they long will do- happiness. There are, of course, some other of Officer Windstein, who tried interrupts him now - that is, nebedy relief, entirely free from the politician's If, for instance, a lack of energy, ambition and loss of appetite shows itself rounded. we know it will be followed by serious tion for the presidency is warming up. the other across the abdomen with a The ancient saying, "De mortuis nil and kidney trouble follow quickly. In tragedies of two years ago. Captain which summens was returnable on March It may now be said to be on in earnest. sharp knife and let out his "innards." nisi bonum" ("Concerning the dead say any event Electric Bitters will restore Boyle, who was in charge of the police 7th, 1903, before said justice at his office It may now be said to be on in earnest.

Mr. Ghey litely came to Washington

The wounded han doubled himself up nothing unless good"), does not apply you to health. It strengthens, builds squad, who wever, disposed him town of Rutherfordton. The above defendant will also take notice that a on "private business"-strictly private and threw both hands in front of his to the Crumpacker resolution. It is up and invigorates rundown systems, that while they might be within a po- warrant of attachment was issued by -but his stay in the capital served the stomach to catch his entrails. I was dead as a smelt-that is, if a thing that Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by sition to shoot they would be in no said justice against the property of said purpose of drawing attention to him as a child. The performance made a deep, was never alive may be said to be dead. T. B. Twitty and Thompson & Watkins | danger of being shot.

# Editing a Newspaper.

atorical gifts for the mere pleasure of hearing the melody of his own voice. That witnessed the disculse we go for effect. If we stay away officers retreated the desperado fired heaving the melody of his own voice. That witnessed the disculse he knoweth not. If that was officers retreated the desperado fired his object, he succeeded wondrously from church, they say we are mon- at them, but his marksmanship was court and sentenced by his Honor W. B.

nest. He was telling the country that Mr. Chairman, as I listened to the clo- have ever feared the Crumpacker reso- "If we go to the opera house, they say All efforts to induce the prisoner to in Gaston country, will apply to to his Hourst is in the race and, being in the quent and instructive remarks of the lucion is strange indeed, for nearly we go on free tickets. If we are seen surrender having proved abortive, Su- Excellency, Charles B. Aycock, governchairman of the committee reporting this every business man in the north is opneglect our business. If we avoid going on the street, they say we don't hustle

around after the news. The gossips are busy with the name "If we publish a man who has brought fire. Accordingly an alarm was turnof Hon, George B. McClellan, repre-disgrace upon his family, the friends of ed in and a portion of the fire depart-New York. He is an exceedingly capa- the family would never forgive us. If ment brought to the scene. ble man and popular in the house, we, cut of goodness of heart, decline to The gossip about him is all of a most say anything on the subject, the man's 216 64 mense letters on a dead wall attracted contemplating the picture painted by the pleasant nature and runs in this wise: enemies are disappointed, and we are

rosy spectacles, predict even higher our darling was saved. He is now

### Push the Good Work.

The postal authorities at Washington the police station. say that by July, 1905, free rural delivreform Republicans working tegether ery will be established in every part of and keeping himself well toward the north or south. It has attachments, too. It has attachments, too. It has attachments, too. It has attachments, too. In the worst cetate in Powertyania reaches the minimum of 100 families. in its worst estate in Pennsylvania reaches the minimum of 100 families. | mitted in the parishes, though land-

licans are co-operating with Democrats cent last year, and if the pending bill balanced. He had acted queerly for to secure various reforms, most nota- increasing the appropriation passes Con- two days. From the first attempt to ble of which is election reform. Ev- gress, the prospects for running the num- enter the room Sims insisted that the erywhere Republicans are quarreling ber up to 25,000 at an early date are expolice wanted to murder him. While 100 lbs. wholesale; \$2.20 retail.

share, but her Congressmen are working he would rather be killed than taken "Uneasy rests the head that wears a faithfully to that end, and a number alive. An examination of the room crown;" ditto the head on the shoulders of the pension commissioner. Of will be established in each district the following the tragedy showed that May be found at the Rutherfordton

of land containing about 20 acres. For full description of said lands by courses Bruce Cortelyou is the first secretary of piece of political maneuvering than as a glad to get out of it. The Kansas sol- The only positive cure for blind, ed there. Sims was a tall, black. Attorneys & Counsellors at Law, dier, poet and lawyer, Colonel Gene bleeding, itching and protruding piles, well built negro. He had been em-Ware, has tried it for a few months, cuts, burns, bruises, eczema and all ab- ployed in railroad work at Harrahan. and the rumor is that he is weary of it rasions of the skin. DeWitt's is the onand will soon swap it off for a good fat ly Witch Hazel Salve that is made from consulship. There is another rumor to the pure, unadulterated witch hazelnow ambassador to Mexico, will suc-cood him. Nous versons. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is made to cure countefeits are made to sell. Twitty & caused the death of three negro work-

> The report of the committee on the North Carolina convict camp at Dover says the bedding is filthy and unfit for

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# NEGRO BANDIT HELD **BLUECOATS AT BAY**

Tribune.

Defied the Law.

Almost a Repetition of the Charles Tragedies of Two Years Ago Cocurs In New Orleans-City Was Thrown Into Great Excitement.

New Orleans, Feb. 21.-After holding a posse of blue coats at bay for several morgue without any demonstration

### Origin of the Trouble.

The origin of the trouble was trivial Section 4.—In jury trials the whole Sims occupied a room in the boarding case as well of law as of fact may be house in which there were seven beds. On retiring last night he looked the T. B. TWITTY, JOHN C. MULS, J. H. door and when the landlord early this morning asked him to open it so that another lodger might be admitted, Sims refused. Then the landlord sent for the police. Efforts to persuade Would be the power of foreseeing hole was smashed in it. Through events. This would destroy hope. A the aperture Sims shot a pistol out knowledge of the future would unmake of one hand and a lantern out of the The Levi Cotton Mills Company vs. A. things about the future we do know to enter. Thereupon additional police were sent for and the house sur-

crowd hung around the besieged house Rutherford county, N. U., for the sum

### Refused to Surrender.

An Indian Territory editor has this to and an officer again went to the room to the complaint, or the relief demanded

"No, I won't" he replied with an oath. "I'll shoot if you don't go away. I am not going to leave here. They'll burn me in oil. They'll fry me!" TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

"If we attend church regularly, they for his life. As the landlord and the Zens of North Carolina, that Elijah Mcsmoke the negro out after making the necessary preparations to protect surrounding property from destruction by

## Efforts to Smoke Him Out,

was sent for, the cotton rolled into persons indebted to the estates of the balls and saturated, a match applied said deceased persons to make prompt a let of painters and sent them through to deal with other things calling upon the lot only elected, but by such a treating with directions to paint everywhere the words "Vote For Budd!" the country and swelling treating the country and swelling treating the place with signed with other things calling upon the lot only elected, but by such a treating the room, avenues of escape being the room that the room is a superior of both avenues of escape being the room a New York state next fall, and in the kins of Pleasanc City, Ohio. "Pheumo- smoke and flame. Sims hung on to date, or this notice will be pleaded in somewhat remarkable bill introduced at event of the Democrats electing a leg-the other end of the capitol, one having islature he will be elected to the sen-nia had played sad havor with him and his hiding place until he was nearly bar of eccovery. This February, 1908. ate of the United States in lieu of a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors suffocated, and then made a break to N. B McBRAYER, Administrator. Channey Mitchell Depew. That would treated him but he grew worse every escape. As he appeared at the door Eaves & Rucker, Attorneys. "git up and git" would make a tiptop the south. This bill provides that every be going it with a rush, but some of day. At length we tried Dr. King's with a pistol Patrolman Fred Smith, his friends, viewing his career through New Discovery for Consumption, and rosy spectacles, predict even higher our darling was saved. He is now rifle, fired at him. His aim was true M. L. EDWARRDS, he can do for his friend Hearst on a pension of \$15 a month so long as he or things for him. It may be safely presound and well. Everybody ought to wounded. Instantly other policemen To the left up stairs in the Commercial dicted that he will prove equal to any know, it's the only sure cure for coughs, fired on him. He had searcely fallen colds and all lung diseases. Guaranteed to the floor when he was dead. Then by T. B. Twitty and Thompson, & Wat- the firemen ran a lead of hose into all busidess intrusted to me. Agent for The late municipal elections, especial- kins, druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. the building and extinguished the safe and reliable Fire insurance Co.: paflames, and the body was dragged out, nies, also, for one of the largest and best lifted into a patrol wagon and driven Banding and Trust Companies in the through a line of excited negroes to country. If you desire Fire Insurance

### Guilty of Some Past Crime.

It is believed that the negro resister, but ought, if it were made a law, to and the fact that thousands of Repub- The number was increased 100 per lord Cain thinks he was mentally unthe fire was burning he was heard North Carolina has not yet gotten her praying for deliverance. Just before he was smoked out he shouted that O. C. ERWIN. hood in which the affair occurred is a rough one. It is a barrel house center and trouble has frequently occur-

> Three Killed by Dynamite. Columbia, S. C., Feb. 21.-A premature explosion at Stewart's granite quarry, 2 miles south of this city, Carroll W. Downey, Thompson, City Drug Store and Flor-ence Mills, Forest City. men and injury to several others. The force of the explosion was so tremendous that it shook every house in Columbia, although the city is on a 'Phone No. 22. bluff of a hundred feet above the level of the quarry.

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### COMMERCIAL BANK.

Report of the condition of the Commercial Bank of Rutherfordton, at Rutherfordton, N. C., at the close of business

### Loans and discounts, ..... \$24,817 19 Furniture and Fixtures..... 1,000 00 Due from banks and bankers, 19,995 89 Cash on hand . . . . . . . . . 4,364 40 LIABILITIES. Capital stock . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \$10,000 00

I, J. F. Flack, cashier of The Commer-

Deposits subject to checks . . . . 37.083 35

best of my knowledge and belief. J. F. FLACK, Cashier. State of N. C., Rutherford County. Sworn to and subscribed before me

swear the above statement is true to the

this 14th day of December, 1903 M. O, DICKERSON, C. S. C. Correct—Attest:

### Notice!

Sims to open the door failed, and a North Carolina, Rutherford County, Rutherfordton Township, before O. C.

Erwin, J. P.

P. Loveman & Company. The defendat above named will take notice that a summons in the above entitled action was issued against said defendant on the 27th day of January, 1903, From that time until daylight a great by O. C. Erwin, a justice of the peace of complaint if not checked. Often liver expecting a repetition of the Charles of \$149.03, due plaintiff as damages defendant, which warrant is returnable before said justice at the time and place above mentioned for return of the sum-After the additional police had ar- mons, when and where the defendant is rived on the scene the negro landlord required to appear and answer or demur and pleaded with Sims to come out will be granted. This February 11, 1903. O. C. ERWIN, J. P. Eaves & Rucker, Attys. for Plff.

### Notice!

It was found that Sims piled some In accordance with the rules of his of the furniture in the room against Excellency, this is to notify the citizen; the door and was prepared to fight of Rutherford county as well as the citibad, his only weapon being a pistol. Council, to two years on the chain gang there was nothing to be done but to made after a publication of the same in ELIJAH MCKINNEY.

### Notice.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of Elias Putman and My-A quantity of cotton, oil and sulphur ra Putman, deceased, this is to notify all and the blazing substance hurled into settlement of such indebtedness to the

or want to make any kind of bond call

# Roller Mills.

Half Patent Flour \$2.00 per

Justice of the Peace,

Rutherfordton, N. C. Office up stairs in Dickerson building: Prompt attention given to all business intrusted to them.

Physician and Surgeon. Rutherfordton, N. C. Office in Residence on Main street:

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