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EDITORIAL SQUABS.

The population of Africa is estimated at 100,000,000. Virginia women are forming State paying associations. Southern exchanges are recording deaths by lightning.

Representative Davis of this State has introduced a bill granting compensation to the State of North Carolina for the use of grounds and buildings occupied by U. S. troops. We have expected much from Judge Merrimon and have only been disappointed in his having accomplished much more than we had expected.

Communicated. Relief for the People. No Three. To the Editor of Free Lance: If any county of our beloved State has labored under a more withering curse of radical rule than the insulted, cheated people of Granville have, I have no desire to live in it.

The Legislature of South Carolina has passed a bill prohibiting members of the Legislature, Judges and other public officers from accepting free passes over railroads. This ought to be the law in every State.

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