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J. B. KILLINGSWORTH,
March 25,'98 Adm'r Martha E. Eborn.

ADMINISTRATION.

Having this day qualified as administratrix of Wm. Z. Morton, Sr., deceased, all persons indebted to his estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment, and all persons to whom the said estate is indebted are hereby notified to present their claims, properly certified, for payment within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

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Mr. W. W Winfield, of Yeatesville, was in the city today.

That hustling grocer, E. K. Willis, has now on sale fresh from his refrigerator the best butter, cheese and sliced cooked ham.

Mrs. Doane Herring and children, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Bridgman for the past two weeks, left for Wilson this morning.

Washington dispatches say Senator Pritchard has recommended the appointments of Mr. Seymour Hancock as postmaster and Mr. Hahn collector at New Berne. Both nominations will be made next week.

We extend sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris in the loss of their sweet little babe, Maggie Louise.

This little babe into the world did peep,
Disliked it, closed its eyes and fell asleep.

A dispatch from Plymouth says last night the depot was discovered to be on fire and spread rapidly until all the passenger coaches and cars standing on the track were consumed The origin of the fire is unknown but the concensus of opinion is that it was caused by lightening

The ladies of the Memorial Association return thanks to Messrs. Hill, Studdert, Chauncey and Howard for the use of vehicles on Memorial day, and also to the following merchants for aid in serving the dinner to our Confederate veterans: Mess. Mallison, Hoyt & Mitchell, Dudley, Carter & Tayloe, Wright, Willis and Peterson. They heartily appreciate such kindness.

We desire to call the attention of our citizent to the fact that the carriers of the Messenger are not authorized to sell copies of the Messenger, and we will thank any one who will report any violation of this rule. The carriers are only furnished with the number of papers necessary to supply the subscribers on their route, and any papers sold must prevent them from supplying all with the paper.

The Blounts Creek Democratic Primary met Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and organized by calling Mr. J G. Latham to the chair, and R M. Gaskill was requested to act as Secretary The following delegates were appointed to the County Convention: D W. Gaskill, J. B Hill, Fenner Stilley and were instructed to vote for delegates to the Congressional Judicial Convention that would support J. Bryan Grimes for Congress, and G. H. Brown Jr. for Judge The meeting then adjourned.

The Chas. King Dramatic Co. began their weeks engagement at the Opera House last evening in the presentation of David Garrick, a comedy drama of world wide reputation. Mr. King is no stranger to our theatre goers and last evening in the role of David Garrick gained a reputation which will not be easily forgotten. Miss Dews is a most charming little actress and has gained a warm spot in our hearts The whole company is one of the best to visit our city this season. One of the many attractions last evening was the rendition of "Star Spangled Banner," by Miss Irene Collidge Her voice is a contralto, brim full of sweetness, and depth This solo was worth the price of admission alone. The company will present this evening "For Her Sake."

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