## WEDNESDAY, Dec. 13th, 1911. ISAAC S. LONDON, - - Editor

THE white population of Chat-ham county is 14,958; the colored one present was also that the church a small Testament. Each The white population for 1900 etc. by the Sabbath school. 1900 of 615 white and 671 color- vice, full of thanksgiving and ed, but this is accounted for by trusting that God in His goodthe fact that the formation of ness might spare them to spend the new county of Lee cut off a many more such days of joy and gladness. good slice of Chatham.

The total population of North Bonlee.

Carolina in 1910 as to color was divided as follows: White, 1,500,-513; negro, 597,843; all other persons (Indians, Chinese and Japanese) 7,931. The figures for 1900 were: White, 1,263,503; neg-1890.

upon its ninety-third volumn Satially and morally. 'The friends it has, and their adoption tried, prosperity.

THE Census Bureau's cotton th Carolina have ginned thus far

TEDNESDAY, Dec. 13th, 1911. Appropriate words and great feel-ing. An oration by Mr. Sim-mons Phillips, entitled "Home and Mother", was well delivered. At noon, a great Thanksgiving sermon was preached by Rev. J. H. Bowman. After this Mr. I. H. Dunlap presented to every

is 7,668; and the total is 22,635. fruits, such as apples. oranges was 15,573; colored 8,339; total 23,912. This shows a loss since the orphans. Everyone went away well pleased with the ser-

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### Letter from Mr. Dunlap.

EDITOR GRIT: Sunday night, Dec. 3rd. 'One day nearer Heaven'' .--Bro. Kinnaman, Henry and myro, 624,469; all others, 5.738. self left Bonlee this morning at For 1890 they were: White, 9:30; at 11 we landed at Tysons' For 1890 they were: white, 5.50, at 11 we lange crowd had 1,055,382; negro, 561,018; all others, 1,549. The negro popu-lation constituted 31.6 per cent had hold of the hand of Bro. L. of the total population of the Moon-the hearty handshake, State in 1910, as against 33 per the gentle look of the eyes, and cent in 1900 and 34.7 per cent in a few pleasant words caused us at once to feel free and glad to be with them. We had the pleasure of shaking the hand of

THE News & Observer entered many warm friends while there. Western Chatham was at one time called 'the dark corner', but urday. Under the editorship of I find her wide awake and work-Josephus Daniels, it stands today ing for the Master. Truly I bea paper feared by its enemies and lieve the best people on earth are loved by its friends. It has no there; they are on to their job half-way ground. And though strictly a partizan paper, it still is ever found on the side of mor- exercises were simply grand. ality fighting without let for the Am glad that my life has been cause of progress, both mater- spared to be with them this day. I feel that many who were there are tonight 'one day nearer Hea-ven,' and with Bro. Moon to lead are bound to it with hoops of them and that body of Christian steel.' We wish for it continued people to follow, God being their helper, lost souls will be saved. I am proud of Bro. Moon; may God lead him.

After services we drove over report issued Friday shows that to Sister Lydia McManus' for Georgia, North Carolina and Sou-th Carolina have ginned thus far ner more. Truly she is one of the greatest women on earth. this year more cotton than ever She has been a widow for 20 before was grown within their years; was left a poor widow with borders. The total number of 5 sons and 2 daughters, the oldest bales ginned in the United States son being only 17. Three of them are now graduates and men. of



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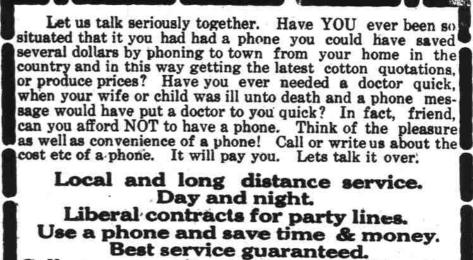
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prior to Dec. 1st is 12,814,832, ning for every year except in tire family are Christians, church 1904, 1906 and 1908, and coming workers and leaders in mission-

EDITOR GRIT:-

The rally here Saturday was a and her recitation at the Thanksbig success, 1,000 people being present. I. H. Dunlap made the address of welcome, then the Contest was begun. The judges And that's not all. She has built Contest was begun. The judges were Henry Brady, J. F. Craven, of Cheeks, Bill Phillips, of Wells, J. R. Phillips, of Ramseur, and Levi Cox. These occupied the stand and 20 girls between the ages of 7 and 14 then marched up in front and were examined, and the judges decided that Miss Annie Underwood won 1st prize.

Annie Underwood won 1st prize, one gold dollar; Miss Ruby Dun-Grove, where we found Rev. L. We went from here to Hickory one gold dollar; Miss Ruby Dun-lap 2nd, \$1.50 dress pattern; Miss Tamer Scott 3rd, \$2. pair shoes. The came the fun for the ugliest man for the prize of overalls, to-bacco, soap and cathartic pills. Ten men entered the stand and it was decided that John Pad Ten men entered the stand and it was decided that John Pad Phillips, of Harpers X Roads, was the winner. I. H. Dunlap was appointed to present the prize, with A. D. Phillips to He is still leading them. I learn the inter the transformed to present to present the transformed to present to present topperation. The pres give the instruction how to use today that they will organize a it if any symtoms of returning Baptist church there the 3rd ugliness. Next was the 200yd Sunday with about 30 members. foot race for a watch. 10 boys They are a poor people, need competed, C. H. Cox winning in your assistance; also your pray-29 seconds. The watch was then ers. Help them, please; they presented him by J. W. Yow, the are a decided people and worthy. silversmith. Much amusement Very truly yours, ISAAC H. DUNLAP. was furnished by those trying to

walk the 'wiggly pole. Much credit is due the Bennett Supply Co. and the Flat Creek

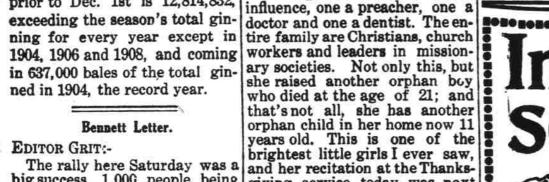
Supply Co. for furnishing the different prizes. Here's hoping we will have an-

other rally soon. LONG SHANKS.

are here to serve the people and Thanksgiving Service at Hope Church.

Thanksgiving Service at Hope Church. EDITOR GRIT:-Thursday (Thanksgiving day) was red letter day in the history of Hope Methodist Protestant church. A large congregation gathered there and beginning at ten o'clock was held oue of the very best Thanksgiving services ever held at Bonlee. It was one of the occasions where the Spirit of God is manifest on every side. At ten p.m. services were opened with songs, and prayer by var-ious ones. Next was an an-nouncement of the occasion by thet concident of the occasion by the concident of the occasion by the concident of the occasion by the tore of the occasion by the tore occasion by nouncement of the occasion by that genial and consecraced Christian gentleman, Mr. I. H. We buy furniture in car lots and We buy furniture in car lots and Dunlap. Following this were several recitations by the child-ren of the Sabbath school, which were by far the grandest the writer has ever had the privilege of listening to. The children were at their best and made a lesting impression on the lower have been tried and is the

make your holiday purchases and would suggest that if you want to get the cream of the market the sooner you buy the better. DR. J. H. IHRIE. lasting impression on the large ranges have been tried and is the audience. Truly the Spirit of womans' favorite. Dentist, God was in their souls and many Now, as for Christmas goods were the eyes that were bedimm-We have a beautiful line of useful things will visit BONLEE and We expect to have the largest leleve le le ve ve ve ve ve ve le ve remain one weekeach suitable for presents for ladies, and gentleed with tears at the conclusion show of toys, also 5 and 10cent G. A. FOSTER, M. D. month, week begin- men and children also. All we ask is that of their recitations and songs. goods that can be found in our LIBERTY, N.C. A pleasing feature of the exer- county. Yours for business, ning the 3rd Monday you look over our line before you buy. cises was the presenting of a The Dunlap Furniture & Hardware Co, Testament to each child who Bonlee, N. C. Specialist; diseases of of each month, pre-Wishing you again the compliments of the season and stomach and intestin- pared to do all kinds participated in the exercises by thanking you for your very liberal patronage in the past, we are C. E. Kinnaman, Superintenes; office and labora- of dental work. dent of the Sabbath school. The speech of acceptance was made by Mr I H Dunlon with STOUT MERC. CO. tory Liberty, N. C. made by Mr. I. H. Dunlap with S. J. MARLEY, Manager. WELCH-MARLEY CO. Phone 21.



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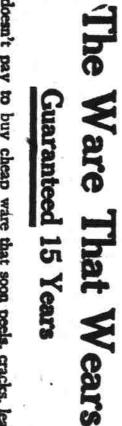


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