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#### LYON RACKET STORE.

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anytime. Dughi is the only man in the committee adjourned. It is the town who has kept up the ice cream | general opinion that Durham is down trade throughout the year.

#### STATE AID QUESTION.

After Month's of Slumbering, it Bobs up Before the Committee

The educational committee held a m sting yesterday afternoon to hear er riment on Senator Fortune's bill to " away the appropriations to the e tre galaxy of state educational institutions and, just as a little sidelight, to abolish the geological survey. That the committee came down with both feet on the bill of this wholesale destructionist showed that it is composed of men who have regard for the interests of the state and, incidentally, for their own salvation politically.

Dr. George T. Winston first spoke against the bill from the standpoint of the university and made a strong stationery that pen or pencil evertrav- talk. He was followed by congressman Harry Skinner and senator When you learn that we are selling Moody who both spoke ably and well in support of sustaining the appropriations. Senator Partone said that appropriations should be made to every a hool or none. Then Mr. Ewart made a motion that the bill be re-We have just stocked upon Blank ported unfavorably and it was carried,

A committee that had visited the Normai school reported that it was in favor of a special appropriation for two years, of \$10 000. Dr. C. D ALFRED WILLIAMS & CO. Melver spoke in favor of his school.

Throws up to this time had been very quiet out when Mr. W. N. Jones arose to speak against the university, the fun began. Mr. Jones charged that the university officials had been traveling over the state taking away students from other colleges. Then Dr. Winston jumped up. "I say that these charges are entirely false," he said. In an instant Dr. Columbo Durham, ever ready for a fight or argument, was on his feet. "They are true. Will Dr. Winston say he has not written letters to students of other colleges in the attempt to get them to come to the university?" Dr. Winston replied that he did deny it and intimated that students of other colleges had written him in the hope of egtraping him; but stated that he had been guarded in his replies. He also read a letter from Dr. Durham to himself, "warning" him not to visit a Baptist association meeting.

The argument got warmer and warmer and the two leaders stood up and shook their fingers in each other's faces and slung the "absolutely falses" and "entirely untrues" at each other with remarkable frankness. You can get ice cream at Dughi's After this had gone on for some time and Winston on top, at present.

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#### COLD, HARD FACTS

FOUND OUT AND PLACED HERE, WITHOUT COLORING.

Good Value Though, For They Tell the Story Briefly.

The case of Yancey vs. Stronach, of some interest, comes up today in Su-

now nearly finished. The people are anxious to see the shaft pulled into

Many needed improvements are being made in Nash square. Neat turfing and trimming of trees will improve the park greatly.

A woman, who was drauk and disorderly on the streets last evening was fined \$5 and costs by mayor Badger

plaintiff, Yancey.

With the advent of the fine weather work on the Mills' lumber factory and the Farina mills has been going on rapidly and much progress has been

The Mission circle of Kings Daughters are to give a tea and musical at the residence of Mrs. W A. Myatt's, on North Biount street on next Thursday evening. The public are invited.

The caucus of republicans held last evening decided to concede the railroad commissioner to the populists. That leaves the place to one of two men, Otho Wilson or "Buck" Kitchen. Which will it be? Otho is leading by a neck now.

Tae ladies who asked the legislature for a \$5,000 appropriation for the woman's exhibit at Atlanta are going to place there a big, bare table on which will be the tabled bill, framed, of the Oakland church, in Johnson and the photographs of the senators voting for and against it.

There were several little magistrates cases on the tapis this morning. Wilson and Wilcox, whose fight and broken head story, was briefly told yesterday, were each fined A colored man who is accused of stealing a mule Raleigh, Judge Armistead, of Char-

A colored woman stepped off a moving street car on Hillsboro street this afternoon. As usual with such women shestepped outward and of course was thrown. She was not badly hurt, strange to say.

Some of the legislators say the session will end on Monday next; others, and their view is the more probable, say that the session will be continued several days. The calendar is terribly crowded with bills, many of which will die, before reaching "daylight"

This afternoon the educational committee will hold another meeting on the "state aid question." The meeting is held to give Dr. Columbo Durham a chance to orate, he claiming that he was "crowded out" yesterday and did not have time to display his oratorical powers. Another "racy" time is confidently expected.

A gentleman, holding an office which it has been spoken of abolishing, yesterday went into the engrossing clerk's office in the senate and asked the negro clerk there to show him the bill. "Is dar any salary to y'or office boss," said the clerk. "Yes" said the gentleman. "Dey 'aint goin' to 'bolish it den, all 'dem places is being saved for good populists."

The matter of making a change in the city charter is not yet definitely settled, as is generally supposed. A bill, a modification of the Shaffer bill, has been prepared and will be introduced. Under its provisions the city limits are to be extended; the dividing line is to be moved from Newberne avenue to Hargett street; the clerk and the tax collector are to be elected by the people. The supporters of the bill say that it is an unobjectionable, conservative bill and one that will pass. It has a slight chance of

We have just received Buffalo Lithia Water Nos. 1 and 2 direct from the Springs. Come and see us.

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#### DR. BURWELL DEAD.

A Good Man Gone-Sketch of a Lite Well Spent,

Rev. Dr. Burwell died this moruing at 4 o'clock at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Crow. For about ten days he has been critically ill of bronchitis, brought on by grip, and his death has been hourly expected. The funeral services will be held at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon from the Pre-byterian church. The The foundation of the monument is pall bearers will be the deacons and elders of the church. On Wednesday morning the remains, lying in the church tonight, will be taken to Charlotte for interment there. His body will be buried by the side of his wife and children. In the death of Dr. Burwell the city and the state loses one of the most respected and beloved citizens. He was one of those few men of whom it can be truly said, "He never had an enemy." He had been spared for a long and useful life In the superior court this afternoon and has gone at last for his reward. the case of T. B. Yancey vs Frank He would have been 93 years old in Stronach was decided in favor of the June. Following is a sketch of his life, a life remarkable and beautiful. He was born on June 12th 1802; or-

dained to preach by Hanover Presby-

tery, of Virginia, in 1827. For several years he was pastor of Wood's Presbyterian church, near Petersburg. In 1835 he moved to Hillsboro and joined the Orange Presbytery and in 1837 established his first female school, at Hillsboro. For perhaps 8 years he was pastor of the Presbyterian church there. He then moved to Charlotte, in 1857, and there started another large female school. While there he was paster of the Paw Creek church. H - came here in 1872 and established the famous school for girls, Peace Institute, the firm being Robt. Burwell and son, John B. Burwell. He managed the school with wonderful success for nearly twenty years. During his residence in Raleigh he had charge county, which charge he held until a year ago. He was married in 1832 to Miss Margaret Anne Robertson, of Petersburg, Va. He had eight sons and four daughters, of whom five sons and one daughters survive him. His sons were John B. Burwell, of lotte, Benjamin, pastor of Memphis church, Richard, of Charlotte, William R., of Charlotte, Daniel, of Norfolk, Robert, who died in 1865 of a wound, James, killed at Ceda Creek in 1854, Edmand, died in Charlotte in 1887. His daughters were Mrs. Nannie Crow, of Raleigh, Mrs. Stradrick, who died, and Misses Fannie and Jennie, who died unmarried. He was in the first class of the Presbyterian Union Theo. Seminary and not a member of his class is now living.

State Convention Y. M. C. A. The state executive committee of the Y. M. C. A., has given the programme of the state convention at Raleigh, March 21st and 24th.

Prof. W. W. Smith, L. L. D., president Randolph Macon college, Va., will officiate, also F. S. Brockman, college secretary international committee, H. P. Anderson, secretary of the international committee, C. W. Curran, secretary R. R. department.

Briggs Building and Manufacturing Cympany Surrenders.

John Briggs and Anderson Betts, composing the Briggs' building manufacturing company, today made a surrender of its property to Mrs. Holleman, who holds a mortgage of \$6,000. There are other debts and judgements aggregating nearly \$800 have been entered so far.

The sheriffs of Vance and Catawba counties both made contributions today to the penitentiary, in the shape of "birds." The sheriff of Vance brought in three; the sheriff of Catawba, two. All go for minor offenses and no special interest attaches to either of them.

Prisoners to the "Pen."

#### Superior Court.

The first business that came before the court for settlement today was that of Bettie Hocutt, a good looking white woman, against Charles Hocutt, her husband, for divorce. She produced good evidence and she got her divorce. The case of Yancey vs. Strongch occupied the court the remainder of the morning.

#### GOOD DAY TO YOU

SHOUT OUT THESE WELCOME VISITOR VISITORS.

It is Well Worth While to Talk to These Happy People.

Mr. A. B. Young, of Concord, is in

Mr. J. R. Ruffin, of Winston, is in

Mr. L. M. Scott, of Graensboro, is

Mr. M. S. Clifton, a University student, is in the city.

Mr. R. R. King, of Greensboro, arrived here this morning.

Hon, Theo, F. Klutz, of Salisbury, arrived here this afternoon.

Miss Matilda Heartt, of Durham, is in the city, visiting friends.

Capt. John B. Broadfoot, of Fayetteville, is visiting here today.

Miss Lilian Thompson returned

from Pittsboro this afternoon, Mr. John R. Morris, of Goldsboro,

arrived this morning. Col. Julian S. Carr and W. M. Morgan, of Durham, are in the city today. Mr. J. A. Smith, of Bessemer City, is the city, at the Yarboro. Major Guth-

Ex-judge Womack, of the revenue department, returned today from a flying trip to Pittsboro.

rie is also here.

Attorney general Frank I. Osbourn, and two sons, of Charlotte, arrived here this afternoon.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Mendlesohm, of Wilmington, are in the city today, at the Park hotel.

Mr. P. C. Graham, of Hillsboro, well known here, arrived last evening. He is to locate in Oxford, having formed a law-copartnership with his father, Major John W. Graham, of Hillsboro. Major Graham will continue to live at Hillsboro.

Before the Commission.

This morning Mr. P. D. Ruffin, of Winston, general freight agent of the Norfolk and Western railroad, appeard before the railroad commission to make answer in the case of Cooper Bros., marble dealers, against the Norfolk and Western. The Cooper Bros., charge the railroad with over charging freight for car loads of mar-

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