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pecial to Journal. RALEIGH, Dec. 19 .- The Baptist cenury committee met here today, Rev, Dr. Charles E. Taylor chairman, the other nembers being Rev. Dr. Vann, Prof. Sikes and N. B. Broughton. Arrangements were completed for raising \$100,-0:0 next year for hi her education, of this sum \$50,060 is to go to the Baptist Female University here, \$30,000 to Wake Forest college, \$10,000 to Chowan Baptist female institute and the remaining \$10,-000 is to be divided among perhaps a dozen Baptist high schools. Chairman laylor says it is the purpose to establish a high school or academy in every one of the 50 Baptist Associations. The legislature will be asked to change he name of the Baptist Female Univerity here to the Woman's College It appears that a number of the Baptists

BALEIGH.

\$100,000 For Education.

Federal Changes Expected.

Mormons Continue To

Work. Preparations

For Inauguration

o not like the present name. They say t is not a university at all. Gov. Russell returned last night from lew York, to which city he went after りゅうしりゅうしりゅうしゅうしゅうしょうしょしょうしゃしゃ he conclusion of the centennial celebra

ion at Washington. The he tring here of the State's side o he tax assessment case ended today. Many tax assessors were heard, the drift of their evidence is that they assess property at what it will bring at a forced made in his township in years. This troubles, F. S. Duffy & Co. particular piece of property assured as \$100 | brought \$7100.

The 18th volume of the State Records sout There will be one more, the last, the index. The copy for all this is in the printers hands. There will be aree volumes of the Regimental liteories of North Carolina troops in the 'ivil War The copy for these are also in the protors' Lands, with the excepbut of the histories of three regiments. which are written but have not yet ar

i merce after committee of the State dr in a bare thre afternoon, Charle vanice of Asheville presiding. He tire! and General William R. Cax of ger-sine is the new president. Two an a interest on the bonds were orderof ; and. The years' interest will still be me, but another payment in apt to be

A prominent federal official here says hat he has the best of reasons for he teving that President McKinley will make surprising changes in federal officials in the South next year, and that cle, No. 9319, 23 Inch frame, 15 tuch will be the case particularly in North

The Marman continue their work in North Catolitia and they regard it as a from rear of Postoffice Building in this primiting field of effort. Most of their anik lenow done in the eastern counter They have over 40 workers, and so have a conference, with a presiding lier. The conference is now in session attendiabore. The Mormons assert that their introducation or proselytes have visited fully half the homes of white

Lewis W Barringer, a son of the late the new display is exciting the interest Hon. D. M. Barringer. Minister to of the latest visitors. spain, died at his home, in Philadelphia. sectorday. He fixed here until about lights was the desire on the part of the after a time and one of them, waiting cath owned valuable property here. The report of Principal John E. Hay here, is issued. He asks the legislature

large special committee to take charge not too numerous. Col. Ransdell had provide lanch, hot coffee, and quarers for all the soldlers wao come.

a year. There are 365 pupils now pres-

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Folding-Bed Victim.

Avenue, was found dead in a collapsed 10:90 o'clock last night.

Bons retired at 9-30 o'clock and noth- Duffy & Co. ing named was heard by the other nembers of the family during the hour that followed to indicate that an acel dent had occurred. He was sixty-sight

Supreme Court Opinions. Special to Journal.

RALEIGH, December 19-The Supreme Court handed down the following opin-Baptists Prepare To Raise The ions: Cochrane vs. Improvement Co., from

McDowell, affirmed. Baker vs. Brem, from Burke, affirmed Gers Water Co. vs. Durham, new Will Change Name of University.

Jeffrys vs. Railway from Guilford, Falson vs. Hicks, from Duplin af-

Venable Will Case, from Stokes in faor of propounders.

Kremer vs. Rallway from McDowell, new trial Dave vs. Yelton, from Gaston af-

fimed. Hoffman vs. Insurance Co., from Gaston, new trial. Manufacturing Co. vs. Blythe, from

Mecklenburg, affirmed

Blaisdell vs. Lee, from Mecklenburg new trial. Harah vs. Dellinger, from Mecklen. burg, error.

Population of Raleigh.

RALEIGH, N. C., Dec. 19 .- The census of Raleigh taken by the Board of Alder nen was completed today.

The accuracy of the government census s established, there being a gain of only It votes qy the recount.

The city census shows 8227 white 5447 negroes, total 13 674. A large be gro exodus is found to have taken place

He'p is needed at once when a person life is in danger. A neglected cough or cold may so n become serious and should be stopped at once. One Minute Cough Cure quickly cures coughs and cale, a cash sale; yet one of them said colds and the worst cases of croup, brononly one such sale of laud had been chitis, grippe and other throat and lung

New Name For Sing Sing.

SING SING, N. Y., Dec. 18. - By a unacmous vote the citizens of this place roted to petition the Legislature t hange the same of the village from Sing ding to Oastning, which is the name of

To prevent the State prison at Sing ling from taking on the name of the new town it is proposed to erect a new station at the prison gate and remove he "ing "ing sign to it

The One Day Cold Cure.

Rich Gold Ore in Colorado.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Col. Dec. 18 .- Ore was shown in the hotel, tonight from the Mary Nevin, on Rosebud Hill, which and screwed them on the posts of his ranks with the richest ever found in the guest bed, so that the electricity could

One specimen, two inches in thickness, displays particles of gold as large nia has been banished. - New York as a pea, and will assay \$200,000 to the Press.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers ar dainty little pills, but they never fail to cleanse the liver, remove obstructions and lavigorate the system F. S , Duffy

Red Lights in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.-The Sensie has adopted red lights as signals, and The occasion for the adoption of re-

25 years ago, and at the time of his Sergeant at Arms of the Senate to meet the convenience of many members of the House. Owing to the fact that the of the institution for the white blind Senate has been of late much of the time in executive session, members of the to make a per capita allowance of \$350. House who had business at the Senate traveled across the building, only to be refused admission when they had reach-Adjoiant General Roysler says he ed the Senate door. Col. Ranadell thinks 1000 troops will be here at the thought of a way to save all this unnec easuguration of Gov. Aycock if the essary travel. The main door of the weather is favorable. The Baleigh Senate Chamber can be seen from the hamber of Commerce has appointed a main door of the House, if visitors are in auguration matters. It is the purpose | three electric lights inclosed in red buibs placed right over the main door of the Benate. When the Senate goes Into executive session a doorkeeper turns on the lights in these red lamps. A mem ing antiseptic application for any pur- ber of the House who starts out for the pose, use the original DeWist's Witch Senate at once sees these red lights and Hazel Halve, a well known once for piles and may postpone his visit until the lights are turned off.

Many persons have had the experience of Mr. Peter Sherman, of North Stratford, N. H., who says, "For years I suffered torture from chronic indigention ORIGADO, Dec. 18.-Henery Boan, a but Rodol Dyspepsia Oure made a well wealthy and retired tobecconiet, who re- man of me." It digests what you est sided with his family at 4,808 Langley dad is a certain cure for dyapopula and every form of stomach trouble. It gives folding hed by members of his family at relief at once even in the worst cases and can't help but do you good.-F. S.

> Taking His Chukees. "Why do you go back to the tell who chested you !" "Why, I don't think he'd have th perve to chess me again,"

THE MARKETS.

The following quotations were received by J. E. Latham & Co. New Bern,

Open, High. Low. Close

Jan.... 9.50 9.53 9.44 9.45 Mch. 9.35 9.39 9.29 9.29 May..... 9.27 9.28 9.20 9.20 Aug 8 05 8 8 8.90 8.90 Sept WHEAT:- Open. High. Low. Close May 781 781 781 80. R'y Pfd 714 Fed. S..... 541 Con. T Leather

A. S. & W..... Cotton receipts were 50,000 bales at all ports.

Liverpool Market.

Spots 5 11-32 Sales 6,0.0 bal s. Fu tures Jan-Feby. 5.15. Aug.-Sep. 4.51 New Bern Cotton Market.

J. E. Latham & Co, has received the

Cotton in the local market sold at 8.25

following advices as to the cotton mar New York, Dec. 19.

"Cotton market steady but specula on shows diminished volume

Don't use any of the counterfelts of DeWitt's Witch I'a ... Salve. Most of them are worthless or liable to cause injury. The original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is a certain cure for piles eczema, cuts. scalds, burns, sores and skin di cases F. S. Dany & Co.

I suppose all of us are suffering from the Invasion of electricity. My of friend Bounce, who was a victim of it somnia for 40 years, thinks he sleep now better than any other man cr earth. He lost his way in the Adirot dacks and stald overnight in the cable of a forester. His sleep was the deep deep of a Just man made perfect, an In the morning be found that he had not moved half an inch all night.

"It's the insulation," the forester is sisted "You city folks are Lillin your the contact you'll be able to sleep an get your next which

explained to mean that our bedress are in contact with the floors, th with mother earth, so that whateve personal magnetism a man has in hin goes away in the nighttime, leaving him like a log on his mattress. Th forester had obtained four glass insulators from telegraph poles somewhere not run away. Bounce the very day he got home insulated his led, and from that moment to the present his insom

Many years ago, when printed music was dearer than it is now, a plain quiet man, evidently from the country. went into a London music shop and asked to see a certain book of tunes. The clerk laid before him an oblong volume with two tunes on a page. book familiar to old time choir singers. The old man drew out of his coattall pocket an ancient yellow fife and, open

ing the book at the first page, began to play softly, turning the leaf with careful flugers as each page was fluished. The clerks, very much amused a

first, grew weary of the droning noise till a tune was coded, ventured to may politely: "Do you think you will take the book

sir? Does it seem to suit you?" The fife was lowered, and the player looking over it at the youth in mild sur

"I cannot tell. I have played only half the tunes," and placidly turned another leaf.

How many of us who use or hear the familiar expression, "It was Hobson's choice," are acquainted with the real sort of selection that Tobias Hobson offered his guesta? This is the genuine version of the tale. The said Tobias Hobson was a Cambridge innkeeper with 40 horses in his stables, some bet ter, of course, than others. When a traveler came to request a mount, be was obliged to take the steed that stood nearest the door, although there were so many others advertised as for hire. If the traveler objected to that mount, all he could do was to wait until some other travelor had come for one and so removed this and left its next door neighbor nearest the stable

An Cnexpected Retort. orator, "wentled man be today were fi not for woman? She passed a moment and looke

around the finil. "I repeat," she said, "where would "He'd be in the garden of Eden entfrom the gattery. Boston Traveler.

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