## The Road Question.

Editor LENOIR NEWS:

As you have tendered the use of ernmenta slight breathing spell. The the encounter Tuesday in which your columns for the public discus, strike flasco and the passing of the Governor Jeff Davis, of Arkansas, sion of the road question, I wish to polish crisis have certainly tempora- had his skull cracked by a pistol in offer a few suggestions along that rily strengthened the hands of the the hands of ex-Congressman Dinsline. Much has been said about bet- government. Practically all danger more was only the fifth fight the Govter roads, but to no purpose, except of the necessity for dealing with an ernor has had in three years. "He need and desire.

is moving forward with rapid strides,

enterprise that concerns our people ally on universal suffrag. the roads of Caldwell, except the be considered to reflect the views of this year, but still survives to fight who assembled from morning until Caldwell and Watauga turnpike, and the Premier said:

Affairs in Russia.

"The extreme wing of the intelli- world how low a blackguard can bea few other amendments, are worse than they were 40 years ago, the hills gent Liberals still insist on fighting a come a Governor." The Evening Post book of the law of the Lord their God wearing steeper year by year, and windmill when they express fears of goes on to say that "the decent men one-fourth part of the day, and anoththis in the face of the fact that the a return to the old regime. That has of the South must hang their heads er fourth part they confessed and woruse of roads is increasing at an in- passed forever. The Emperor's step over Davis' escapades, for they can- shiped the Lord their God (chapter ix, crease of one hundred per cent. every is irrevocable. The reports that his not complain if the world wonders 1-3). It was a time of a real work of three years. Now I ask, can we resolution has been shaken are abso-afford to let this condition remain lutely without foundation. Neverfor generation after generation, or theless, the country must be saved vis, Vardaman and Tillman are to An account of the seventh month. shall we enter upon a higher plane of from anarchy, and strong measures misrepresent the men and women of with its feasts of trumpets, atonement tranportation. I think the financial like those measures instituted at the South." There are at least two and tabernacies, is found in Lev. xxili condition of our citizens, with the Chernigoff, Saratoff, Tamboff and injustices in this arraignment-that and should be carefully studied in congrowing enterprises in other depart Penza must be taken where the ocean which makes of it a sectional matter nection with this lesson. The three growing enterprises in other depart ments will justify a move on the pub-lic roads on a large scale. I am in need there be the slightest fears that favor of a bond issue, as 1 think it is the government desires to retrace its vis and Vardaman.-Charlotte Ob- to all the people. See Acts xill, 38, 39, the only thing in our reach that will steps." server.

do justice to the needs of our cit-Speaking of the Jewish questions, the member of the cabinet said: For

and paying damages.

izens

clothed with authority to locate all cree equality without action on the would be neither loud nor long .- Neto good grading in old roads.

All changes or other road work to Jews among the ignorant classes of be let by contract. I am in favor of Russia is not fancied. It is deploran amendment in the law which relable but true that people under the quires the poor non tax payer to keep old regime were saturated with the in repair the public road. I am in fav- idea that the Jews were their oppresor of taxation at least, in part, to bear sors. If the Jews were granted equal this burden. The bond issue, if san- rights with Russians the latter would ment built on the public square spent among our own laboring class, frightful massacres.-Ex. not lost. It would stimulate new settlers among us, enhance the value of

property, and lastly would bequeath a rich legacy to coming generations for all time.

Now, Mr. Editor, if this bond issue meets the approval of our people, jury last Monday about noon. The and give us something better. Better roads, we must have. C. L. COFFET, had agreed as follows:

The present lull is giving the gov- The New York Evening Post says

Strenuous.

to show the utter inability of the armed uprising in Poland is regarded fought a draw with the Republican State law, County authorities, chain as over and martial law will proba- candidate for Governor in August, gangs, or anything else on a small bly be abolished at the end of the 1909; was knocked out by Judge Car scale, to give the relief the people week. The immediate question con- roll D. Wood a year later; was prefronting the cabinet is the electoral voted by friends from clinching attend Bible studies or conferences and It is needless to argue the need of law. Premier Witte and his col. with A. F. Vandeventer in October, an inducement to others to do so. It better conditions of the public roads leagues have almost reached the con- 1903, and had another stand-up fight is an account of a seven days' conferthat is apparent to all. While every clusion to base the elections practice with Judge Wood in December, 1908. ence for Bible reading, at which the

He was threatened with death by his book of the law of Moses was read in A member of the cabinet who may Attorney General in September of the hearing of all the men and women again-and, incidentally, to show the

Gorge Adako luterest to all who are privileged to Warrioz Lenoir Freeland Hudson Saw Mills midday (verses 1-3, 18). Later in the same month, on the 24th day, the peo-Rhodhiss ple gathered again and read in the Cliffs

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Text of the Lesson, Neh. vill, 8-18.

Memory Verses, 17, 18-Golden Text,

Luke xi, 25-Commentary Prepared

This lesson should be one of special

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Lv. Chester Yorkville Jastonia Lincolnton Newton Hickory Cliffs Rhodhiss Saw Mills Hudson for a good comment. Treeland

Verse S of our lesson is, I think, the Ar. Lenoir best definition of good reading that I Ly Lenoir The people of some of the Southhave ever seen. I do not know why lam in favor of one hundred the cabinet there exists no Jewish ern states have practically disfran it might not be applied to singing also, Warrior Olivet thousands dollars bonded debts for question. It is not what should be chised the negro, and the country especially to solo or duet singing, or Coffey's the county, imoney to be used ex- done, but how to do it. We are ab- looks on with in difference. If the such like, But, if so applied, what about Collettsville Adako Gorge Fillip Ar. Mortimer the worship of God.

As to both the law and the prophets, be very plainly written, so that those who read might run to obey (Deut. xxvii, 8; Hab. 11, 2). The necessity of understanding the word and how to understand it may be learned from Matt. xill, 19, 51; xvi, 9, 11; Acts vill, 30; Heb. x1, 3; iv, 2. What shall be

said of the sermons and essays which this burden. The bond issue, if san-ctioned by the majority vote of the accept it as confirmation of the sus-in Lenoir in memory of the noble which are supposed to indicate supeople, would enable us to have good picions they already harbor on ac- men of the County who fell in perior talent on the part of the roads right away, which would en count of recent developements, that the war between the States fight- speaker? Sad it is, but true, that there able us to pay the interest on our the Emperor has betrayed them, and ing for the right as they saw the are many who, like the old Scotchbonds; secondly, the money would be nothing the central government right. The NEWS wants to put woman, consider such efforts very could do would prevent the most its little mite in to help erect this learned simply because they would not

set apart Dec. 15th to 20th as sul, discerning the thoughts and intents BARGAIN DAYS on which we of the heart (Heb. lv, 12); hence the will give one half of all money people mourned and wept as by the The trial of this case occupied about we receive on subscriptions 10 words of the book they saw their sin before God (verse 9). The Spirit

Everbody in the county should of God convinces of sin and of rightwe start on an era of lasting prosper. jury deliberated on it till about 10 o' do something to this noble cause eousness and of judgment (John xv), ity and development. If rejected, we clock Tuesday when the twelve ju and remember on these Bargain 8-11), and without conviction of sin and are doomed for the next century. 1 rors filed into the court room and Days you subscribe for and get the main the century of the format determined by the format determined want to see a free and full expression took their places in the jury box. The paper for the full time for which of the month was always accompanied of our citizens from all sections of jury stated through their foreman, you pay and half of the subscrip- by an offering made by fire (Lev. 23the county. If it meets their ap Mr. John Cutchin, that they had tion money goes into the monu- 25), and all offerings pointed to Him probation, say so. If not, say so, agreed on a verdict. The foreman ad ment fund. If you take the pa- who was made sin for us, through dressing the court stated that they per yourself, send it to a friend whom alone there is forgiveness. The also as a Christmas present and people, being penitent, are therefore "If your honor please, we have five these help the monument fund. exhorted to rejoice because of the redemotion provided, and, being made to abscriptions must be paid understand, they did rejoice and made great mirth and helped to make others defraud the government, we find the en for a shorter time than six glad (10-12). He who said, "I delight n nths, which will be 50 cents. to do Thy will, O my God" (Ps. xl, 8; Dec. 15th to 20th, inclusive the Heb x, 7), said to His disciples the night before He suffered: "These things Monument Bargain Days. have I spoken unto you that my joy THE NEWS, might remain in you and that your joy Lenoir, N. C. might be full." "Ask and ye shall receive, that your joy might be full" (John xv, 11; xvi, 24). The joy of the Lord is associated with the salvation of His people in Isa. xil, 2, S; xxxv, 1, State of North Carolina, i 4; 1xl, 10. See also the joy in Luke xv. There are many in our day who pro-C. L. Rader enters & locates 50 acres





clusively for engineering, grading solutely of one mind that all the re- negro vote were eliminiated as a the singing that does not come under strictions on the Jews should be abol- dominant factor in all the states of this head? Well, away with it all. Let We must have a county engineer ihed, but for the government to de the Union the protest against the act it perish, for there is no place for it in clothed with authority to locate and part of the Douma would be full of gro enfranchisement was a war meas- God took care that the words should danger. The prejudice against the ure, and the war is over!

## BARGAIN DAYS.

There is going to be a Monumonument, To do this we have presume to understand them. The Old Nick Williams Case.

five weeks. The case was given to the this monument fund.

No. 6204.

Caldwell County.

No. 6206.

LAND ENTRY.

State of North Carolina, J.

Caldwell County.

All

## Have We too Many Preachers?

The United States has about 67,000, 000 people professing or favoring some orthodox Protestant faith; and it has about 134,000 Protestant pastors, about 90,000 of whom are in active service-one for every 745 of the Protestant population, or one for every 149 families of five persons each. But the Roman Catholic Church, with its priesthood so thoroughly organized that few Catholics die even from accident without the presence of a priest to administer the sacrament, has but one priost for each 1,100 of its people, or one for each 225 families,

In ordinary communities, this is quite enough; for manifestly the support by 146 families of a preacher and an active church would be a burden. and adequate support becomes im possible when a large proportion of the families contribute nothing. The result of this glut of preachers is a degrading of elergymen and of their calling through humiliating competition and through poverty. Preach ers sometimes lack the decent necesview of this noted case.-Ex. sities and frequently lack the comforts of life. Elderly men are forced out of service long before their usefulness is ended, because young men

can be had who will work for less. get less, and in natural consequences accomplish less. The conditions are made still worse in small communities by the persistence of denominatown with 1,900 inhabitants has six townspeople can do little better. Yet dent that the Orange and Blue was tradition has it that there must be doomed to trail in decisive defeat. seperate shepherds for flocks that Carolina played a consistent game differ in no essential things. In a from beginning to end. She never word, the Protestant Church has not lost the ball on downs a single time. learned the common-sense economic Abernethy and Whitaker played a lesson of reasonable combination that magnificent game for Carolina and is daily before it in the business Virginia was unable to withstand world, but continues a losing course their terrific onslaughts through the rather than discard small differences line.-Charlotte Observer. and unite in a large purpose.

Adjustment of economic cenditions

is not the greatest present problem istry .--- World's Works.

charges and the first, for carrying on a rectifying business with intent to in advance and none will be takold Nick Williams Company, Incorporated, guilty. Second, failure to enter on the books as to rectifying. not guilty as to all defendants. Third carrying on of the business of recti fying with intent to defraud' not guily as to all of the defendents. Fourth charge of making false notice, not guilty as to all of the defendants." Judge Bynnm for the defense off-

ered a motion for the arrest of judge ment, but Judge Boyd overruled this of land in Johns River Township sai motion

Prayer was then made by District on the North bank of Johns River Attorney Holton for judgement, where Wilson Creek empties into Judge Boyd then announced that the Johns River and runs a north easterjudgement of the Court was that the ly course along the bank of said river Old Nick Williams Company be fined with the meanpers thereof about \$5000, and the cost of the case, and 1200 poles, to a stake on bank of the that execution be issued therefor river in C. D. Coffeys' line; thence against the property and effects of South across the river 4 poles to a find the joy of the Lord notwithstandthe company. To this the defense ex- stake: thence a South Westwardly cepted and they were allowed 60 days course along the bank of the river Pet 1-8, and many other similar words. in which to prepare a bill of excep with its meanderings to the begin-C. L. RADER. tions and assignments of error. The ning. Entered Oct. 16th at 12 M. District Attorney being allowed 30 days thereafter to file his exceptions A true copey,-J. L. Miller Entry thereto. Lack of time and space pre- taker. vents our giving a more elaborate re

The Victory Carolina's.

Norfolk. Va., Nov. 30.-In the pres W. N. Kirby enters and locates ence of 15,000 people, at least half of acres of land in Kings Creek townwhom were supporters of the White ship said county. Beginning on aud Blue, Carolina this afternoon de a post oak Sallie Mayberry's corner feated her old rival, Virginia, in a in Lewis Tilley's line, runs N. 3op. tional distinctions. Villages of a few fast and furious game of football. with Lewis Tilley's line to a stake in hundred people have three, four, a The Carolina eleven piled up 17 the old Wilkes & Burke Co. line, then half dozen churches. One New York points, while her apponents were be- South 12 degrees E. 16 poles to a white the hands of those who have beard, ing held in complete control and kept oak stump in the old county line and churches; a Michigan city of 2,000 has from crossing the goal line. The Tar agreed line: Then North 43 degrees E. thirteen churches. Two hundred and Heels won because they were the 7 poles to a dogwood W. L. Paynes sixty seven New York villagers can- stronger of the two teams and the grant corner, then South with said not support a living pastor, much game had not progressed more than grant line 63 degrees west 23 poles to less a live church, and 848 Michigan five minutes before it was clearly evi- a post oak the beginning corner. Entered Oct. 31, 1905. A true copy J. L. Miller Entry atker.

North Carolina, { No. 6208. Caldwell County, fifty acres of land in King's Creek

Carolina, on the waters of King's Some years ago there lived a girl Creek:- Brginning on a chestnut of the Church, but it is perhaps the here who could paint and play the oak, corner of the said George White first requisits to success with the piano and sing, which accomplishand Sam Turnmire lands, and runs greater problem, and it certainly is ments she had learned at an "art West with Turnmire's line to J. M. one the solution of which would be school." In addition she was clever welcomed by all the clergy; for and good looking .- People imagined preachers would prefer fewer col- she would marry a prince, but she is line; Thence east with German's line leagues and fuller pantries-fewer an old maid now and little chance to to Frazier's line, then to Green churches and larger and more earn- marry any one .- A girl who paints, White's line; then with said Green est congregations, whom it would be plays and sings usually frightens the White and George White's line to the easier to address and who could make marriageable men, and if she elocutes beginning. the service a more vital thing. The besides, that settles it -except she has number of preachers could be de- lots of "dough."-"Accomplishments" 1905. creased a third without depriving don't amount to as much as the repany individual of the church's min- utation of being a good girl to help around the house;

fess to be the redeemed of the Lordwhether they are or not the Lord Couty & state: Beginning at a stake knows-who seem to think that real happiness is inconsistent with what they call religion and endeavor to find authority for their gloominess in the words, "Blessed are they that mourn," not noticing the context. There are also some who really do receive and trust in the Lord Jesus and His great atonement, but they do not seem to ing Rom. xv, 13; v, 1, 2; vill, 18; I It must be because of some failure on their part to become occupied with Jesus only and rest on His word.

As the people heard the words out of the book from day to day they learned that they were expected to keep the Feast of Tabernacle (Lev. xxill, 33-43), and they did so for the first time since the days of Joshus (verse 17), and there was very great gladness. This feast would recall how God had cared for them all through the wilderness journey. See Deut, vill, 2-4. We are so apt to forget His mercles. There are so many for whom nothing seems to be prepared (verse 10). God has made the same provision for all, but He has put the matter of making it known or passing it on in saying, "Let him that heareth say come" (Rev. xxll, 17), and because we who have heard are disobedient or indifferent millions who might be saved if they only knew about it are still perishing. Well may He say to us, "Is it nothing to you?" (Lam. 1-12.) There is a word in chapter vii, 64 concerning some whose names could W. N. Kirby, not be found on the register, and they were therefore, as polluted, put from the priesthood. It is wholly a secondary matter to have our names on a so called church register, but it is all important to have our names in the Lamb's book of life (Luke x, 20; Rev. xx, 15). If they are not there an aw-George White enters and locates ful doom awaits us, and if they are there and we believe (Rev. xx, 15) how Township, Caldwell county, North

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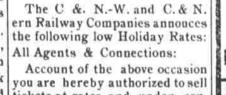
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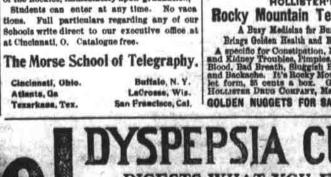
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