

GREENSBORO DRAWS A PRIZE.

The Headquarters of the Cone Export and Commission Company to Be Moved to the City of Flowers.

Special to the Observer.

GREENSBORO, Jan. 27.—As is well known to the readers of the OBSERVER, Messrs. Cæsar and Moses Cone and others are erecting a large cotton mill in the northern suburb of Greensboro. This improvement means employment for about 1,500 hands. These gentlemen have also in view other factories which they will doubtless erect in the near future. In addition to this these gentlemen appeared before the board of aldermen last week and asked that they be allowed to open up a new street leading from Church street to the corporate limits, about three-quarters of a mile distant.

The Messrs. Cone agreed to erect, on the completion of the street, ten dwelling houses. They also agree to induce the Cone Export and Commission Company, of New York, to remove their headquarters to this city. This proposition was unanimously accepted by the board of aldermen and this street will be opened at once. Mr. Cæsar Cone will erect a ten or fifteen thousand dollar residence soon. Messrs. S. N. Cone, B. F. Mebane, Mr. Elliott, Mr. Hunter McGuire and others who are connected with this company are already located here.

At a negro dance in High Point last week a negro man got into a difficulty with a woman of color and beat her with a club until her back was broken and she died. The murderer was caught and placed in jail.

Tobacco has been coming in lively lately and our warehouses have been busy.