few miles from this city, was awakened LATEST NEWS, lest the territory we need slip fromour [Charlotte Observer.] by the cry of fire and, on going out, found hands. CONFERENCE. "Finally, it is believed that with the his gin house and grist mill in flames. The fire had such headway that nothing transfer of the State territory lying NE YORKERS DEFRAUDED. could be done to stop its progress. Upon wthin the bounds of the Holston Conthe discovery of the fire, the meal room ference, if no more is obtained, we The Baltimore Union Banking Comwould have material enough to have door was found open, and as the room was pany's Transactions. two respectable conferences. We have locked the night before and the key car-FIFTH DAY. ried into the house where it was usually in the eastern division about 36,000 BALTIMORE, Dec, 2 .- The arrest yes-NOW Conference met at 9:30 yesterday church members and 100 pastoral kept, it conclusively proves that the fire terday of three well-known Baltimore morning, Bishop Dogget in the chair. | charges; in the western, about 25,000 was the work of an incendiary. Mr. merchants, formerly officers in the Union The bishop introduced Rev Thos S church members, and 70 pastoral Banking Company, together with the Green's loss is heavy: Two cotton gins, Campbell, transferred to the North charges. These numbers would make cashier of that concern, was a surprise to six bales of cotton, ten tons of cotton seed, Carolina Conference from the North both conferences larger than twenty of the men themselves and to business cir- engine and boiler, grist mill, and a large the other conferences in the M. E. cles. The presumption is that the transamount of grain, the whole amounting in Rev Dr Redford made an announce-Church, South. It would make ours fer of the bank to New Yorkers, just bevalue to \$2,000. ment in reference to receiving sub- about the seventh in the list of conferfore its failure, was dishonest. Since the Raleigh News: In Harnett county 20 Tierces Pure Leaf Lard, bank closed its doors, on Oct. 8, equity near Lillington, at Murchison's mill, one "With these reasons stated your proceedings have been in progress, but 40 Bags Rio Coffee, night last week at a corn shucking, two committee submit the following: they have not brought to light the worknegroes, Albert McLean and Vander Mur-The bishop announced that the hour Resolved. That we, as a Conference, 15 Bags Laguira Coffee, ings of the institution, and some of the chison, got into a fight, when the latter for the special order of Monday at 10 memorialize the General Conference. depositors went before the Grand Jury and bit the little finger of one of the hands of 10 Bags Java Coffee, which meets in Atlanta in May next, to made revelalions that justified the exthe former. The finger inflamed and ence would make arrangements for go- transfer to the North Carolina Confertreme measurest that have been resorted to mortification ensued, from which the neing into the election of delegates to the ence all the territory in the State of The presentments were found against gro died three days after the bite. 250 Bbls Flour, all grades, North Carolina within the bounds of Samuel Barth, President of the bank, a Mr J Robinson stated that report the Virginia and Holston Conferences. wholesale liquor dealer of this city; Resolved, But if in the wisdom of Charles Harvey, who inherited a large COMMERCIAL NEWS. members of conference that Rev W S that body they should refuse the re-Silver Drips, fortune from the estate of his father, for-WILMINGTON MARKET, quest to transfer the territory of the merly a partner with Wm. T. Walters; DECEMBER 5-4 P. M. Virginia Conference in this State, and Wm. H. Strauss, one of the directors, of SPIRITS TURPENTINE--Market opened will transfer us the territory of the Strauss Brothers & Bell, extensive brew-Conference. He was authorized by Holston Conference within this State, firm at 29 cents bid. No sales reported. ers; and the cashier, F. A. Savin, who ROSIN--Market firm at \$1 40 and \$1 45 we request that a division be made, was recently a City Council candidate. for Strained and Good Strained. No sales the line running along the eastern When the concern suspended, statements Mr Robinson then asked that the boundaries of the Charlotte and Salisreported. were made placing its liabilities at about conference consider the question of bury districts on the east and with the TAR-Firm at \$1 50 per bbl. Sales at \$100,000, and assets at \$75,000. None quotations. memorializing the General Conference | State lines of North Carolina on the of the latter have been found. The bank CRUDE TURPENTINE-Steady at \$1 35 west." had been involved for a long time, and, for Hard and \$2 15 for Yellow Dip and Vir-Rev D R Bruton moved to amend on the 26th of September, it passed into gin. Sales of receipts at quotations. by striking out the line indicate, and COTTON-Market opened firm and in dethe hands of New Yorkers, who obtained asking the General Conference to mak. mand. Sellers demand 1/8 advance on control by buying the stock. It was prodist Protestant Church, then came for- an equitable division. Oranges, Lemons, yesterday's quotations for all grades. Later posed to build up the institution by put-Rev R O'Burton opposed the amendwe hear of sales of 403 bales on private terms ting in money enough to carry it through; The arrangements for the election ment on the ground that the General The following are the official quotations: but that project was never executed, and Conference could not have the facili Ordinary the New Yorkers went home and left the Good Ordinary...... Strict Good Ordinary. ties for determining an equitable di-101/8 Cents. bank to take care of iself. It reverted to Wilson, of Greensboro, LS Burkhead, vision which this conference possesses. the original officers, who kept it open a Low Middling 10% 66 Rev J R Brooks thought that the ** 10% 10% of the Wilmington district, B Craven. report of the committee only indicated few days, and then closed its doors. Middling..... Good Middling our wishes in the matter. [News and Courier.] Rev W M Robey favored the amend-Smalls Out on Bail-Cardoza Despairs DAILY BECEIPTS. ment, and also preferred voting on the The following were elected by the of Getting Bondsmen. Cotton..... lay delegates on the first ballott: C G preamble and resolution separately. 858 bales Spirits Turpentine..... COLUMBIA, Dec. 3-Smalls gave bai 100 casks Rev L S Burkhead objected to the Rosin..... 1,006 bb's this afternoon in the sum of \$10,000 use of the world "equitable," and read Tar..... 78 bbls His bondsmen are F. W. and E. A. Crude Turpentine...... 306 bbls

* The second ballot for clerical doi?

Forty-First Annual Conference of the Methodist E. Church South for North Carolina.

Mississippi Conference.

scriptions for the Nashville Christain ences. Advocate, and to other church publications.

o'clock had arrived, and that confer-General Conference.

had obtained circulation among the Black, presiding elder of the Wilmington district, contemplated having himself transferred to the South Carolina Mr Black to state that there was no foundation whatever for the report.

for a division of the North Carolina Conference, immediately after the election of delegates. Agreed to.

Rev T H Pegram, late of the Methoward and took the vows of ordination.

were then made. The fo'lowing were elected on the first ballot: N H D of Raleigh, WS Black, presiding elder president of Trinity College, and J W North, of Shelby.

Montgomery, of Concord, Henry Lilly, of Fayetteville, W F Kornegay of Goldsboro.

gates was then held and resulted in the selection of Revs E A Yates, pre- the word "fair" in the place of equitasiding elder of the Newbern district, ble in his amendment. and WH Bobbitt, presiding elder of - Mr Burton moved that Mr. Bruton's tempt to give bail, as the bail required in

the resolution of the Holston Conference.

Mr Burton consented to substitute

Scheper, of Beaufort, both vouched for by good citizens of Beaufort as worth that amount each. Smalls is at large.

It is not thought that Cardozo will at-

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50 Barrels Apples.

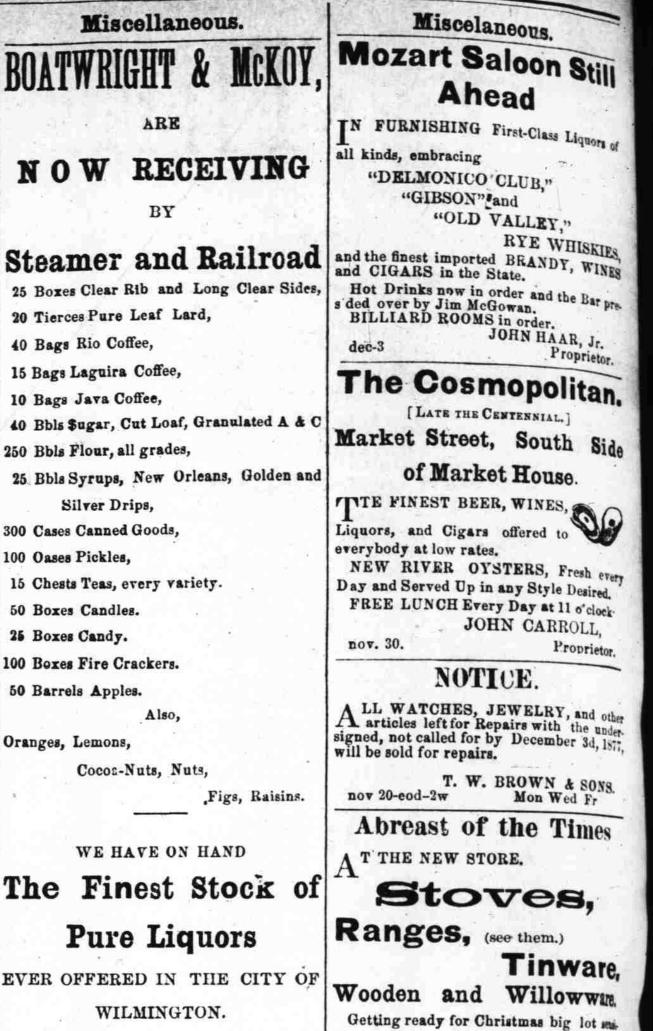
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number of clerical alternates elected. table.

Mr F C Robbins, of Lexington, was lot.

sulted in no election, and a fourth ble. was ordered.

The bishop suggested that the three | following : persons receiving the highest number

The hour of 2 o'clock having arrived subserved. and the list of lay delegates being yet that the conference adjourn till 3:30 p. | in favor of this resolution. m. The motion prevailed and conference adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The fourth ballot for lay delegates resulted in the election of Rev T M Jones, D. D., of Greensboro, and Prof O W Carr, of Trinity College.

Miller, of Shelby, was elected this majority. completing the election of delegates.

Mr. J Robinson moved the election 9:30 this morning, of three lay alternates, and that the three persons who should receive the largest number of votes be declared elected. Under this rule the following were elected: J W Mauney, Dr R F Hackett and Rev R L Abernethy,

DIVISION OF CONFERENCE.

The committee on the division of conference then made the following report:

"The committee is unanimous in the opinion that the time has come when the conference should be divided to come before the present session, and we into two conferences. The reasons are pleased to see from the delegation alfor this opinion are the following.

First, It is palpable to all that the conference has grown too large and burdensome to be entertained at its annual sessions, except in a very few to us their hospitality, are deprived of requested us so to do. this privilege and blessings accraing from our gatherings.

"Second, The territory of our present conference stretches over a scope of country about four hundred miles in length, embracing two totally dis-

On motion of Rev R T Wyche, it division was called for and the vote was agreed that three should be the stood 78 for and 63 against laying on the rived here to-night. His friends are con-

A third ballot for lay delegates re- stood 78 to 63 against laying on the ta-

Rev T W Guthrie introduced the case.

Resolved, That we memorialize the of votes on the ballot for alternate General Conference at Atlanta, Ga., to clerical delegates be declared elected. transfer the territory of North Carolis merchants and manufacturers to-day drew Rev T M Guthrie made a motion to na, now in the Virginia and Holston up an address appealing to the patriotism this effect, which prevailed. Under conferences, to the Conference of of President MacMahon to yield to the this rule the following were elected : North Carolina for the purpose of wishes of the majority, in view of the Revs Dr Wm Closs, presiding elder of making a division of the North Caro-the Washington district, W M Robey, lina into two conferences if, in their ests of the International Exhibition. A

Rev Dr Closs called Rev J P Moore to the chair and taking the floor, spoke At a meeting of 120 members of the incomplete, SRev R O Burton moved to the chair and taking the floor, spoke

Mr Gathrie's resolution or amendment was then laid on the table. Rev Mr Yates moved to adjourn. Lost.

Rev Dr Craven called the previous question and moved the adoption of the report as recommended by the committee. The motion prevailed by On the fifth ballot Dr. W J T what appeared to be about a two-thirds

The conference then adjourned till

The Grand Lodge of Masons

The Raleigh Observer says: The Grand Lodge of Masons of North Carolina meets in the hall of the Grand Lodge in the Fisher building this evening at 72 o'clock. Col. H. H. Munson, of Wilmington, Grand Master, will preside. The trains of last evening brought in a large number of delegates and we are assured from what we have already seen that there will be an unusually large attendance. Business of strict importance to the craft is

ready present that "good heads and sound minds" are here to consider it. It may

be out of place in us to say it, and we wont, but we suggest that something be done about the Masonic Temple moveof our largest cities ; while many of ment. We say this at the instigation of in front of the Court House. Messrs. W. the smaller towns, both in the east and a number of our brethren of the mystic H. and R. S. Tucker were the purchasers the west, which are anxious to extend tie, who are non-residents of the city and at \$5,225 00.

An Amusing Sight.

Prof. Gessley, the man minus of arms who was here last week and was shown in connection with the educated hog, is a curiosity in very many respects. He is similar climates, which endangers the somewhat of a pugilist, and the day be-health of the preachers, who do not fore the combination left this city there remain long enough in either to be- | was some quarrelling between the old come acclimated ; and, furthermore, man and the man who showed the hog.

• Mr Burton moved that Mr. Benton's tempt to give bail, as the bail required in amendment be laid on the table. A the cases against him aggregates \$35,000. Steamer D Murchison, Garrason, Fayette-United States Senator M. C. Butler argratulating him on all sides, and do not Mr Burton moved the Mr Benton's hesitate to say that despite the justness of elected lay delegate on the second bal. amendment be laid on the table. A his cause, he would have stood a slim division was called for and the vote chance before the Radical majority in the Senate, if it had not been for his own bold and sagacious management of his

The Crisis in France.

PARIS, Dec. 2 .- A meeting of 1,500 the Washington district, W M Robey, of Lenoir, and H T Hudson, of Shel-br the Exhibition would be delayed a single

> List of Vessels in Port December 1st, Republican Left, it was decided to refuse to vote any part of the Budget until the Government returned to parliamentary courses. MM. Laisant and De La- Rochette,

members of the Chamber of Deputies, Minna, Ger, 467 tons, Boese, fought a duel to-day. The affair grew out of the publication by M. De La Roch-Asta, Nor, 366 tons, Darilsen, ette of a disparaging letter in the Univers Arizona, Nor,520 tons, Gabrielsen, M. De La Rochette was wounded in the thigh. Claudia, Ger, 406 tons, Dinse,

The Pope's Critical Condition.

ROME, Dec., 2-Last night the Pope Ludwig, Ger, 368 tons, Suger, had a protracted paroxysm of pain so terribly severe as to ultimately induce syncope, a sudden arrest for a few seconds of the action of the heart. It was for a time apprehended that his holiness was in his last agony, but these alarming symptoms passed away with three hours of tranquil sleep.

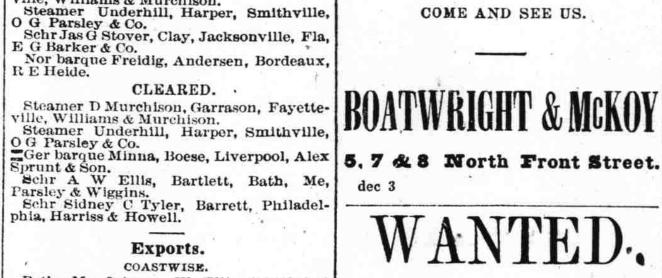
Every moment is now regarded as painfully critical, and the Vatican Cardinais are in constant attendance.

CAROLINA.

Raleigh Observer : The sale of the Haywood residence, corner of Fayetteville and Cabarrus streets, took place yesterday

Hon. R. B. Vance has sent to the State Library an automaph letter of Benjamin Franklin, dated London, April 22d, 1771. and addressed to Humphrey Marshall West Bradford, Pa.

Charlotte Observ. r : The land of T A. Davis, known as the Dr. Gibbon place. A. Davis, known as the Dr. Charter providentia, Ger, 1393 tons, Lanpe, three and a half miles from the city, was Providentia, Ger, 1393 tons, Lanpe, E Peschau & Wester mann sold at the court house door yesterday. The tract comprised one hundred and



Bath, Me-Schr A W Ellis-113,982 feet lumber. Philadelphia-Schr Sidney C Tyler-I02 tons old iron, 395,400 shingles.

1877.

BARKS.

Stanbo, Nor, 320 tons, Gundersen,

Vorwurtz, Ger, 367 tons, Vomarts,

Julie Heyn, Br, 332 tons, Shroder,

Friedrick, Ger, 393 tons, Low.

Lubra, Nor, 352 tons, Natwig,

Solyst, Nor, 357 tons, Johnsen,

Alexandra, Nor, 311 tons, Adamsen

Star of Hope, Ger, 299 tons, Hamann,

Hjemmet, Not, 374 tons, Ingemundsen,

Primus, Nor, 284, Evesen, Haabet, Nor, 286 tons, Olsen, Onkel, Ger, 444 tons, Bailey, E Peschau & Westermann

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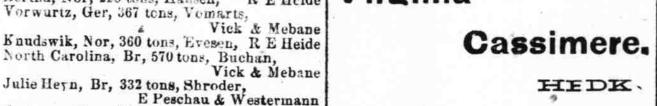
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