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During the past two months bills have been mailed to about sixteen hundred subscribers to the WEEKLY STAR. The aggregate amount due on these bills was very large, but the aggregate amount thus far paid is comparatively small.

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It is unjust to the proprietor to read his newspaper without paying for it-fully as much so as for the proprietor of the paper to eat the farmer's chickens and eggs and then fail or refuse to remunerate him.

We thank those of our subscribers who have paid us, and trust this appeal will not be lost on those who have not paid.

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for further particulars. BUT ONE REMEDY.

It is useless to attempt to disguise the fact that both the tariff and the financial questions are sectional questions and so closely related that the section which most favors a high tariff is also opposed to an increase of the currency, and the coinage of silver.

The East has become rich out of the protective tariff, has all the money for which it can find profitable employment and wants no more, especially of a kind that it could not control. Note the fact that when Secretary Carlisle issued his \$50,000,000 bonds, although he had bidders for small amounts from the country at large, the bulk of the bonds were bought by New York banks after they had been assured (as they say) that there would be no more coinage of silver. This seems to have been the condition, implied at least, on which they subscribed for the bonds. The fact that the loan dragged until these New York banks decided to take it up shows the uneven distribution of money, that it is scarce in other sections of the country but plentiful in that one favored section, a condition which has grown out of the peculiar policies which have been pursued for the past

three decades. With but few exceptions, every bill which has been offered in Congress for years providing for an increase in the volume of the currency either by the coinage of silver, by the printing of Treasury notes, or by the repeal of the State bank tax to clear the way for the re-establishment of a State bank system, has come from Western or from Southern Representatives or Senators. Why? Simply because there is not money enough in the South or in the way of getting it without its coming

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policy of contraction began, and the money kings got the shaping of our financial methods. It will never be otherwise while their voice is potent enough to control legislation or the

present system survives. The resources of the West are mainly in the products of her farms; from these must come the money upon which that section depends to carry on its business and meet its obligations, but the money lenders of the East have such a tight grip on that section already that with the prices of farm products in late years it is a moral impossibility for those people ever to pay out. Their condition is one of tribute payers to the money lenders of the East and such they must continue to be while the money lenders of the East can control the financial policies of the Government and gauge the volume of money to be put into circulation.

In some respects the South is similarly situated to the West. She has advantages over the West in having more resources upon which to rely, and in being less encumbered with debt, but the West has some advantages in a money way which the South has not. A very considerable percentage of the money expended by the Government for pensions and other purposes is distributed in the West, and goes into circulation there, and that is one reason why the pension abuses excite no more opposition than they do. Although the people indirectly pay their proportion of the pension bill, they do not see it going out, but do see it coming in, and believe they are made that much the richer thereby.

Very little of this finds its way into the South, and but a small proportion of the total spent by the Government, although the South pays her proportionate part of the whole. The money is taken out of the West and the South. The former gets back a considerable portion of what is taken out, the latter but little.

Where, then, is the remedy for the stringency, for the more equable distribution of the money of the country? There are but three ways: one by the issuing of Treasury notes redeemable in nothing (as some demand); the other by the limited or unlimited comage of silver, the third by the establishment of State banks. The first has but few advocates and can never command a formidable support; the second encounters an antagonism and obstacles which make it impossible of achievement as least during the incumbency of the President now in office, and for years to come unless new and now not apparent conditions arise. For the third there is hope, and in that is the way out of our financial tangle. Give the States that are suffering from a dearth of money the opportu nity to supply it for themselves out of their own resources and there will be an end to financial agitation in Congress, and the pressure will be lifted, lifted not only from the people who are suffering, but from the for each Series. Government which for years has been embarrassed in the effort to keep up the parity between its white and yellow coins, and which is thrown into a fever of excitement every time there is a movement in the direction

the price of the latter and make it impossible for the Government to meet its obligations without becoming a frequent horrower of gold. Take this question out of politics by giving the people of the States the authority to supply their own local currency, and the incentive to agitation ceases and there need no onger be dread of attempts to "inflate" the national currency and thus impair (as they declare) the national credit. The State bank is the remedy

of adding to the volume of the

former, from fear that it will enhance

which threatens unless untangled, to become a very serious one. The Territory of Oklahoma aspires to get the bulge on South Dakota on the divorce line. It has already fourteen causes for which divorce may be granted and proposes to add some more. Fourteen causes is more than South Dakota or any other State has.

for our financial troubles, and the

shortest way out of this ugly tangle,

The farmers of Union county, in this State, have organized a Farmers' School, the object of which is to gain information on farming and stock-raising. That's on the right line, and will pan out better than taking lessons from soft-handed sons of toil who live by working their

A big standpipe at Peoria, Ill., containing 1,500,000 gallons of water, burst recently and killed one person. This will be another argument for the Kentuckian against water. No one ever heard of a standpipe with 1,500,000 gallons of whiskey burst-

It is said that a good many people in South Carolina have gone to West to meet the business demands drinking Jamaica ginger as a substiof the South or the West, and no tute for whiskey, and as safer than the dispensary brand. Judging from through Eastern hands, and paying the way they do down there somesuch interest upon it as they demand. | times, these people are always loaded And so it has been ever since the with ginger.

THE DISPENSARY LAW.

South Carolina Hea Reached a Deci

The Columbia State of Thursday had the following from Darlington: DARLINGTON, April 4.- I have re ceived information from a source entirely trustworthy that a decision in the ispensary cases has already been drawn up, and has been signed by Justices Mc-Iver and McGowan, and has been sent to Justice Pope, in whose hands it remains. It declares the act unconstitutional, but whether in whole or in part I

This is no street rumor that I send you. It came to me from three sources -through intelligent gentlemen, who had special means of information. rely upon it as confidently as if I had myself inspected the document referred

could not ascertain. It will be cause for

congratulations, however, that any por-

tion of this foolish and iniquitous act is

The State has this editorial comment

on the foregoing: The Darlington correspondent who is satisfied from the information he has received that Justice McIver and Mc-Gowan have united in declaring the dispensary law unconstitutional, is reliable and intelligent. It is greatly to be hoped that he has not been misinformed. The story is certainly plausible. We hear from other parties in Darlington the rumor that Justice Pope has held the opinion of the majority of the court in his hands for over three weeks. If this be so, the delay in filing the paper or papers embodying the opinions of the three Justices has given opportunity for a great

Darlington Vindicated. Referring to the verdict of the coroner's jury at Darlington, the Columbia

State savs: See how the suppressed truth shines out at last! See how the reckless tyrant who made his false statement to the country from the Capitol steps two days ago is brought to confusion!

The coroner's jury on the Darlington case, composed of Conservatives, Tillmanites and Republicans, after hearing all the evidence, including the statements of the spies themselves, find the facts to be as we have stated them and not as Governor Tillman has done, The murders are fixed upon spies McClendon

And with this determination the military court of inquiry, also mixed in politics, agrees unreservedly. There is no possibility of evading the force of this verdict. Darlington is vin-

to find the truth. ORDER CHOSEN FRIENDS.

Rocky Mount Council No. 23 Organized. ROCKY MOUNT, N C, April 6. Editor Star, Wilmington N C:

Rocky Mount Council No 28, Order Chosen Friends, was instituted here today by Past Grand Commander H. Witcover, assisted by Capt E M Pace, of Wilson, N C, with the following offi-cers: Isaac Levy, councillor; I B Jenkins, vice councillor; Paul B Keyser. ecretary; H E Brewer, treasurer; W G Reynolds, prelate; Haywood Clarke, marshal; Edgar Hart, warden; Joseph guard; J A Williams, sentry Dr W H Whitehead, Dr Syd P Hilliard, I B Jenkins, trustees; Dr W H Whitehead, medical examiner.

STODDARD WORK COMPLETE. All the Series, from One to Sixteen, Now Ready-Send Orders Before the Offer Is

The Four Series, 13 to 16, to complete he Stoddard Art Album are now ready, and orders should be sent in at once, as

the offer will soon be withdrawn. To facilitate the work of closing up the Stoddard Portfolio scheme, to make way for something else, but one Coupon and Twelve Cents will now be required

Many persons have been waiting to order the entire Sixteen Series at one time. They can now have orders filled by sending \$1.92 and sixteen coupons.

Do not delay, as the time is limited. Save enough coupons to complete the work. Those who have only ordered a few of the numbers should not neglect to order the others.

Brighter Prospects Than Ever."

[Goldsboro Headlight.] The Wilmington STAR treated it readers with a larger amount of reading matter last Sunday than usual, and made the announcement that hereafter its Sunday edition will appear as an eight column folio. With last Thursday's is sue it entered upon its fifty-third semiannual volume under brighter prospects than ever, if we should judge from its mprovement in looks and increase in its matter. The STAR is a most welcome visitor at this sanctum and is always saved from the clutches of the exchange fiend. May its steady twinkle continue forever and aye.

Deligious Griddle Cakes.

Cakes made from the following recipe are said to be excellent. They are easily made and very inexpensive, requiring no

"Put one quart of flour in a large earthenware bowl, add a teaspoonful of salt, mix well with the flour four heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Now add enough milk to make a stiff batter, and last of all add two tablespoonfuls of melted butter and one tablespoonful of molasses. . This make them brown quickly. Have your griddle very hot. Grease it well with a bit of larding pork. Put some of the butter into a small mouthed pitcher and pour it on the griddle from the pitcher until each cake is the required size. As soon as bubbles begin to form round the edge of the cakes and they look a little brown, turn them quickly with a thin pancake turner. Put them on a hot plate and serve."

" The Old Reliable."

[Rockingham Rocket.] The Wilmington STAR, the old reliable, closed its fifty-third semi-annual volume last Thursday, and has enlarged the Sunday edition. We are glad to see this evidence of prosperity.

- Subscribers ought to pay up. When the cashier's pants reach that phase of dissolution when he is afraid to venture out in the April winds without a bag of shot in each rear pocket of his coat, it is time for all delinquents to help him "raise the wind."

- Subscribers to the Stoddard Art Album who have not yet completed their sixteen Series are requested to order at once, as the time is limited. One coupon and twelve cents is required for each Series.

STATE CONVENTION

doious Moment Has Arrived-If the People of Wilmington Really Want More Banking Capital the Op-Y. M C. ASSOCIATIONS. portunity Now Presents Itself.

Messrs. John S. Armstrong, of Tempe, Arizona, and L. L. Jenkins, of Gastonia, are in our city, and, as is generally known, their object is to establish a new National Bank. They are gentlemen of character and means; and it is no secret that they are willing to take a large majority of the stock necessary to start a bank with a capital of \$100,000. But they are strangers here, and wish not only additional subscriptions, but they must have local influence in order to make the enterprise a success.

THE THE BANK P CO

This is an important matter to the people of Wilmington. Here are two gentlemen who come here with \$75,000 of outside capital in their pockets and say to our business men: "If you will raise \$25,000 we will organize a new bank here, thus adding \$100,000 to the banking capital of your city." This is the whole story, stated plainly and briefly.

There is not a reasonable man in this community who would expect entire strangers to come here and start a bank solely with their own capital. They must have a Board of Directors. and they must have local influence through local stockholders. Does Wilmington need more bank-

ing capital? If you read the article on this subject which appeared in the SUNDAY STAR of March 25th you must reply in the affirmative. That article showed that the total banking capital of this city is less than \$250,000. The opportunity now presents itself

for adding \$100,000 more to the beggarly quarter million with which we now try to transact our business. Is there not enough energy, enterprise and public spirit here to secure the new bank when the small sum of \$25,000 is all that Wilmington is asked to subscribe?

The STAR feels confident that our people will not fall to meet the proposi-tion of Messrs. Armstrong and Jenkins in a substantial manner. It may be very long before such an opportunity again resents itself. Such offers do not come along like April showers. They are literally "few and fer between."

The business men of the city will be called on during the present week and given an opportunity to make the proposed new bank a certainty.

MR. C. H. POLLEY,

Mayor of the Town of Monroe, Resigns to Return to Wilmington.

The Monroe (N. C.) Enquirer reports meeting of the commissioners of that dicated, and the people are shown where | town on the 3d inst., at which Mayor C, H. Polley tendered his resignation, on account of the condition of his wife's health compelling him to seek a change of climate for her, and says:

Mr. Polley was elected Mayor in 1890, and has been re-elected by a handsome majority at every election since that time. He has made a good Mayor, and it is with sincere regret that we lose him as an officer and as a citizen. Mr. Polley has been a citizen of Monroe for fifteen years, and has become a "part and parcel" of the town. His place of business being next to the Enquirer office we have had an opportunity of knowing Mr. Polley as a man and as a neighbor, and it is with unfeigned regret that we part with him and most sincerely wish for him success wherever he may cast his lot. We can honestly say of him that which cannot be said of many men, he paid strict attention to his own business and left other people to do the

Mr. and Mrs. Polley left to-day (Wednesday) for Wilmington, their future

MAXTON MATTERS.

Robeson Moonshiners - South Carolins Bugjuice-A Richmond County Blockader Captured - Case Against the Negro Charged with Shooting Revenue Raiders Dismissed-The Sunday Morn-| Special Star Correspondence.]

MAXTON, N. C., April 6 .- In proof of the old aphorism that every dog has its day," whiskey is now in blaze of the midday orb. South Carolina buguice has just sent a thrill throughout the country. Robeson moonshiners raised a local cyclone, and now the old original Richmond county blockader, Ike Williams, is the volcano which sends forth smoke and lava. Williams, who has been hauling the surplus stock of Yadkin's liquid corn to this vicinity for many years, according to the belief of those who drink not, and the knowledge of those who do, had his wagon and team, containing empty barrels with uncancelled stamps attached. captured by Deputy Collector W. F. Gibson last Christmas. He tried to recapture the property at the time, but failed, though he escaped himself. He was captured last week and had a hearing before U. S. Commissioner B. F. McLean this afternoon, who required him to furnish

bail for his appearance at the next term of the U.S. Court in your city. The black boy, Luther Smith, who was having a hearing when I last wrote, upon the charge of shooting the deputy collector and posse, was discharged. The mystic tie had gotten in its work and choked out all the knowledge the prosecuting witness thought he knew

when the warrant was taken out. There is absolutely no other excitement in these parts now. But the SUN-DAY STAR is receiving high enconiums from those who have time to read the papers and are good judges.

A FIRE AT BURGAW.

and Contents Burned-No Insurance.

BURGAW, April 6th, 1894. EDITOR STAR:-The gin house and contents, the property of Mr. R. M. Croom, was burned to the ground this morning about 10 o'clock. The fire was caused from a spark from the saw and grist mill, which was near by and in operation at the time. Mr. Croom's loss is estimated at five hundred dollars, with no insurance. Mr. W. M. Hand had a lot of lint cotton and cotton seed in the house, and Mr. R. T. Williams, of the Holly Shelter section, three bales cotton; all of which was destroyed, with I. T. C. no iusurance.

- The last of the cotton fleet for this season-the British steamer Arecuna--cleared yesterday with 4,500 bales -2,000 for Reval, Russia, and 2,500 for Hango, Finland. Vessel and cargo by Messrs. Alex. Sprunt & Son.

The Fuller-Parker Murder,

A special dispatch to the STAR from Raleigh says that in the Supreme Court of North Carolina yesterday argument was heard in the case of E. J. Fuller, of Fayetteville, convicted of murder in the Superior Court of Cumberland county. Attorney General Osborne and T. B. Womack, Esq., appeared for the State, and Messrs. Geo. M. Rose, R. H. Battle, Chas. M. Cooke and W. W. Fuller for

EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF

elegates Arriving-Opening Ceremon State Secretary Coulter Presiding-Address of Welcome and Response Committee on Nominations Appointed -Short Addresses by Members.

The Eighteenth Annual State Con ention of the Young Men's Christian Associations met in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, at Wilmington, Thursday night at 8 o'clock. First on the programme was a thirtyninute song service, led by Mr. J. S.

Atkinson, of Greensboro. The delegates

were rather late in assembling, owing to

the hours of arrivals of trains, but the

singing, as always at these Conventions was grand and inspiring. The Convention was called to order y L. A. Coulter, State Secretary, in the absence of the officers of the last Convention, and he presided during the

Mr. Frank L. Meares, of Wilmington loquently and heartily welcomed the Convention to the city, speaking of the great work before the delegates, and counselling unity, charity and consecration, in taking up the duties of the

Rev. P. R. Law, of Lumber Bridge responded to the welcome, thanking Mr. Meares for the cordial greeting, and expressing the hope that the results of the Convention might be of unending value to the city and State.

The hymn "God be with you," wa then sung, but at the request of Mr. Coulter the refrain was changed to read, "God be with you while we meet again." Mr. Coulter announced that the ex-

pense of holding the Convention was about \$150, and a collection was takenowards raising the amount.

The following was announced as the Committee on Nominations, and requested to report at the next sessions F. L. Meares, Wilmington; E. H. Harris, Maxton; J. H. Fitzgerald, Trinity College; J. F. Watson, Raleigh; T. G. Pearson, Guilford College.

It was then announced that a number of men would be called upon to give reaons why they believe in the Associa

tion. A. B. Paul, Winston, said the Church of God has no other agency so well equipped for the work for young men. C. J. Rivenbark, of Goldsboro, said that through efforts of a band of young men he had been rescued from a life of

E. L. Harris, Maxton, said the Association had first started him in many ines of Christian work. F. E. Willis. Asheville, said that he believed the Association would be suc-

cessful in saving men. Rev. J. R. Jones, Greensboro, said the Association is a good thing; young men working for young men; is full of zeal; has saved money. Frank Mahn, Charlotte: The Associ-

ation is not satisfied with saving the soul only but tries to save the soul and mind too. E. T. Morris, of Charlotte, a conductor

on the R. & D. R. R., said: The Association is specially adapted to railroad men. It has been a great help to me for five

W. R. Gales, Greensboro, had lived close to the Association for five years knows it helps the churches. It is true to the word of God. It teaches entire consecration of mind, body and spirit. It aims to glorify Christ. It is saving many young men, and many of the best ministers of this State went into the ministry through the Associations.

Rev. William Black, Monroe, led in prayer, asking a special blessing upon the gathering. Work," discussed by G. T. Pearson, Guil-

After announcements for to-day and a song, Rev. Egbert W. Smith pronounced the benediction. ASSOCIATION NOTES About seventy-five delegates had as

ived up to 12 o'clock last night. Every delegate is requested to register at the rooms; if he has not done so al-The triangular red badge is worn by

the Y. M, C. A. boys and numbers were seen on the streets yesterday. Mrs. L, A. Coulter is present with State Secretary Coulter.

The ushers were in full dress suits last Many delegates are expected to arrive Mr. Thos. G. Wilkinson, formerly

connected with the Association here but now of Newbern, was welcomed resterday by many of his old friends. Newbern sends a large delegation to the convention. The convention will close Sunday

In addition to the delegates whose names were published yesterday the fol-lowing registered at the Y. M. C. A. up to 12 o'clock last night: Jas. A. McLauchlin Gastonia; Edward Kelley, Kinston Oscar High, Whiteville; J. W. Willis, Jr. Morehead; Rev. P. L. Law, J. L. Shaw Lumber Bridge; O. S. Wilkinson, C. M Dillon, R. H. Carroll, A. R. Rankin, W. .. Head, W. H. Jenkins, R. C. Warren, Gastonia; Capt. E. T. Morris, Manches ter, Va.; W. C. Randlett, Milton; A. H Hicks, Winston; B. H. Black, J. H. Fitzgerald, Trinity College; F. H. Rosr, Henderson; J. S. Atkinson, Rev. J Iones, Greensboro; I. M. Stone, Inc W. Barswell, Haw River; O. P. Moffitt Guilford College; F. E. Willis, Ashville, Jas, M. Howard, D. F. Jarvis, C. B. Foy, W. COOK, H. V. Alle Wilkinson, Newbern; Frank Mahn and wife, F. H. Jones, D. Andrews, Charlotte; J. W. Cooper, C. C. Williams, L. L. Burkhead, H. J. Young, Raleigh; E.

L. Harriss and wife, A. B. McElyea.

Maxton; J. K. Pfohl, Salem; Rev. E. W,
Smith, Greensboro; Y. L. Warren, F.
Theo. Cox, Siler City; J. E. Rawls, W.
D. Harward, W. H. Boon, Elon College;
Wm. Black Monroes, B. B. J. Con Wm. Black, Monroe; B. R. Lacy, Ra-Second Day's Proceedings-Officers Elected-Committees Appointed-Interesting Exercises-Addresses, Discussions, Etc. The Convention met at 9 o'clock yesterday morning, and after song service and Bible reading, was organized as follows: President, Col. Roger Moore, Wilmington: Vice Presidents-E. L.

H. Rossitur, Henderson; Frank H. Jones,

Charlotte; Theo. Cox, Siler City; T. C. Diggs, (editing) Wilmington; D. B. Paul, (corresponding) Winston.

Reports from local associations were read as follows: By F. E. Willis, Asheville; F. H. Jones, Charlotte: Greensboro, J. S. Atkinson; Goldsboro, C. J. Rivenbark; Gastonia, J. A. McLaughlin; Henderson, F. H. Rossiter; Haw River, . M. Stone: Lumber Bridge, Rev. P. R. Law; Maxton, A. B. McElyea; Raleigh, . W. Cooper; Shelby, A. C. Miller; Wilmington, F. L. Meares; Whiteville, Oscar High; Winston-Salem, J. K. Pfohl: Morehead City, J. W. Willis.

Rev. Wm. Black, of Maxton, delivered ducted by J. N. Willis, of Greensboro, an interesting and able address on "What is Our Aim?" Committees were appointed by

President, as follows: Business Committee-A. B. Winston; D. T. Jarvis, Newbern; J. D. Hall, Davidson College; R. H. Carroll, Gastonia; W. K. Davis, A. & M. College. sizing strongly the need and effect of On State Committee's Report-B. F. | delegated personal work, illustrating the Hall, Wilmington; C. J. Rivenbark, Goldsboro; E. B. McElyea, Maxton; J. Christ turned aside from the busy throng M. Howard, Newbern; F. E. Williss,

On Credentials-Frank Mahan, Charotte; J. W. Cooper, Raleigh; W. W. Boddie, Fair View Institute; J. K. Pfohl, Winston; J. W. Young, Newton.

On Resolutions-H. C. Hammond, Davidson College; H. Horne, State University; O. P. Moffitt, Guilford College; B. H. Black, Trinity; T. G. Wikinson, Newbern.

On Devotional Exercises-E. S. Tennent, Wilmington; J. S. Akkinson, Greensboro; Jas. A. McLaughlin, Gas-

After song service, Mr. A. B. Paul, of Winston, delivered an address on "Three Links of a Strong Chair."

An interesting discussion then ensued on "Bible Training Classes," their benefits to members and the best and most practical mode of conducting them. The discussion was participated in by State Secretary Coulter, Messrs. A. B. Paul, E. L. Harris, J. N. Willis, T. C. Diggs, Frank Mahan. H. P. Anderson (of the Atlanta International Committee) and J. A. McLaughlin.

Prayer was then offered by Rev. J. W. Announcements for the afternoon service were read and a recess was taken

until 8 p. m. AFTERNOON SESSION. After praise and prayer service, led by Mr. W. R. Loudermilk, of Oak Ridge, the meeting was called to order

by the President, Col. Roger Moore, and reports from college associations were read: From State Agricultural and Mechanical College, by J. R. Blunt; Davidson, J. S. Hall; Elon, I. W. Johnson; Guilford, T. G. Pearson; Fair View Institute, W. W. Boddie: Oak Ridge, O. A. Betts; Catawba, L. N. Glenn; Thompson School, Theo. Cox; Trinity, J. H. Fitzgerald. Report from the State University Asso-

Addresses were made on "How to Create and Develop Missionary Interest." by J. L. Yandles, of Davidson; on "Weakness in College Work," by W. H. Boone, of Elon College; "Our First Responsibility to Our Fellow Students," by

ciations, it was announced, would be

submitted at the night session.

H. P. Anderson. Section Conferences: Delegates from points which employ secretaries. Led by G. B. Hanna, Charlotte. Subject: "The Relation of a Director to all Departments of the Work." From points not employing secretaries; presided over by W. G. Burkhead. Whiteville. Subject: "Social and In-

tellectual Work in Villages." by Prof. J. A. McLaughlin. 'Open Parliament," conducted by I .. Harris, Maxton. "College Students," discussed by H. C. Hammond, Davidson. "What constitutes success in College

ford College. Conversation—"Phases of work which need emphasizing," by L. A. Coulter, State Secretary. Junior Department, in charge of H. D. Conover, of Goldsboro-"New features tried the past year," by John Creasy, Charlotte. "Open Discussion," led by T. C. Diggs, Wilmington, assisted by J. W. Cooper. The following associations

now have boy's branches: Charlotte, Gastonia, Asheville, Wilmington. "College Students," conducted by H C. Hammond, Davidson. Address, "What constitutes success in college work," by T. G. Pearson, Guil-

ford College. Conversation on "Phases of work which need emphasizing," led by L. A. Coulter, State Secretary. Mr. Coulter opened with a brief resume of which have colleges represented Bible classes, showing the following: Davidson, two classes, 24 members Thompson school, one class, 14 members; Trinity, one class, 12 members Elon, one class, 15 member; Catawba one class, 12 members; A. and M. College, two classes, 15 members; Guilford two classes, 7 members.

NIGHT SERVICES.

Last night at 8 o'clock meetings were held at Grace Methodist church and the First Presbyterian church, conducted by visiting delegates to the Y. M. C A. At both meetings the reports of the State officers were read. At the First Presbyterian church, Rev. Egbert W. Smith, of Greensboro, preached to a large congregation.

At Grace Methodist Church, the service was held specially for railroad men, and was opened with a twenty minutes prayer and praise service. Prof. Hanna reported on the progress and condition of the Y. M. C. A., and the work done. charge of those on the train and did Mr. T. C. Diggs read reports of the Morriss then addressed the meeting on the work of railroad men, and Mr. H. P. | joyed.

the Y. M. C. A. At 9.30 o'clock last night Capt. Wm. Black held services at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium which were largely attended. His theme was "what shall I do then with Jesus?" This closed the services

Anderson on the international work of

The Convention will meet at 9 o'clock this morning for the transaction of busi-

At 2 o'clock this afternoon, the dele gates will take a trip over the Seacoast railroad to Wrightsville, Hammocks and Ocean View, returning at 6 o'clock. To-night, a short session will be held, after which Hon. R. B. Glenn will deiver a straight talk on "Sowing and Harris, Maxton; B. R. Lacy, Raleigh; J. Reaping." H. Fitzgerald, Trinity. Secretaries-F. Supper was served the delegates last

night at the Association rooms.

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The following delegates registered yes

terday: H. P. Anderson, Atlanta; Inc. D.

Clark, Newbern; E. H. Beaw, Davidson

College; J. N. Lee, Greensboro; B. R. Lacy, Raleigh; O. S. Clark, Clarkton; W. R. Gates, Greensboro; Alfred B. Paul, Winston-Salem; J. W. Canada,

Chapel Hill; Herman H. Horne, Chape

Hill; C. J. Huss, Gastonia; Gilbert Pear-

son, Guilford College; Edward S. Willis, Oak Ridge; T. N. Single, Rowland; Dr. J. W. Belk, Monroe; M. G. McKenzie,

The third day's session of the State

Y. M. C. A. Convention opened yester-

day morning with a song service, con-

followed by prayer by Rev. Mr. Carroll

At 10 a. m. Mr. E. L. Harriss called

the meeting to order for business, he be-

ing first Vice President. The subject,

"Man to Man," was presented and ex-

plained by Secretary Coulter, empha-

subject by mentioning the many times

to talk to individuals. His subject was

closed by a large number volunteering

to take certain individual and personal

At 10.30 a. m. Bible reading was pre-

sented by Rev. J. William Lee, Evange-

list, of Greensboro; basis of his discourse.

At 11 a. m. report of the Committee

on State Committee's Work, was made

by Mr. B. F. Hall, of Wilmington, as fol-

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Your committee beg leave to report

that they have examined with care the

report of the State Executive Commit-

tee and wish to express their gratifica-

tion with the excellent work done by the

committee and the wise policy pursued

n view of the financial crisis through

which they have passed. They wish to

the chairman, Professor G.

the beloved State Secretary, Mr. L. A

Coulter, and the vigorous administration

of the Treasurer, Mr. T. C. Diggs, and

First. That the State Executive Com

mittee be authorized to raise \$3,250 90

to pay present indebtedness and carry

on the work of the coming year, and

that as much of this amount as possible

Association in the State present the

work of the State Executive Committee

together with a report of the State Con-

vention, at a special meeting to be held

as early as practicable, and that a collec-

tion for the State work be taken at this

Third. We recommend that the State

Committee be authorized to conduct a

work at the State Guard Encampment,

if the funds at their disposal warrant the

Fourth. That inter-collegiate visita-

tion by students that are particularly

competent be arranged for as lar as prac-

ticable, and that as much volunteer work

by members of the State Committee and

Sixth. That the Associations of the

servance of the Week of Prayer in No

State, and that in connection with it a

collection be taken for the work of the

strongly urge upon their members to

ubscribe for and read the "Young Men's

Ninth. That all Associations hold ap-

propriate exercises in celebration of the

iftieth anniversary of the organization

of the parent of the Young Men's Chris-

tian Association either on the anniver-

sary day, June 6th, or on the following

Tenth. That the following be elected

as members of the State Executive Com-

mittee for a term of three years: C. H.

Tillett, Charlotte; W. C. Dowd, Char-

otte; P. B. Manning, Wilmington; Rev.

Thos. Hume, D. D., Chapel Hill; Rev.

A subscription list was then circulated

by Mr Franc H Jones and Rev F H

Rossiter, which resulted in \$1,319,50

being subscribed for the State Associa-

At 12.30 Mr Mahan delivered an

address on "When to Begin," which was

interesting, entertaining and instructive;

after which a short discussion was en-

tered into in regard to the Boys' de-

The meeting then adjourned until

TRIP TO THE SOUND.

companied by a number of our Y. M

C. A. people and a large crowd of ladies

and friends, left on the Seacoast train

for the Hammocks and Ocean View,

where the delegates amused themselves

strolling on the beach, eating roasted

oysters and having a good time gener

ally. They returned last night highly

pleased with their entertainment and

greatly refreshed after their two days'

session work. State Secretary L. A.

Coulter, Treasurer Thomas A. Diggs

and the State Committee of the Young

Men's Christian Association were in

everything possible for their comfort

and welfare. The trip was greatly en-

NIGHT SESSION.

The Convention met at 8 o'clock.

After song and prayer service, led by Mr.

Frank Mahan, of Charlotte, voluntary

prayers were called for to ask a blessing

The business meeting was called to

order by the President, Col. Roger

Moore, who asked for reports from sec-

on this special night service.

tion conferences.

retaries.

At 3.45 the delegates in a body, ac-

partment of the Y M C A work.

.80 o'clock.

B, F. HALL, Chairman

C. J. RIVENBARK,

JAS. M. HOWELL,

A. B. MCELYEA,

F. E. WILLIS,

Respectfully submitted,

Eighth. That all local Associations

international Committee.

Sunday, June 10th.

Wm. Black, Monroe.

be pledged at this convention.

Hanna, and the self-sacrificing

votion and successful labors

we would recommend:

meeting

ble be planned.

of the State.

particularly commend the faithful work

1st chapter of Peter, 2nd to 5th verse.

Maxton.

and Rev. Mr. Gales.

Mr. H. Horne, of the University of North Carolina, addressed the meeton the "Recent Advances in the College Field." A collection was then taken up for deraying the expenses of the convention.

ead reports of progress in the Boy's Department of Y. M. C. A. work.

An address on the subject of "The World Wide Work," by Mr. H. P. Anierson, of Atlanta, of the International Y. M. C. A., was very interesting.

At 9.30 o'clock the men's meeting hundred present. Song service was conducted by Mr. L. A. Coulter, after which Rev. J. Wm. Lee, evangelist, lelivered an impressive sermon on "Beetting Sins," using as his text, "Lay Aside Every Weight."

Several young men asked for prayer, and the meeting closed with an enthustastic testimony meeting which indicated that great interest was being man-

The devotional committee appointed Rev. Edward Kelly to fill the pulpit of St. Stephen's (colored) Church at 11 s. m.; E. L, Harriss the colored Y. M. C. A. at 4 o'clock p. m.; Baptist Chapel, at 11 a. m., J. L. Yandle and W. H. Boon; at 8 p. m., G. G. Stevens, H. H.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

- Ionesboro Progress: We learn that there is still a small quantity of fruit which was not killed by the recenscold snap. Some think that the grape crop is not seriously damaged.

-Rocky Mount Phanix: We are greatly pained to learn that Mr. A. J. Williams lost his house and practically everything in it by fire on Tuesday last. The origin of the fire is unknown. - Sanford Express: The distillery

of O. M. Kelly, near here, was seized last week by Deputy Collector W. C. Troy for alleged violation of the internal revenue laws. A quantity of whiskey was seized with the still.

- Salisbury Truth : Col. Houck, one of the most intelligent and best posted farmers in the county, does not think the wheat is as badly damaged as some suppose. He says under favorable weather, it will probably do well yet. He

says there will be some fruit. - Winston Sentinel: Mrs. Frank Darr, of Centerville, has gone to Murphy, N. C, to see her son, David Draughn, the man who was unable to tell his name or where he came from in Atlanta, Ga., several weeks ago. He is still in a precarious condition. Mrs. Darr will either bring him home with her or make an effort to have him sent to an insane asylum. Draughn had too many wives for the good of his health. Wife No. 1 lives in Salem and No. 2 in

Asheville. - Goldsboro Headlight: From our correspondent at Black Creek we learn that J. Frank Benton, a former citizen of this county, on Saturday evening in Wilson county shot and killed Wiley Dickerson, his tenant, caused by a dispute about some corn, and that after committing the deed made his escape. coroner's inquest was held night at which a verdict of "wilful murder" was returned against Benton. The murdered man leaves a wife and four

- Concord Times: While two little boys of Mr. J. M. Cauble, of No. 9. aged 8 and 6 years respectively, were playing with a gun one day last week, the younger one received the load of shot in his head. It seems that the older one got the gun and told the younger one to blow in it. Somehow the load was discharged, and entered between the little fellow's eyes, ranging downward through the roof of his mouth and lodging in the back of his neck. It is thought he may get well.

others in the form of visitation as possi-- Charlotte Observer: One of the Fifth. That the district work be conmost respected young women of Mctinued as heretofore and that District Adensville, Miss Marietta Petty, com-Conferences be held in all the districts mitted suicide by drowning herself in the river some time during last night. Her body was found lodged near the dam this morning. — Information has just been received of the accidental killing of State be recommended to introduce the special extension plan wherever practi-Dr. Bryson Walker, of Mill Spring. Polk Seventh. That in view of the blessed county, on Monday, the 2d inst. It results which have come from the obseems that the grandson of Dr. Walker was fooling with a rifle which was accivember, we recommend that it be obdentally discharged, resulting in the served by all the Associations in the death of the gentleman aforesaid.

- Raleigh Visitor: A few days ago J. B. Wall, of Johnson county, went to the residence of J. H. Cook, his sonin-law, five miles from Selma, and committed suicide by shooting a pistol bullet through his head, using Cook's pistol. He showed no signs of insanity, but just before the suicide spoke in the usual manner to Cook's wife, his daughter. Cook vesterday bade his wife good-bye, as if he were going away, but instead took the same pistol Wall had used, and at the same hour, took his life in precisely the same way. No reason can be assigned for either suicide, as both Wall and Cook were in comfortable circum-

stances. - Charlotte News: Early this norning revenue officer Vanderford made a very successful raid on a covered wagon at the Richmond & Danville freight depot, capturing about a hundred small boxes of tobacco, and perhaps ten to fifteen gallons of whiskey and brandy. The man's name was J. F. Goolsby, and he had a boy with him, who was merely hired to accompany him. They were loading the tobacco when the officer appeared on the scene. The whiskey was all in bottles, and was intended, doubtlessly, to work a great counterfeit on Tillman, because each bottle was a dispensary vessel, having on one side the State paper and on the other the palmetto tree and the South Carolina coat of arms. The bottles were originally bought from the dispensary.

'A Model of Good Taste, Excellence and Handsome Typography." [Charlotte Observer.]

The Wilmington STAR, after a week's bsence, has re-appeared at this office. Within this period it has closed its fiftythird semi-annual volume and enlarged its Sunday edition, and since the modus vivendi has been re-established the Observer wants to be counted among those who have registered congratulations and felicitations. The STAR is the oldest daily in the State, and Mr. Bernard is the most capable all-round newspaper manager in the State. His paper is a model of good taste, excellence and handsome typography, and amongst its contemporaries it has not a better wisher than the undersigned.

POLLARD-BRECKINRIDGE.

ents of Counsel for Instructions to the Jury. By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ley's court was occupied during the entire day in hearing argument upon the prayers submitted by both sides for instructions to the jury. The proceed-ings were purely technical and very few spectators were present. The main arument of counsel was as to which side ought to assume the burden of proofin regard to the conflicting statements of plaintiff and defendant, Judge Bradev took the matter under advisement.

"A Credit to the City and Section."

[Baltemore Sun.]

Mr. R. H. Carroll read committee The Daily STAR, Wilmington, N. C., closed its fifty-third semi-annual volume reports from points employing secretalast Thursday, and commemorated the event by presenting its Sunday issue in a much enlarged and improved form, giving forty per cent. of additional read-ing matter. The STAR is a bright and Mr. A. S. Tillinghast read committee reports from points not employing secenterprising daily, and a credit to the Mr. L, A. Coulter read reports from college students, and Mr. J. W. Cooper city and section in which it is published