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The Southern Baptist, published at Asheville, is one religious paper that endorses Cy Thompson's statement that the church is on the side of human slavery. What do you suppose is the reason the bright and shining editor of that paper offers to sustain the state ment ! Here it is:

"Since the war cotton manufacturing has sprung up in the South and most of the stock in the cotton mills is in the hands of the church members, and yet there never has been such slavery in this country as that among the opera-tives in these cotton mills. These church members are working women and children 13 hours 6 days in the week on a pitiful sum and laying by in dividends from 25 to 40 per cent. on the capital invested, actually coming money out of the life blood of these women and girls. These political papers would do infinitely more good by turning their guns on the proprietors of these cotton

.The statements in the above are un-We would not be surprised to see true. them made by a Populist paper, but a paper which claims to be an advocate of the religion of Jesus Christ should seek to know the truth and to publish it. The editor, however, who will endorse Cy Thompson's infamous state ment immediately receives his proper place in the estimation of Christian people, and thereafter but little is expected of him.

Goulds Pay no Taxes.

NEW YORK, December 7 .-- Justice Russell in the special term of the su-preme court today handed down a decision which exempts from taxation the property of George J. Howard, Edwin and Helen M. Gould in this county, on the ground that they are non-residents. Five different proceedings were insti-tuted against the members of the Gould family, both individually and as execu-tors of the late Jay Gould. In his decision vacating the assessment made by the commissioners of taxes for the year 1894, Judge Russell sustains the con-tentment of the relators that they had removed from this state with the intention of permanently residing in another state at the time the assessment was

The residence of George J. Gould ted as being at Lakewood, N. J., and J. The Gould estate is estimated to be worth one hundred million dollars and the income from the property is over four millions a year.

THE ODELL MILLS. ENTERPRISE ON WHICH CONCORD

The First Cotton Mill to Bear the Name Odell was Organized in 1878-The Odella are Now Cotton Mill Kings, and Their Factories Dot the State.

lotton Mills Edition News and Observer.

Some names are inseparably connect-ed with cotton manufacturing in North that run in these busy mills. eral mills that have grown up around Carolina and in all the long list of en-ergetic, capable men who have found the parent factory are evidence of the steady increase in patronage which the fortune in this development no name stands higher than that of Odell. The mills have enjoy

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Capt. J. M. Odell is also the president rapidity of this industrial development is apparent when we remember that it was as late as 1878 that the first cotton was as late as 1878 that the first cotton town with the works of the Odeli Manmill bore the name of Odell, and that mill bore the name of Odell, and that in the comparatively brief period that has elapsed since that date they have attained a leading rank among the manufacturers of the South. They had a lurge faith in its future, and by a lurge faith in its future, and by era-a lurge faith in its future, and by "keeping everlastingly at it" they have reached out, their mills have multiplied and the name has become the syno-nym for success. Capt. J. M. Odell is a native of Ran-dolph county, and at an early age went to clerking in the store at Cedar Falls Cotton Mills. He soon became inter-ested as a part owner of the mills and obtained a thorough knowledge of the state of the state of the mills and obtained a thorough knowledge of the state of the treasurer and Mr. L. D. Duyal the superintendent.

obtained a thorough knowledge of the business. He sold his interest in the The new Buffalo Thread Mills, loca-ted on the southern suburbs of Concord, Cedar Falls Mills in 1870, and five years is the latest achievement of the Odells, later bought the Concord Mills, and as we write a new brick building

Within one year after he bought the mill the Odell Manufacturing Company mill the Odell Manufacturing Company When Capt. Odell and his associates When Capt. Odell and his associates bought the Forest Hill factory, Concord d was organized, and then began the manufacturing career that has resulted in such remarkable success. From that day to this the management has been unchanged and the progress unvarying. Mill has succeeded mill, until now four large structures are taxed to their ca-pacity to supply the demand for the products of the company. The first mill was erected in 1880, the second in 1882 the third in 1886, the fourth in was organized, and then began the

seamless bags, and their products have lian devotion to duty in these Scotch made a place for themselves on the inspired the Carlaration of Independ-

that of the other relators as Irvington, N. in Chatham county; in the Pearl Mills, State. This may be said with truth of in the local market to supply the de-mands of his factory, without having to pay any freight charges. The success of his enterprises has been largely the mands of his enterprises has been largely the mention the J. M. Odell Manufacturing Company, and of the J. M. Odell Man-ufacturing Company. Mr. Will Odell, as everybody calls the Secretary and Treasurer, is a "chip of the old block," one of the most popular and useful mention the State, interesting himself littles, the close attention to the smaland a member of the board of trustees in the local market to supply the demen in the State, interesting himself littles, the close attention to the smal- a friend in Yadkinvine tells of some not only in important business enter- lest details, the stopping of all leaks, the prises, but in all religious movements quickness to take advantage of every to have effected. working for the betterment of men and new condition as it arises, as well as comprehensive business sense, that women Concord has in a little more than a marks the difference between the suc- Chicago. At one home she visited decade grown into one of the leading cessful manufacturer and the unsuccess- there was a lady who had been afflicted manufacturing towns in the State, and ful one. Capt. Odell, from the first, for some time and had been confined manufacturing towns in the state, and its prosperity is firmly anchored to the Odell Manufacturing Company. When the Odells bought the Forest Hill mill in 1877, the population of Concord was 1,200. To-day it is 6,000. There are few more interesting places in Nerth Capt. Odell, from the first, made himself master of every detail of his factory operations, reared his son to the same scrupulous care about the smallest things, and required all the officers, from the highest to the lowest, to regard no labor as beneath them, but n North Carolina than the little town to know how to do every and all things in itself, which these mills have done necessary to the success and growth of very much to build up. No mill own- the enterprise. It is to this insistence ers take more interest in their employes upon the mastery of details, emphasized than these progressive Christian men, by his own knowledge and his own and they do much to encourage mo- never flagging industry that has inspired rality and good citizenship among the all whom he has associated with Lim seven hundred men who make their in business to an 'ambition to emulate daily bread in these large works. One his industry and "horse sense." More of the handsomest Methodist churches than this: It has caused capitalists in in the State is Forest Hill, which owes other places to seek the assistance of its existence to these benevolent gentle- Capt. Odell in making their enterprises Hoke Smith on State Banks-Secretary Hoke Smith, in his speech Hill is noted for its high standard of the urgent requests made by other companjes for him to take the presidency When Greensboro Female College, of their mills that he has been forced to that institution which has sent forth so decline dozens of such offers. Not two nd added: "If I were in Georgia Legislature I many polished women to adorn South- months ago the leading moneyed men ern homes, was about to close its doors, of a certain large town in the State were would favor a measure to start the issu-ance of State bank notes at once, and the Methodist church, Capt. Odell was tory in their town. There was no trcuif this was done I would be one to join one of the half dozen benevolent gentle- ble about raising the capital; all the the movement to start a State bank even before Congress takes the action of repealing the tax, for I believe the United States Suprems Court would uphold the action." the church and State. Their co-opera- if you can get Capt. J. M. Odell, of Contion gave the old college a new lease of cord, to become president. His accep-life, and it has been steadily growing tance of the presidency would insure

GENERAL NEWS.

stablished reputation, and an extensive Senator Cameron, of Pennsylvania, has announced that he will not be a candidate for reelection to the United accommodate the demand for their goods, the company is compelled to constantly increase its plant and States Senate.

equipment, and barely a year passes that the spindles and looms that turn The Republicans have no definite policy, and are abusing the President and the administration in order

that the spinales and looms that third out the popular products are not sub-stantially increased. During this year several thousand spindles and a num-ber of new looms have been added to the thousands of wheels and spindles over up their own indecision Joe Jefferson, the veteran actor, and a personal friend of President Cleve-land, says nothing would induce the President to be a candidate for the

The dates of the erection of the sevthird term.

The Southern Railway Company has contributed \$2,000 to the fund for rebuilding the University of Virginia. The Chespeaks and Ohio Railway Com-pany recently contributed \$1,000 to the same fund.

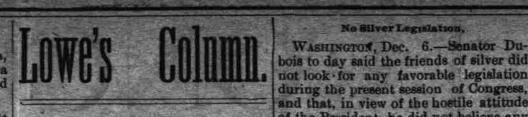
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vention has completed its work and adjourned. The session lasted nearly three months. At the close the mem-In Any House in Town

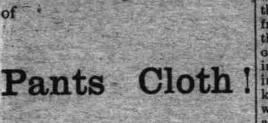
The lighthouse tender Violet, with President Cleveland and party on board, anchored Friday night near Currituck light and left early Saturday morning for the Southern ducking grounds.] is understood the party will shoot Hatteras for two days.

The products of the company of the second in mill was erected in 1880, the second in 1882, the third in 1886, the fourth in 1882, the third in 1886, the fourth in 1892, There are 26,000 spindles and 1,326 looms in the equipment. Every day these busy wheels turn from the raw material into the finished product twenty-seven bales of cotton. The mills manufacture ginghams, sheetings and seamless bags, and their products have The Supreme Court of Kansas ha everything we have at

markets of the world. Half a million dollars capital is the financial basis on which this industrial structure rests, and one hundred stock-holders have their dollars invested in the enterprise. J. M. Odell is president of the com-many, J. A. Odell is vice-president, and W. R. Odell is secretary and treasurer. Capt. J. M. Odell is also largely in-terested in the Durham Cotton Mills at Durham; in the Cannon Manufacturing Company, another leading Concord in-dustry; in the J. M. Odell Manufacturing Company, shose mills are located in Chatham county; in the Pearl Mills.



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and that, in view of the hostile attitude of the President, he did not believe any special effort would be made in that irection. The silver men, he believed ould so far control the committee that they could at any time bring up a free-coinage bill, and it was very likely that a number of speeches in advocacy of such a measure would be made dui-ing the session. The wisdom of mak-ing a prolonged fight with the full knowledge of its hopelessness, he said, was much doubted by the silver men, and it was autoenther likely that they and it was altogether likely that they would content themselves with reaffirm-ing their allegiance to the cause rather than prolong the session when no sul

No Silver Legislation,

than prolong the session when no sub-stantial good possibly could result. The Senator, however, was very positive in asserting that no issue of bonds would be authorized or other financial legislation permitted without some substantial recognition gives to silver. Nor, he continued, would any measure providing for the retirement of greenbacks pass the Senate, except of greenbacks pass the Senate, except silver, be given an important place in any scheme for preventing the contrac-tion of the currency which necessarily would be caused by such retirement. He, therefore, did not look for any financiallegislation at the present session.

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would much prefer to move the cash than to be moving our im-mense stock, and we

Dead in His Buggy. GASTONIA, Dec. 7 .- A white man

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statement is made by persons who are among those best qualified to judge that in the absence of legislation to relieve the financial situation a bond is-sue is altogether probable within the next few months at the farthest. The present condition of the exchange market, and the commercial situation generally, it is said, point unmistakably to further large exports of gold, and without something is done to prevent the usual heavy exports during 'January and February, which for the last two years have forced the issue of bonds to recoup the depleted gold reserve, a similar situation will confront the treasury before the new year is far advanced.

Eighty-One Grand Children. Charlotte News.

The News a few days ago spoke of the visit of a remarkable old man from Union county. Union tseems to be prolific in good old people, for Mr. David Montgomery is another who has come under our notice. Mr. Montcomery is the father of Mrs M. J. Short, of Mecklenburg county, and is 84 years old. His wife is 78 years of age. They have twelve living children, eighty-one grand children and eightyseven great grandchildren. Both Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery are enjoying good health. Last Thanksgiving day, they held a family reunion at their home in Union county.

Hoke Smith on State Banks.

before the Georgia Legislature, gave it morality and right living. as his opinion that the tax on State bank circulation is unconstitutional. and added:

The Southern Railway will enter Norfolk the first week in January, running its trains over the Wilmington & Weldon from Selma, N. C., to Tarbo-department, and now is on a firmer ba-& Weldon from Selma, N. C., to Tarbo-ro, and over the Norfolk & Carolina from the latter point to the new terminal point at Pinner's Point, Norfolk harbor. Great numbers of men are at work on the Southern's branch line beween Grensboro and Solma, putting in fron bridges and preparing it for heavy through traffic.

Governor Carr offers \$300 reward for the apprehension of Sam Newland, of

sis than it ever was before. The gen-tlemen who own the college, the Odells among the principal stockholders, do in his own business, but Capt. Odell has not ask any return from the invest-ment, regarding the increment of edu-in a strictly business way, not to speak cated womanhood that accrues from the of his charities and gifts to religion and institution each year as not only good education, which have kept pace with institution each year as not only good current, which the there are not a interest on the investment, but a large his business success. There are not a surplus accumulated for the good of the few men and woman, including widows, who have money they desire to invest

Some years ago a new enterprise was safely, and they are always anxiously Lenoir, Caldwell county, for the mnr-der of Frank Steelman. He shot the iatter dead, although Steelman on his knees begged for meray. Newland's friends say Steelman had made threats that he would kill him and several other men. It appears that there is a woman in the case. Some years ago a new enterprise was begun in Concord—the manufacture of seamless bags. These bags are used by the thousand for packing salt, grain and many other products that require a closely knit bag that cannot rip. The machinery by which these bags are made had to be designed especially for the purpose. The machinery with which the works at Concord were equipped in

wonderful cures this faith doctor claims

She made her appearance severa weeks ago and claims to hail from

Another instance in which this woman showed her power for healing was in the case of a young man who had been a consumptive all his life. He was growing worse until she brought her wonderful faith cure to bear upon him and now is getting stout again. The l or states that from far and near people are flocking to the woman to have her work her faith cure on them.

The Populists are very considerably worked up, and some of them are saying that if the silvermen in the Republican party in this State are not strong enough to control their organization, why then there must be three electoral tickets, and that they also favor three State tickets. It is an open secret that the Populists who are thus talking becarry the Stare. It may be that they talk in this fashion in order to get as much out of the Republicans as possible, though they swear they are sincere.



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