A Virtue and a Vice. Vanity and a proper regard for the feelings of others should both urge you to get rid of that disgusting skin disease. Whether it be a simple abrasion, a chap or a burn, or whether it is a chronic case of Eczema, Tetter or Ringworm, Tetterine will positively, infallibly cure it. Cure it so it will stay cured, too. 50 cents a box at drug stores, or by mail for 50 cents in cash or stamps from J. T. Shuptrine, Savannah, Ga.

GREENVILLE, S. C., May 22, 1897. EDITOR CHARLOTTE OBSERVER:—Four years ago, last February, I registered as a patient at the Keely Institute, Greensboro, N. C. I had drank for ten years. I remained there five weeks. The treatment completely cured me. I have had no desire to drink since, and I personally know more than one hundred finen who have had the same experience at the Green-boro Keeley, and who have never tasted any kind of intoxicants since. I write this because I consider it a duty as well as a pleasure.

Yours Truly, W. H. WILLIMAN.

A special from Washington, under

Waterloo Organs are noted for unequali-fied quality of tone and durability. Eas-iest pumping organ made. Styles in Birck Walnut and Quartered Oak. The best is the cheapest. Address John B. Wright, Greens-boro, N. C.

Awkward. Employer (hurriedly resuming his dictation on a caller entering the office) -What was my last word?

Typewriter girl (somewhat confused)

men go out between the acts they can tramp on each other's toes."-Detroit Free Press.

Left by Say.

Among the late Leon Say's papers were found five decrees dated on the same day, signed by President Grevy and countersigned by all the proper officials, appointing him to all the grades sisted for years between General Hamp-Grand Cross. Grevy went out of of-fice without making the appointments est. In 1890, when Senator Tillman one, and never wore any of the decor-

Tea Drinking. infallible sign of an old maid, now numbers among its votaries many men. Nearly every big club in New York, according to the Sun, counts its tea-

Princess of Wales Loves Animal. The Princess of Wales is fond of animals and is a most intrepid rider to the hounds. Her bay pony, "Huffy," is Cause of the Suicide of Eli Bundy at now 22 years of age. He is past work and is having a high old time of it. He stands about 13 hands high, and has been the first favorite of the princess for the 16 years he has been in her service. He knows his mistress as well as any of her dogs do, and, if allowed, would follow her anywhere. He is too an old favorite to be killed.

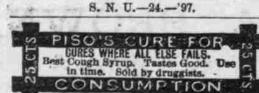
Alex McClure of the Philadelphia Times two or three times, "Me and my son are not guilty." He leaves a wife and five John Wannamaker of Philadelphia and or six children. Tilly Haynes of Boston. Both went to New York. Mr. Wannamaker took the Stewart property, the finest dry goods store in the world, and Mr. Haynes took the great Broadway Central Hotel, the largest in the city. But dry rot had crept into both of these magnificent properties and no one dared to grasp them, until John Wannamaker took one and Tilly Haynes the other. crowned the efforts of both. Verily a good reputation is better than riches.'

Health Stre gth taken to purify, enrich Mr. Watson's paper says: and vitalize the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla expels the germs, of scrofula, salt rheum and other poisons which cause so the system while it eradicates disease.

Hood's Sarsa-parilla Is the best-in fact the One True Blood Purifier. Sold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$5.



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to Retain Him

A special from Washington, under date of the 9th, says: "Gen. Longstreet will have to wait until Gen. Wade Hampion recovers from his present indisposition, before there will be a change in the office of commis-

sioner of railroads. "One of the most interesting incidents of the day at the White House was a call by Senator Tillman, Senator -Your last word was darling .- Pick McLaurin, Representative Latimer and Representative Stokes, of South Carolina, Although silver Democrats of the deepest-dyed hue, they are on "Theatres ought to be seated with the friendly terms with the President and women all on one side and the men on visited him to request the retention of the other." "Why?" "So that when Gen. Wade Hampton, a gold Demomen go out between the acts they can crat. The President told them that he thought very highly of General Hamp-ton, but said that he expected to make a change in the office some time in the future. He did not expect, however, to immediately nominate a successor to Gen. Hampton. As has been stated Gen. Longstreet is the man who has been picked for the position. To South Carolinians and to politicians generally, who are familiar with the relations that exare familiar with the relations that exof the Legion of Honor, including the ton and the faction represented by the public in the Journal Officiel, and Leon | was elected Governor of South Carolina Say never mentioned the matter to any after one of the most bitter campaigns ever known in the South, an intensely hostile feeling between Governor Tillman and General Hampton, then Senator, was aroused, resulting in the defeat of Senator Hampton for re-election, The tea-drinking habit, which, only and the election by Tillman's efforts, of Senator J. M. L. Irby. The hostility between General Hampton and Governor Tillman was further increased by the bitter attacks which Governor Tillman and his faction made upon ex-President Cleveland and the drinkers by the score, and votaries of | Chicago convention in 1892, General the amber liquid are not unknown in | Hampton being a warm supporter of the clubs of San Francisco. They or- President Cleveland. There has never fler tea when others around them order been a reconciliation of any kind be- which have everywhere made illustrious whisky. Five o'clock is the tea-drink- tween Tillman and General Hampton, the name of America. Whether it was ers' time, and in support of their habit they say that it does not interfere with South Carolinian Senator Tillman their appetite for dinner and is as and President McKinley are on wonpleasant an aid to a social chat as whis- derfully good terms for men of such wide divergence of views. Senator Mc-Laurin is highly regarded by the Pres-

A HORRIBLE JOKE.

It appears that the suicide of Eli Bundy at Clio, S. C., was the result of a practical joke. A large part of Clio was recently destroyed by fire, and some young men jokingly accused Bundy of committing the arson, and told him that he and his son would be arrested and old for work now, and has had his shoes tried for burning Clio. Bundy was a taken off finally, but still lives a most harmless, conscientious and sensitive luxurious life, constantly visited and man, and being charged with so grave a fed by his mistress, who never allows crime bore heavily on his mind for several days and drove him to self-destruction. He lived several minutes after his throat was cut, and managed to say

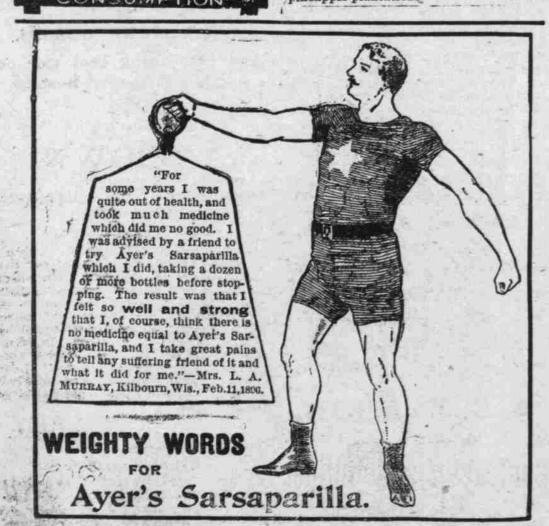
WATSON REPUDIATES BRYAN. The Populist Ready to Go the Next Campaign Alone.

An Atlanta, Ga., special says Thomas E. Watson has won the fight to have Populist conference which meets in Nashville on July resolve itself into a convention and proceed to reorganize the Soon succeed weak party, repudiating Marion Butler and ness and languor when electing a new National committee. In Hood's Sarsaparilla is the declaration calling for such action

"Let us eliminate three B's-Bryan Butler and Bargains. The first repudiated our Watson, the second is a traitor and the third means fusion. We have much suffering and sooner or later under- had a surfeit of B's. The 'Pops' mine the general health. It strengthens will hereafter be solid, and death alone can reduce their numbers."

Simonton Has the Case. At Asheville, N. C., Wednesday the injunction case of the Southern Rail-Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner way company against Governor Russell, Attorney-General Walser and the directors of the road was concluded. W. H. Day, counsel for the defendant opened the argument, charging a case of corruption, saying Russell was the only Governor who has ever gone against the Southern's will. Mr. Carlisle, ex-Secretary of the Treasury, took a whack at the Governor, and spoke for an hour. Judge Avery replied in strong terms, and Judge Burwell argued for the old directors. The case is now in the hands of Simonton, and he says he will render a decision as soon as possible. Pleadings were also filed in the suit of the Central Trust company of New York against the North Carolina railroad, and the case went to the court without argument.

A San Diego (Cal.) man has started



## BEHALF OF WADE HAMPTON. PRESIDENT AT NASHVILLE. TRINITY'S COMMENCEMENT.

Tillman and Party Ask the President | The Country Needs Restored Confi- | The Agricultural and Mechanical dence More Than Anything Else.

TENNESSEE, PAST AND PRESENT

The Expesition a Promising Indication of the Return of Prosperity -- All

At the Tennessee Centennial Exposition on the 11th President McKinley spoke as follows, after being introduced by President Thomas, of the Exposi-

"Officers of the Tennessee Centennial Exposition, Ladies and Gentlemen: "American nationality, compared with that of Europe and the East, is still very young; and yet already we are beginning to have age enough for centennial anniversaries in States outside of done by the State and nation, and point out what yet remains for both to accomplish in order to fulfill their highest destiny. This celebration is of general interest to the whole country, and of special significance to the people of the South and West. It marks the end of the first century of the State mitted into the Union as the 16th member in the great family of American Commonwealths. It was a welcome addition to the national household-a community young, strong and sturdy, with an honored and historic ancestry, with fond anticipations, not only of its founders, but faith in its success on the part of the far-seeing and sagacious statesmen in all parts of the country. I am justified in saying that these anticirations have been grandly realized; that the present of this community of sterling worth is even brighter than the prophets had dared to predict.

"The builders of the State, who had forced their way through trackless forests of this splendid domain, brought with them the same high ideals and fearless devotion to home and country, founded on resistance to oppression. They came willing and eager to fight for independence and liberty, and in the war of the revolution were everloyal to the standard of Washington. When their representatives served in the Colonial Assembly of North Carolina, they chose for the first time in our country, so far as I know-the great name of Washington for the district in which they lived, and at the close of the revolution sought to organize their territory into a State, to be known as the State of Franklin, in grateful homage to the name of another of its most distinguished patriot command-

"Spain sought to possess their territory by right of discovery as a part of Florida. France claimed it by right of session, as a part of Louisiana, and England as hers by conquest. But neither contention could for an instant be recognized. Moved by the highest instincts of self-government and the loftiest motives of patriotism, under gallant old John Sevier, at King's Mountain, your forefathers bravely vindicated their honor, and gloriously won their independence.

"Thus came the new State, second only then as now, in the mighty West and Southwest. And it has made a wonderful history for itself. Tennessee has sometimes been called the 'Mother of Southwestern Statesmen.' It furnished us the immortal Jackson, whose record in war and whose administration in peace at the head of the great republic, shines on with the advancing years. The country has only added to the luster of his name, increased the obligations of his countrymen, and exalted him in their affection. Polk and Johnson also were products of this great State, and many more heroes of distinguished deeds, whose names will come unbidden to your memories while I speak.

"Tennesseeans have ever been volunteers, not drafted. In 1846, when 2,400 soldiers were called for, 30,000 loyal Tenneesseeans offered their services; and amid the terrors and trials of the great civil war, under conditions of peculiar distress and embarrassment her people were divided on contending sides, but, upon whichever side found. they fought fearlessly to death. Now, happily, there are no contending sides in this glorious Commonwealth, or in any part of our common country. The men who opposed each other in dreadfu lbattle, a third of a century ago are only more and forever united together under one flag in a never to-be-broken

"The 35,000 settlers in this State in 1790 had increased to 1,109,000 in 1860. and today it has a population closely approximating 2,000,000. Its manufactures, which in 1860 was small and unimportant in 1890 had reached \$72, -000,000 in value, while its farm products now aggregate more than \$32,-000,000 annually. Its river commerce on three great internal waterways, its splendid railroads operating nearly 30,000 miles of road, its mineral wealth of incalcuable value, form a splendid augury for the future. I am sure no better workmen could be found than the people of Tennessee.

"Your exposition shows better than any words of mine can tell, the details of your wealth of resources and powers of production. You have done wisely in exhibiting these to your own people and to your sister States, and at no time could the display be more effective than now, when what the country needs nore than all eise, is restored conhdence in itself. This exposition demonstrates directly your own faith and purpose and signifies in the widest sense your true and unfailing belief in the irrepressible pluck of the American people, and is a promising indication of

the return of American prosperity.
"The knowledge which this beautiful and novel exposition gives will surely stimulate competition, develop your trade, increase your output, enlarge your fields of employment, extend your markets and so eventually pay for all it cost, as well as justify local sentiment

and encourage State pride. "Men and women I see about me from all parts of the country, and thousands more will assemble here before the exposition is closed. Let our-selves, and let them, always remember that whatever differences about politics may have existed, or still exists, we are all Americans before we are partisians, and value the welfare of all the people shove party or section. We love all the States. The lesson of the hour then, is this: That whatever adverse conditions may temporarily impede the pathway of our national progress, nothing can permanently defeat it."

College Has Successful Term.

OUR NORTH STATE COLUMN.

The Press Convention-Federal Com-

missioners -- Phosphate Property Sold--Sheriffs' Convention.

At the commencement exercises at the Agricultural and Mechanical college at Raleigh nineteen graduated. The term was a most successful one, and the attendance (250) the largest in the history of the college. Graham Clark won highest honor in mechanics, Hugh Primrose in science, S. G. Kennedy in agriculture. Special merit certificates were conferred as follows: On seniors, J. S. Buffalo, agriculture the original thirteen. Such occasions and chemistry; J. W. Carsoll, J. E. Highsmith. Bradley J. Wooten, agribrated in a practical way, are useful culture; Graham Clark, engineering brated in a practical way, are useful and instructive. Combining retrospect and history; N. L. Gibbon, drawing; C. B. Kendall, W. J. McLendon, R. U. B. Kendall, W. J. McLendon, R. U. W. H. Sanders and T. J. H. Merritt, W. H. Sanders and T. J. Smithwick, work in shops; S. G. Kennedy and A. H. Oliver, agriculture, horticulture and history; J. L. Knight, agriculture and horticulture; H. W. Primrose, chemistry, engineering and history. The Secretary of State presented the cash prize to two freshmen who had earned most money by outside labor during during the term-Zeb Vance Snipes, of Swain, and J. H. Bunn, of Vance county. Post graduates are David Clark, J. L. Blount and L. R. Whitted. The Governor, in his remarks after presenting the diplomas, said the college cost too much for the number of students. It is stated that at the conference of some of the trustees at the executive mansion, he urged severe economy.

> Commencement at Trinity College was held last week. Orations were delivered by graduates as follows: Paul Vernon Anderson, of Wilson, "Journalism;" Stephen Sanders Dent, of Jefferson, "College Man and Business World;" Garland Olander Green, of Beaumont, "Duty of Scholar to State;" Benjamin Franklin Harrison, of Calvin, Indian Territory, "Lowell;"
> William Patrick Isley, of Burlington,
> "Reason Versus Tradition." Other
> graduates were: W. K. Boyd, E. K. Creel, M. T. Dickinson, E. S. Edwards, J. C. Gibbs, J. N. Johnston, J. F. Totten, Harold Turner. The Wiley Gray medal was awarded to G. Green, and President McIver of the Normal and Industrial College presented it. Honorary degrees were con-ferred as follows: D. D. on Editor Ivey, of the Greensboro Christian Advocate, LL. D. on President Dred Peacock, of Greensboro Female College. The attendance of visitors was larger than in years.

The land, phosphate mines, mill and farm of the North Carolina Phosphate Company, embracing 800 acres, at Castlehay, New Hanover county, has been sold to satisfy a judgment. The penitentiary bid \$16,000 and obtained the property, in order to secure part of the debt due by the Phosphate Company. The debts of the company amount to \$88,500. Among the creditors are: The Citizens' National Bank, \$31,000; Dr. Hogg, \$18,000, and C. M. Hawkins, all of Raleigh, \$7,000, and the the penitentiary \$17,000 for convict labor furnished. For years the penitentiary has leased the farm, but this year the farming operations have been discontinued, and the mines are being worked by about forty convicts. The mines and mill will be operated, the farm will be worked and brick-making will be carried on on an extensive scale by the State.

The twenty-fifth annual meeting of the Press Association met at Morehead City last week. The attendance was large. The historian of the association, Mr. J. W. Bailey, editor of the Recorder, read a brief history of the association. He paid a glowing tribute to the late W. W. McDairmid. The following officers were elected: President, John B. Whitaker, vice-presidents, J. T. Britt and W. A. Curtis; secretary and treasurer, John B. Sherrill; historian, R. A. Deal; orator, W. C. Dowd; poet. Josephus Daniels; additional delegate to the National Editorial Association, J. B. Sherrill; exacutive committee, H. A. London, Bailey, Manning and

Judge Purnell, of the United States district court, appoints the following United States commissioners: John E. Bryan, Monroe; Carson Johnson, Pittsboro; E. P. Powers, Fayetteville; H. B. Register, Whiteville; J. W. Brown, Oxford; J. B. Holland, Dunn; W. B. Clark, Southern Pines; D. A. Barrett, Carthage; P. H. Massey, Smithfield; Hugh Humphrey, Goldsboro; B. F. Bullock, Franklinton; J. D. Grimsley, Snow Hill: B. F. Me-Lean, Maxton; M. B. Culpeper, Elizabeth City; R. S. White, Elizabethton; R. H. Bunting, Wilmington; Albert I. Lewis, Beaufort; John Nichols, Raleigh; D. C. Mangum, Durham; T. W. Dewey, New Bern.

State Treasurer Worth and Auditor Ayer decide that the sheriffs' convention at Morehead City shall be held August 1st, and that all registers of deeds, county commissioners and ex-sheriffs shall be invited to attend, as well as all other persons concerned in the listing and collection of taxes.

A hammer-headed shark, thirteen feet in length, caught in one of the great nets at Cape Lookout, is the latest arrival at the State museum.

The alumnae of St. Mary's school at Raleigh at their annual meeting, decided to abandon the idea of raising \$50,-000 for the endowment fund and to devote themselves to raising money to pay for the school, which was recently purchased from the Paul C. Cameron estate for \$50,000.

It is said that a convict engineer atcempted to blow up the boilers at the penitentiary, in order to kill one official, but that another convict saw the weighted safety-valve, took off the weights and prevented destruction and death just in time.

The penitentiary authorities say they are in great need of funds; that the boilers are worn out and must be replaced; also that the horses at the farms, or some of them, are nearly dead and others must be bought. The State treasurer says there is no act giving the penitentiary \$25,000 contingent fund. The superintendent says such a bill passed, and J. C. L. Harris, attorney for the penitentiary board, makes the same positive declaration.

The Piedmont Wagon Company, of Hickory, at its semi-annual meeting declared a four per cent dividend.

WOUNDED IN THE WAR.

LAND GAP. Colonel is Given Over to Die-How the Old Soldier Gave Azrael

the Slip. From the News, Barboursville, Ky. In the year 1863, while in command of a Union regiment at Cumberland Gap, Colonel Messer, now of Flat Licks, Kentucky, received a severe gunshot wound in his abdomen. In a few months he was again in the saddle, but soon was obliged to undergo further medical treatment, and his condition became so serious that in the winter of 1868 he returned to his home, and was never again fit for active service. During the years that have since passed, Colonel Messer has been a confirmed invalid from the effect of his wound, and has been under the constant care of the local physicans, not improving, but growing worse as the years rolled on. His condition eventually became deplorable. Almost blind, legs swollen, so that he was unable to walk, the doctors who could do nothing to arrest the progress

of the disease, diagnosed it as dropsy, and said recovery was impossible.

The old soldier did not half believe his physicians, but said that since they could do nothing for him, he would, upon an old friend's strong recommendation, try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. The first box was taken by Col. Messer according to directions, and by the time that was gone, he felt so much easier and more com-fortable, that several other boxes were pro-cured, and he continued to take them faithfully. Soon the swelling in his legs disappeared, and with it the fierce rheumatic pains with which he had long suffered. Strangest of all, his eyesight, which for so many years had been useless, was restored In all, Colonel Messer took Dr. Williams' Pink Pills six months, and then was thoroughly cured. He now is a healthy looking man, rides on horseback, and stands as much fatigue as any man of his age.

The Colonel, since his recovery, is never tired of descanting on the virtues of these pills, and every advertisement that he finds he carefully clips, and sends to some sick friend or neighbor, with the assurance that

The high standing of Colonel Messer, and his remarkable recovery, makes this report more than usually interesting, and when it was received at the office of the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., it was referred to Messrs. Phipps & Herndon, the well-known druggists, of Barboursville, Ky., for verification. We append the reply: BARBOURSVILLE, Ky., Aug. 18, 1896. DR. WILLIAMS' Med. Co.,

Schenectady, N. Y. Gentlemen:—Yours of August 14th to hand, enquiring about testimonial written by Mr. Sampson concerning Colonel Messer, of Flat Lick, Ky., will say that the cure of Colonel Messer was considered almost mi-raculous, and he claims Pink Pills did it.

Yours truly, PHIPPS & HERNDON. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mall by addressing Dr. Williams' Medi-cine Company, Schenectady, N.Y.

Fits permanently cured. No fits or nervous-ness after first day's use of Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. \$2 trial bottle and treatise free Dr. R. H. KLINE, Ltd., 331 Arch St., Phila., Pa.

J. S. Parker, Fredonia, N. Y., says: "Shall not call on you for the \$100 reward, for I believe Hall's Catarrh Care will cure any case of catarrh. Was very bad." Write him for particulars. Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Piso's Cure is the medicine to break up children's Coughs and Colds,—Mrs. M. G. BLUNZ, Sprague, Wash., March 8, 1894.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children eething, softens the gums, reducing inflamma-ion, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c.a bottle.

BICYCLE EXCITEMENT.

The greatest sensa-tion of the season in the bicycle market has been occasioned by four of the leading manufacturers com-bining to protect the retail trade from be-ing imposed upon by agents and others who have no reputation to lose as bicycle deal-ers. This combina-tion, of which the John

tion, of which the John P. Lovell Arms Co. are the moving spirits, have forced down the price of high grade wheels so that there is now no reason why a cyclist should ride freas. Lovell Arms Co. • ything but a first-ass, guaranteed wheel, and at prices charged om the nameless and unguaranteed wheels. Here is considerable opposition to this com-There is considerable opposition to this combination on the part of those who handle low grade wheels, but the public will be the winners, thanks to the Lovell Arms Co. A catalogue of our regular bicycle stock and a special list of wheels issued by the Big Four Combination mailed free on application.

The Spanish Censor. They have a curious way of suppressing papers here. Instead of submitting their proof-sheets to the censor, as is usual where such a protector of public opinion exists, they get at the matter backward. The publisher goes ahead on his own judgment, prints what he pleases and takes his chances of going to jail or paying a fine. The censor reads the paper at the breakfast table the next morning, and if he finds anything mildly objectionable, he writes a polite note to the editor, calling attention to the article. The latter prints a paragraph next day explaining that he was mistaken or that the public had misinterpreted his remarks. But when any high official of the Government is attacked, or the proprieties are violated, the editor is fined or imprisoned, and policemen take the subscription list and call at every house at which copies have been delivered to recover them .- Havana correspondence of the

Chicago Times-Herald. Sam Jones says he proposes to "handle the devil without gloves" in Atlanta. We believe a glove contest to a finish would draw better.

An Old Frigate Discovered. Off Grand Riviere, in Brest barbor, a frigate 150 feet long, pierced by many cannon balls, was recently found by dredgers. The vessel is believed to have been sunk by the British 300 years

To the Point, Miss Flipp-And do you really love

Chollie-I would die for you. Miss Flipp-You always say that, but why don't you do it?-New York Trib-

Cheap at the Price. Owner-How much will you give load for that dirt? Pat-Twinty cints, sor.

Owner-Umph! What do you want, the earth? Pat-Yis, sor-fer twinty cints th load.-Judge.

A New York newspaper has issued a Cuban war map showing United States men-of-war in the harbor of Havana shelling the city. This sort of journalism is not "new" but "fresh."

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Julius Hines & Son,

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