the meeting on Saturday there were two routes proposed for the Virginia Midland, which were discussed at some length, but neither absolutely selected.
The extension to Walnut Cove—the first 50 miles—is included in both plans, and, of course, will not be affected by the indecision as to the route further south. After leaving Mooresville, the road ruus to Iron Station, Lincoln county, N. C., where the different routes branch off. They are known as the western and eastern routes, the former being the one mentioned in Sunday's American. This route, which is the cheapest, would, from Iron Station, run over the Carolina Central Road, a distance of twenty-two miles, to Shelby, Cleaveland county. Here the work of building would be resumed, for thirty-five miles, Laurens county, S. C., thus get into Augusta. The second or easterly route, which has never before been published, diverges directly south from Iron Sta-tion, and avoiding Spartanburg alto-gether, boldly strikes through the country feeding the latter city, thus secur-ing the traffic at first hands. It would pass through Gastonia, Gaston county, where the narrow gauge railroad to Chester and Columbia would prove a valuable and available connection. Leaving Gastonia, the extension would curve around to the southwest through York, Union and Laurens counties, passing through Greenwood, where it would tap the Knoxville and Augusta Road, thus affording the same connections as the western route. It was in-timated yesterday by several gentlemen who are familiar with the intentions of the Virginia Midland company that this latter route would be chosen as one entirely independent of other roads, the same time, more of an air-

outlined, forces us to one of two con- has been given in THE OBSERVER. Those clusions: either that the Virginia Mid- interested in the Winston meeting will land does not intend to build any line therefore take notice that the 26th is at all, and is merely endeavoring to the day. create an impression of their intention to do so, to force the Richmond and Danville Railroad to accede to its demands at Danville; or, that they desired that their plans should appear to | Many have been the complaints made be in this undetermined state with a view to inducing competition in the found impossible, up to this time to way of rendering aid to the enterprise; in other words, to get the people to illustrations of a free ballot and a fair bidding against each other. That a line, the avowed object of which is to drain the cotton belt, should studiously avoid all the centres of trade by performing beautiful curves through the woods, is too absurd to contemplate for a moment. "Securing traffic at first hands" is a very pretty little idea, but railroads are not run on poetical principles. Traffic is a thing whose abiding place is very near the centre of population and generally the more hands it passes through, the better. We have been disposed to give the Virginia Midland people credit for sincerity of purpose, but when it comes with propositions. first, to run within twenty-five miles, then to come within fifteen miles, of a city which, including all inward and outward freight and passenger travel, does a business approximating a half million dollars a year, our faith weak-

It is not pretended to say, however, that the Danville connection will never be built. On the other hand, it is more than likely that some day it will be constructed, mainly, however, through the exertions of the people along the line, who expect to receive in time the full value of the money they may subscribe, in the way of an increase in the value of the property they hold, Neither do we desire to be understood as occupying a position inimical to that line. On the contrary, we heartily indorse the proposition to send a delegatien to Winston to express our good will, and to set forth the advantages we are able to offer. We furthermore believe that such a delegation can clearly demonstrate that it is to their interest to come to Charlotte. If they desire then to go further and form a connection with Augusta, this could be done via Yorkville, Anderson, Laurens and Greenwood. 1f Charleston be their objective point, they have the admirable connection at Camden. Further still, if they merely seek a good seaport, that of Port Royal, by the Port Royal Railread, is still open to bidders.

The Augusta papers announce with con siderable satisfaction and pride that still another cotton factory is to be built in the Fontenals Hotel and destroyed that flourishing manufacturing city. nearly all the principal stores in the ing. The new enterprise is to be known as town. Among the unfortunate were "The King Manufacturing Company," named in honor of Judge Jno. P. King, one of Augusta's oldest and most worthy citizens. It is said that the originators of the scheme rely on their ability to raise a million dollars for the purpose. The factory is to be erected on the canal which the city of Augusta built at a cost of two million dollars. If the increase in her cotton factory enterprises continues during the next few years, as it has during the last ave, the tax on this class of property alone will pay the interest on the debt. to say nothing of the large improvement of her general business which these have brought about. There is a lesson in this which other Southern

cities will learn in the course of time.

Eulogies on the life and character of
Lord Beaconsfield, have been numerous int none have been more to the purpose than that prenounced by his great rival, Mr. Gladstone, who recently called him the greatest Englishman of his time. It may be observed here however, that had the critic been some one clse, equally capable of forming a judicious opinion, he might have made an exception—Mr. Gladstone himself.

Atlanta, Ga., is not to be alone in i's glory in the matter of a cotton exposition, for extensive arrangements have already been made for an exposition of similar character at Memphis Tenn., in May. The Shelby County Fair Association have tendered the use of their grounds and buildings for the display of machinery before the association. The transportation lines have reduced

their fare to the lowest rates, and all imore American of a day or two after the late meeting of the directors of the the auspices of the Mississippi Valley Cotton Planters' Association, the annual meeting of which will be held at the same time. Commendable interest is exhibited in the enterprise, and a successful exposition is expected. A news paragraph has stated that the Legislature of Indiana has passed a

bill giving women the right of suffrage, and that it was expected the Governor would promptly sign the bill and make it a law. It seems, however, that the women will have to wait a little longer for the ballot there. It appears that the measure has simply passed the Legislature submitting it to a vote of the people whether or not the constitution of the State shall be amended so as to allow women to vote; and that measure has to lie over two years until the next Legislature ratifies it, before the people can yote upon the question. By that time it is to be hoped that both

No one who has thoughtfully read the reports of the Senate debates can have failed to notice the number of times it has been necessary to correct Republican Senators in their statements of facts. Neither can he have failed to observe how seldom Democratic Senators have been called to account, except as to their intimations concerning the existence of a bargain. It is simply an illustration of the force of habit, to put it mildly.

Mr. J. W. Alspaugh, secretary, telegraphs THE OBSERVER that the meeting of directors of the North Carolina Midland Railroad will be held in Winston on Tuesday, the 26th inst. The Baltimore Sun's report of the meeting of the Chas. Heath, had suffered persecution Virginia Midland directors referred to in Louisiana, and he had been informthe meeting above mentioned as oc-An examination of the routes here curring on the 28th, and hence this date

> The State of Rhode Island disfranchises its foreign-born population unless they are owners of real estate. against this injustice, but it has been rectify this wrong. This is one of the

A special telegram from Kuoxville. Tennessee, in regard to the Western approach to Paint Rock, says:

"Contracts for completing the North Chrolina extension of the East Tennsssee Road to the North Carolina State line will be awarded to-morrow. Trains will run direct from Knoxville to Charleston by the beginning of winter.

#### A FRAUD.

The Sort of Man Dawes's Victim Is. WASHINGTON, April 21.- The following is the telegram received by Senator Jonas, to-day from Lieutenant Governor McEnery, which was referred to in his remarks in the Senate to-day: "Have sent the statement to the

Democrat, the New Orleans newspaper of that name; will be reported to Washington; too lengthy to wire to you. Heath's statement is absolutely false. The property was burned to obtain insurance. It was insured for \$4,000; valuation by appraisers to adjust the loss, \$1,400. The matter was investigated by a grand jury at the last term, and a letter from Judge Bridges says that at the July term sufficient evidence will have been obtained to find a bill. "S. D. McEnery."

#### A Train Lead of People in a Raging

Torrent-Eight Drowned. CHICAGO, April 21.—A special from Clinton, Iowa, to the Evening Journal, says the night express westward on the Rock Island Division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, was thrown into the Meredesia River, at 5 o'clock this morning by the giving way of the trestle work. Two cars floated off down the stream; one passenger coach floated against the island about four rods away. The baggage car stuck in the middle of the stream. Only the roofs of the two cars are now in sight. The engineer and fireman and six passengers were drowned. The river is a perfect torrent where the trestle gave

Washington, April 21.—Telegrams from Milwaukee, Chicago, Sioux City, and St. Paul reports great damage by floods, but no loss of life reported so

## A Terrible Fire in Louisiana.

NEW ORLEANS, April 21 .- A special to the Democrat from Natchitochez, says a terrible fire occurred last night on St. Dennis street. It originated in Haman Bath, S. Welkins, Mrs. G. P. Campbell, H. Lichenstein, Levy & Phillips, J. A. Documeaux, J. W. Kile, C. J. Smith, the Vindicator office, H. O. Walensby's residence and livery stable.

Nearly every building on St. Dennis
street was destroyed. The insurance is
unknown. Great demoralization pre-

Official Report of Redmond's Arrest. Washington, April 19.—Commissioner Raum to-day received the following report, dated Charleston, S. C., April 14, from Deputy Marshal J. C. Pritchard: "Last Thursday United States Deputy Marshal K. S. Ray with a posse succeeded in arresting L. R. Redmond, the North Carolina moon-shiner-outlaw, but not, however, until he was wounded. I came into this section on business, and hearing that Ray had Redmond a prisoner at his (Red-mond's) house, I went to see him and he requested me to aid him in guarding and conveying him to this point. We have kept a good guard over him until this morning, at which time his physi-cians decided that we could move him without injury. We did this and now have him at this point. While guarding him we were fired on by unknown parties during the night."

Gen. Joseph Lane Dond. PORTLAND, OREGON, April 21.—Gen. Joseph Lane died at home in Roseburg, Tuesday night, aged 29. THE SENATE YESTERDAY.

Coke Punctures Dawes and Dawes's Victim is Proved to be a Fraud.

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The Vice-President laid before the Senate the unfinished business, being a resolution for the election of Senate officers by unanimous consent.

On motion of Edmunds, the papers on the files of the Senate relating to the subject of bankruptcy were referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Coke took the floor in reply to portions of Fry's speech, which he declared to be remarkable for the recklessness of its statements and falsity of its charges. It arraigns the people of a whole section and made charges which, if true, proved that those people were not fit to be associates for any civilized people. He did not envy the man who could find it in his heart thus to speak of any person or people over which the flag of his country floated. He did not believe the people endorsed the denunciations of the Senator. He believed that they were more patriotic and had more pride of country than to endorse it. The man who fermented strife and stirred up sectional feeling and inculcated animosity could not be a statesman nor could he be a patriot. He then proceeded to reply to the charges made by Frye of fraud upon the ballot in Texas, denying explicitly their truth, and referred to the charge that in Harrison county, in that State, violence had been resorted to, to keep the Republi-cans from the polls. This wholesale charge against the people of that county is not sustained by a single record, by a single affidavit, by a single state-ment, except that of the Senator of Maine, and was false. He meant it in no offensive sense to the Senator, who to bring the road to Spartanburg. At this point the extension would tap the proposed extension of the Knoxville & Augusta Railroad, and, passing over the latter road through Greenwood, wherein thought, in utterance and in action, the people of all classes, conditions and colors, were more free than in Texas, and every allegation to the contrary he stood here to denounce as false and slanderous. The Senator from Maine had taunted the South with its poverty. That poverty had been brought about by war and by infamous carpetbag governments which had been placed over the Southern States under the re-construction acts. The people of the South were now striving, in every State, to make honorable payment or honorable adjustment of their debts. They were taxing themselves to the utmost capacity for the establishment of free schools, believing that universal education must go with universal suf-

Jonas said that he had yesterday telegraphed to enquire as to the truth of the charges that the Massachusetts man, ed by telegraph from New Orleans that a complete vindication of the people of Caldwell parish would be forwarded to him immediately. He had also received a letter from a Massachusetts gentleman, stating that Heath's reputation for truth was not such as ought to be defended by the Senator from Massachusetts (Dawes). Jonas declined to give the name of

his informant, "for fear he would imperil his life in Massachusetts." (Laughter.) He had, however, telegraphed to the gentleman for authority to use his

#### The Atlanta & Charlotte Air-Line in Court.

NEW YORK, April 21.-Some time since the Atlanta & Charlotte Air-Line Railroad wished to lease the road to the Richmond & Danville Railroad company. A number of the stockholders of the Atlanta & Charlotte Air-Line objected to the terms of the lease and obtained an injunction from Judge Donohue, of the Supreme Court, prohibiting the carrying out of the same, and counsel for the defendants procured an order removing the case to the United States court. The plaintiff then moved to have it remanded to the State court. The motion was granted to-day by Judge Blatchford in the United States court.

#### Preparations for Lord Beaconsfield's Funeral,

London, April 21.—Gladstone has written the following letters to Lord Rowton: "I have learned of the de-cease of Lord Beaconsfield with sad surprise. I shall be prepared to give directions for a public funeral." Sir Nathaniel Rothschild on behalf of the executors replied thanking Gladstone, and stating that Lord Beaconsfield's will directed that he be buried at Hughenden by the side of his wife.

#### Another Western Flood.

CHICAGO, April 21.—A telegram from Elgin, Ills., reports that the railroad track is four feet under water and trains cannot pass over it inside of 10 days. The bridges there and at Dundee are badly damaged. The aggregate damage Tuesday afternoon at Elgin will amount to \$150,000 to \$200,000. The chief items are the breaking of the Elgin Hydraulic Companies dam and race banks, damage \$25,000; the destruction of the Chicago street bridge, \$300,000, and the Chicago, St. Paul and Milwaukee Railroad bridge, \$100,000.

#### Judge Avery Injured.

Raleigh News-Observer. While on his way to Oxford from Henderson, early Monday morning, to open Granville Superior Court, Judge Avery was painfully injured. He was in a hack with Rev. C. T. Baiey, when the horses took fright and ran down a steep hill. Both gentlemen jumped out, and in doing so were hurt in the legs, the judge in both legs and Mr. Baily in one. Yesterday, however, the judge came into court on crutches, and opened it in due form.

#### Death of a Distinguished Man. DETROIT, April 21.-Hon. Rowland Trowbridge, late commissioner of In-

dian affairs, died at his home in Bir-

mingham, 8 miles from here last even-TWISTED TROUBLE Receive for that Golden Remedy, St. Jacob's Oll, a thousand thanks. I suffered for many years with rheumatic pains in my limbs; my legs were drawn together, and people called me "crooked

Haertel." I used St. Jacob's Oil and was cured. and new feel so well that I think I could dance as JOHN HAERTEL, in my young days. Freemont, I LIQUID OR DRY. Some people prefer to purchase medicines in the dry state, so that they can see for themselves that they are purely vegetable. Others have not the time or desire to prepare the medicine, and wish it already to use.

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#### MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

APRIL 21, 1881.

PRODUCE. WILMINGTON, N. C.—Spirits turpentine firm at 40c. Rosin firm; strained \$1.471/2, good strained \$1.50. Tar firm at \$1.70. Crude turpentine firm at \$1.40 for hard, yellow dip \$2.40 and 2.60 for hard, yellow dip \$2.40 and 2.60

BALTIMORE—Night—Oats easier; Western white 46a47, do mixed 44a45, Pennsylvania 46a 47. Provisions dull and easier, without quotable change; mess pork 18.00 for old; new 19.00; bulk meats—leose shoulders—, clear rib sides—, ditte packed 6½a9½ bacon—shoulders 7½, clear rib sides 10¼, hams 11a12. Lard—refined tierces 12¼. Coffee dull; Blo cargoes—ordinary to fair 10a11%. Sugar firm; A soft 9½. Whiskey quiet at 1.09½a1.10. Freights unchanged.

COTTON. GALVESTON—Weak; middling 1014; low middling 914c; good ordinary 814c; net rec'ts 847; gross —; sales —; stock 77,646; exp'ts coastwise 1,347; to Great Britain —; continent 1,060. NORFOLK—Steady; middling 10%c; net receipts 1,050; gross—; stock 11,765; exports coastwise 1,178; sales 278; exports to Great Britain 4,750.

Baltimore—Quiet; middling 10%; low middl'g 10c; good ordin'y 8%c; net rec'ts 721; gross 787; sales 100; stock 10,400; exports coastwise 1,229; spinners 90; exports to Great Britain—; Boston—Dull; middling 11c; low middling; 1014c; good ord's 9c; net receipts 357; gross 416; sales ——: stock 10,525; exports to Great Britain 487; to France.

WILMINGTON—Steady; middling 104c; low middling 94c; good ordinary 74c; receipts 30; gross —, sales —; stock 8,276; exports coastwise —; to Great Britain. MEMPHIS—Quiet; middling 1014c; receipts 533; shipments 1,802; sales 100; stock 64,100

AUGUSTA—Dull; middling 1016c.; low middling 916c., good ordinary 8c; receipts 96; shipments—; sales 503. CHARLESTON—Dull; middling 10%c; low middling 10%c; good ordinary 10%c: net receipts 528; gross—; sales 500; stock 29,846; exports coastwise—; Great Britain—; continent.

NEW YORK-Cotton quiet; sales 301; midd'g uplands 10%c; middling orieans 11c; net receipts 191; gross 211; consolidated net rec'ts 6,714; exports to Great Britain 9,414; continent 6,342; France 481; channel.

LIVERPOOL—Noon—cotton flat and irregular; middling uplands 5 15-16d; mid. orleans 6d; sales 8,000, speculation and export 1,500; receipts 6,800, American 6,700. Uplands low middling clause: April delivery 54ed, April and May 57ed, May and June 5 15-16a29-82a 8ed, June and July 21ed, June 2004, April 4 18ed, April 2004, April 200 July 61/2d, July and August 6 1-16a1-32d, August and September 61/8-32d, September and October —d, October and November —, November and December 5%d. Futures steady.

LIVERPOOL.—5.15—Sales of American cotton 6,500 bales. Upland low middling clause: March delivery —. Futures quiet.

NEW YORK-Futures closed steady. Sales 52,-

#### FUTURES.

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	Later.—Stocks closed irregular.	
n	New York Central	1.43%
	Erie	45%
	Lake Shore	1.25%
	Illinois Central	1.35

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CITY COTTON MARKET. OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER, CHARLOTTE, April 22, 1881. The market yesterday closed quiet.

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Miscellaneous.

#### EXECUTION SALE

I will sell for cash, at the Court House door, in the City of Charlotte, on MONDAY, the 2d day of May, 1881, the following described REAL ES-TATE, situated in the City of Charlotte, to satisfy executions in my hands for taxes due the City of

Charlotte:
One House and Lot, on College street, at its intersection with 8th street, the property of Mrs. W. J. Black, for the sum of \$140.70.
One House and Lot, the property of Mrs. W. J. Collier, on Church street, between 8th and 9th streets, adjoining C. Hilker and others, for \$29.94. One House and Lot, the property of James F. Davidson, at the intersection of 9th and D streets, for the sum of \$17.30.
One House and Lot, the property of Mrs. S. F. Houston, on 8th street, at its intersection with Pine street, No. 443, for \$67.45.
One House and Lot, the property of Mrs. Mary Howie, wife of John M. Howie, on 7th street and N. C. R. R., adjoining M. L. Frazier, for \$113.75.
One House and Lot, on Tryon street, adjoining Mrs. Murray, Farrior and others, returned by S. P.

Mrs. Murray, Farrior and others, returned by S. P. Smith, assignee in bankruptcy of J. L. Hardin, for \$56.

One House and Lot, the property of Mrs. Dr. Jo Davidson, on 6th street and N. C. B. R., adjoining Jo Lindy, S. R. Linton and others, for \$22.75. Jo Lindy, S. E. Linton and others, for \$22.75.

One House and Lot, on B street, at intersection of 10th street, the property of Mrs. S. A. McLean, wife of Q. A. McLean, for \$11.50.

One Lot, the property of Thomas Kenney, on Trade street, adjoining W. W. Grier and J. McLaughlin, for \$10.25.

One House and Lot, on Tryon street, adjoining the Lutheran Church and Mrs. Rankin, the property of John McConnell, for \$18.96.

One Store House, at the intersection of Trade and College streets, the property of W. J. Black, for the sum of \$15.50.

One House and Lot, on Trade street, adjoining W. M. Wilson and others, the property of Mrs. Julia A. McMurray, for \$19.50.

One House and Lot, the property of A. B. Schenck, on Graham street, between 2d and 3d, adjoining T. Holly and others, for \$16.51.

One House and Lot, on Graham street, adjoining A. B. Schenck and others, the property of Tom Holly, for \$5.86.

One House and Lot, on 1st street, between D and E, in square 80, the property of Jeff Hagler, for \$8.58.

April 1, 1881. 1mo City Tax Collector.

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