House of Representatives Monday. Ex-Secretary Blaine is ill and confined to his bed in Washington.

The corner s'one of the new cotton

Oscar Wilde charges \$300 for showing himself at receptions other than at private houses.

Poplar wood is shipped from Virginia to Philadelphia to be manufactured into paper. There is a bill before the New Jersey

legislature to punish wife-beaters with

nominee for Governor. An anti-bobtail-car war has been inaugurated in Brooklyn, N. Y. The bob-tail car is a one-horse car with no

There are in Pennsylvania 146,138 children over ten years of age who cannot read, and 228,014 over ten years who cannot write.

Magnificent deposits of building stone have recently been discovered in the Kanawha Valley, in West Virgin. ia. The stratum has been traced for 27

The Indianapolis Sentinel is of the opinion that no "distinguished thief" will be hurt by the star route prosecutions, and the Sentinel is level as a mill

John Brown Kaiser went to see a man hanged in St. Louis last Friday, and took so much interest in it that he become raving mad and had to be locked up in an insane asylum.

urday by a vote of 56 to 40 condemning the granting of free passes to public officers, members of the legislature, etc.

Wilmington Star: North Carolina stands tiptoe to see who comes next in the grand parade of Mahone racers. Thus far only two are on the track and they look already as if they had run a few races and been beaten.

A Georgia wife-beater plead in defence when charged with beating his wife, that he was in a somnambulistic state when he indulged in that pastime, and the court fined him \$300 for becoming so somnambulistic.

The first jury ever assembled in Tazewell county, Va, composed exclusively of colored men, tried a shooting case last week, in which the principals were also colored. The guilty party was sentenced to six months' imprisonment and a fine of \$500.

A. L. Harris, a prominent Republican of Atlanta, Ga., says: "We Republicans have stood the brunt of ostracism in Georgia, and if there are any honors to be divided we should be first satisfied. The Independents can join us if they choose, but they can't swallow up the Republican party."

A Missouri farmer who had stock killed on Jay Gould's Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad, thought he would which Jay Gould and a party of friends were making a run over the road. He came very near doing it as the obstructions were discovered only a few minutes before the train came thundering along at the rate of forty miles an hour. The old fellow was caught, owned up and stated why he did it.

The Knoxville, Tenn., Tribune claims that during the past year the percentage of its increase of population has been greater than that of any city in the South. It has now a population of 17,000, and the suburbs would swell the the last twelve months than during the ten years previous. Several large manthousands of capital, have been com-

Mr. Jackson, the young American who has become the favorite friend of the government, asking the surrender the King of Wurtemburg, has ceased of the fugitive. to be a citizen of the republic, having tion on the bill, went into executive sworn allegiance to the country where- session and at 4.20 p. m. adjourned. in he has come to high honor. He has lately been made a Baron and Privy Remins of Confederate Solders Un-Councillor, and his breast is covered with decorations bestowed upon him

KEIFER AS A COMMITTEE MAKER

Speaker Keifer has gained some notoriety by his unfair and corrupt mode of making up his committees, the result of a bargain between him and the men who made him Speaker. So apparent was the bargain and sale in Keifer's case that it drew down the denunciation of members of his own party and unmeasured criticism from the press. Referring to the move in Congress by Mr. Orth, of Indiana, to change the mode of appointing committees, the Philadelphia American discourses thus:

The proposal made by Mr. Orth to withdraw from the Speaker the power to select the committees of the House has substantial justice on its side. The very serious bearing on the course of congressional legislation. When they are ill made up, the public business must suffer. If the Speaker were chosen to attend to the public business simply, matter of bargain between fragments ishment of death.

of his own party, and he goes into the chair with his hands tied by his relations to a petty minority of the whole House, he has ceased to be fit to make the selection. This was seen in the election of Mr. Randall two years ago, when a bargain for New York votes bound him to constitute certain com-Keifer. The weak point in Mr. Orth's

mittees in the interest of that city. It is not less visible in the election of Mr. plan is the insufficiency of his remedy. A committee of the House can be packed in the interest of a compact, factional minority, as easily as the Speaker can be influenced by such a minority. We do not see any remedy, except in eleva-ting the tone of the House, and taking exchange was laid at New Orleans last the selection from the caucus to the House itself, by independent members refusing to go into the caucus.

IN CONGRESS.

WHAT WAS DONE YESTERDAY. Bills Offered and Discussed Pertaining to Matters at Home and

The latest New York rumor is that Conkling will be the next Republican relative to efforts of this government to bring about peace between Chili, Peru and Bolivia. Adopted. Reed, of Maine, on behalf of Com-

take from the Speaker's table, for immediate consideration, the Senate bill to retire Associate Justice Ward Hunt dent they have carried the fight into

of the U. S. Supreme Court.

Holman, of Indiana, objected.

McLane, of Maryland, from Commitresolution calling on the Secretary of argument, especially when it is consid-

Committee on Commerce to inquire wherein existing laws can be amended so as to afford relief to the Merchant Marine engaged in the foreign carrying trade what measures can be adopted. Cooper obtain the name of the resolution distribution of the resolution of the r trade, what measures can be adopted to p o mote our shipbuilding and other commercial interests. Adopted.

Bills were reported from the Comveston, and quarantine stations on the

hour the House, at 2:40 p. m., went into Committee of the Whole, with Robin-son, of Massachusetts, in the chair.

coast fortifications, \$100,000; for torpedoes and their preservation, \$100,000. After a short explanation by Forney, f Alabama, Mr. McCook of New the importance of the seacoast fortifications of the United States.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24-SENATE.-The chair laid before the Senate sundry reports of surveys made under the river and harbor act in Oregon, Mississippi, Maryland and Massachusetts, which were referred to the committee on Blair, from the committee on pen-

sions, reported a bill for the relief of Mary Lincoln, widow of A. Lincoln, and asked its present consideration. The bill was passed. It appropriates \$15,000 for her immediate relief and increases her present pension to \$5,000 per annum.

The credentials of Senator McDill, of lowa, were presented and he was sworn George, of Mississippi, introduced bill to make the agricultural department an executive department. Referred.

The credentials of Senator Wilson, of Iowa, were presented and placed on Additional tills were introduced

By Johnston to repeal so much of the Revised Statutes as impose an export tax on tobacco. By Beck: For the punishment of offi-

sue certified checks. By Teller: A joint resolution declaring forfeited, so far as the same have not been earned by fulfilment of their | country.' conditions, land grants to twenty-two railroads enumerated by the bill, including the Northern Pacific, Atlantic get even by wrecking the train on and Pacific, Texas Pacific. The estimated quantity of lands granted to each of these is set forth in the bill is respectively 47,000,000, 42,000,00 and 18,000,000

> George introduced a bill to prevent discriminations as between shippers and consignees by railroad engaged in inter-State transportation. The bill is designed to secure absolute equality of interest between small and large shippers and consignees.

An unusually large volume of routine business caused a liberal extension of the morning hour, after which the Senate at 2 o'clock resumed the consideration of the Sherman 3 per cent, bond bill, and Call addressed the Senate.

Several Senators participated in the debate, when finally Garland, on leave figures to more than 20,000. More build- reported back from the judiciary coming has been done in the city during | mittee, the resolution in reference to the extradition of the Italian Vincenzo Rebello, with a bill regulating the fees and practice in extradition cases. The ufactories, employing hundreds of bill provides for making the fees regular; compels commissioners to hold pleted, and twice as many more are in court in public, and where the accused is poor and cannot costs, authorizes the United States to send for his witnesses and pay all fees, the government to be reimbursed for expense so incurred by

The Senate at 4 o'clock, without ac-

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Some three weeks by the Austrian Emperor, by his royal ago nine mysterious coffins of rude pattriend and by the King of Saxony. A correspondent of the Boston Herald street as the workmen were excavating says that the father of this youth, who for a new building. It has just been is both modest and intelligent, was a discovered that these coffins contained relative of Stonewall Jackson, but that the remains of Southern Confederate soldiers who died of a contagious disease while prisoners at Camp Douglas | party.' during the war. The bones and skulls Marshal Douglass: "There is no room were being harshly disturbed by boys for an independent party. All we Rein the neighborhood when a citizen of that section had them all collected and decently interred in his private burying ground. The sons of Virginia will take measures to secure their removal to and interior departments and departsome fitting spot which will be marked appropriately.

Massey's Fight, RICHMOND, Jan. 24.—In the Senate remaining State officials came, Riddleperger secured the floor and nominated S. Brown Allen as auditor of public accounts. Immediately Newberry, readjuster, moved an adjournment, which was carried, every member of the Senate voting; it was discovered that four Readjusters and the only straight-out Republican in the Senate had broken party lines and voted with the Demoorganization of those committees has a crats, looking to the retention of Massey, the present incumbent.

One of the flends Comvicted.

CINCINNATI, Jan., 24.—The Times-Star special from Catlettsburg says the to attend to the public business simply, or if he were selected even to secure or if he were selected even to secure jury in the case of William Neal, chargtheapplication of his own party's printed with being one of the participants in the Gibbons family murder, brought in a verdict at 10 c'clock this. ciples to the public bands with safety. in a verdict at 10 o'clock this morning william K. Price, Oct. 9, 1880, \$1,000. But, since his election has become a of guilty of murder and fixed the pun-

OUR WASHINGTON LETTER.

The Fight Against Cooper-Views of Prominent North Carolinians on the New Movement---North and South Carolina in the Treasury and Postal Departments-Postal Notes-Patents Issued-Personal Items and Dots Caught on the Fly.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 22, 1882 A clap of thunder in a cloudless sky could not create more excitement in a campmeeting than did the introduction of the Armfield resolution in the House, in the Republican camp in this city. It struck them dumb. They have not yet recovered from the shock and are reticent to talk about it. It is conceded by some of them, however, that the resolution has knocked the pins from under the Republican party in the State. A Republican here, opposed to Mott, told your correspondent that if a committee was ordered that a state of corruption would be shown that would put to the blush every hon-Washington, Jan. 24.—House.—
Belmont, of New York, from Committee on Foreign Affairs, reported back the resolution calling on the President Mott's henchman. On the other hand a prominent Democrat said he was afraid the resolution would result in

giving the collectorship to Cooper.
"You see," said he, "that Cooper,
Mott & Co. will put forth the argument mittee on the Judiciary, asked leave to that the Democrats in the State are the Senate and House in the hope of throwing mud over them."

In this light which, to say the least, tee on Commerce, reported back the is plausible, there is much force in the the Navy for all reports, communications, etc., relating to the subject of Chiriqui Coaling Stations. Adopted. Chiriqui Coaling Stations. Adopted.

Caipenter, from same committee, reported back the resolution directing the ported back the resolution directing the matter. Raum has said that Cooper Republicans here have carried the matter before Secretary Folger. in Cooper obtain the nomination he will still be far from the goal of his ambi-tion. Senators Vance and Ransom will make a most determined fight against S. A. Swailes, Dec. 4, 1878, \$1,400. mittee on Commerce to establish ma-rine hospitals at New Orleans and Gal-the present condition of parties in that Mrs. H. H. Yeates, July 5, 1877, \$900. body a few Republican votes would coast of Texas, and were referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

At the conclusion of the morning

A resolution in the Iowa lower house of the legislature was passed last Sator repairs and protection of fortifica- genial gentleman.

"I am not impressed with its strength, tions, \$175,000; for armament of seareplied Charlotte's representative. "In Jas. G. Thompson, Nov. 12, 1881, \$1,200. fact, one of the gentlemen mentioned Mrs. Clara A. Leland, July 6, 1880, from this munificent repository, and cures all such by the newspapers as its leader, Col. Johnston, has been a candidate for York, took the floor and dwelt upon every position in the State, from Governor down to alderman, and been unsuccessful nearly all the time. That is not the kind of timber a leader of a new party should be made of.

Ex-Senator Clingman, of North Carolina, who is now in the city, was met by your correspondent at the National. He expressed his views freely in opposition to the movement of Mr. Price and Col. Johnston. "I am in favor of a general stir up in politics," said he, "of the infusion of new blood, of progressive ideas, into the Democratic ranks, but I am opposed to forming a coalition with the Republicans. Let's have reform within party lines."

"Perhaps by Democrats entering the Republican camp, they would convert the enemy," suggested the ubiquitous

OBSERVER man, "I am afraid not; the Republican party is the most corrupt party that ever obtained power and control in any country. It is the friend of monopoly, an enemy to silver-why, if it had its way it would demonetize the silver dollar and leave us nothing but gold and greenbacks. There are no issues between the parties now-adays. The North is carried by the Republicans because they hate the rebels, and the South cers of national banks who illegally is- is carried by the Democrats because they fear another reconstruction period. A general break up of parties all over the country would be good for the

Mr. W. R. Cox, who represents the Raleigh district, in answer to the stereotyped question about the Mahone movement, said: 'Or all the States in the South North Carolina is perhaps the most conservative. Her people do not go off in a tangent. They are a thinking people, think for themselves and do not follow the lead of any man or set of men. It is so from various causes. Her first settlers were a hardy, practical set of people, who favored political and religious toleration; their children of to-day echo the opinions of their forefathers. The people, as far as I have observed, are satisfied with the Conservative party of the State. There may be some few things that may want correcting and these will be remedied but in the main the Conservative party represents the intelligence, the worth, the wealth of the State. There are some men there, as elsewhere, who, disappointed, would like a new deal that they may come to the surface, but the masses of the people are satisfied."

"You don't think the new movement will amount to much, then?" "No; I do not. There was a time when North Carolina followed in the wake of Virginia, but that time is past. As I said, our people think for themselves. The same state of affairs does not exist with us which existed in Virginia. North Carolina bonds are now higher than at any time since the war, and the Democratic management of the State will bring them higher yet. There is no fear that the Old North State will wander off after strange

Gen. A. M. Scales, the war horse of De mocracy in the House, said: "I am inclined to think that the papers have done Messrs Price and Johnston an injustice; at least I hape so. I believe that in the next campaign they will be with us, but if not, I have no doubt that the Democratic party in the future as in the past, will come out victorious. It is the representative of good government in the South, and whatever prosperity

that section now enjoys is due to that publicans ask is a fair vote and our party will win every time.' Employes credited to North and South Carolina, in the navy, war, State

ment of justice were published in former letters. The treasury and postoffice departments make the following

NORTH CAROLINA-TREASURY DEPART. MENT.

David Kellett, Jan. 20, 1875, \$1,600. Mrs. L. H. Blunt, July 1, 1880, \$900. Mrs. F. M. Utley, July 1, 1881, \$900. Walter Grandy, Oct. 16, 1880, \$660. P. H. Simmons, March 11, 1871, \$660, W. H. Physic, July 1, 1881, \$660. Henry Edwards, April 1, 1875, \$720. Jas. H. Upperman, Aug. 18, 1880, \$720. Ernest M. Rosafy, June 1, 1881, \$1,200. Annie C. Barr, May 8, 1879, \$400. Fred. Deltmering, Sept. 14, 1876, \$400. Mary E. Waller, Aug. 22, 1879, piece

Mary A. Hilton, April 18, 1876, \$300. Rose W. Mackall, Aug. 6, 1877, piece Mary E. Williams, Oct. 1, 1875, piece rates. Eliza Zimmerman, March 19, 1875, \$490,

Moses Madry, July 1, 1880, \$660.

Jno. C. Norwood, Aug. 16, 1880, \$660. E. G. Haywood, Jr., April 17, 1879,

Wiley F. White, Jan. 29, 1872, \$660. Stuart L. Johnston, Mar. 26, 1880, \$1,200. W. K. Hammond, Mar. 17, 1880, \$1,000. Sam'l L. Perry, Mar. 1, 1880, \$660. Hugo Hillebrandt, July 29, 1875, \$1,400. S. O. Deaver, Aug. 5, 1880, \$1,200. Geo. N. Hill. Sept. 2, 1875, \$1,200. Jno. T. Cramer, Aug. 21, 1875, \$1,400. Anna B. Heath, April 13, 1878, \$900. W. H. Doherty, July 1, 1878, \$1,200. H. W. Moore, July 1, 1881, \$1,200. Pinkney Rollins, July 1, 1880, \$1,200. F. T. Hyman, June 16, 1877, \$1,000. Jno. H. Lane, July 1, 1880, \$1,000. Mrs. S. C. Stilley, June 17, 1877, \$1,000. Jas. D. Dudley, Aug. 25, 1875, \$720. Mrs. Louisa Hill, July 1, 1878, \$660. W. G. Fearing, July 14, 1875, \$900. Frank P. Burgess, Mar. 20, 1876, \$660. Alfred B. Lind, June 1, 1880, \$660. Maggie M. Billing, July 16, 1877, \$900. Laura E. Scott, July 1, 1878, \$900. Mrs. A. L. Bodfish, Dec. 3, 1879, \$900. J. H. Hannon, Oct. 15, 1875, \$720. Thos. M. Johnston, Aug. 2, 1875, \$720. POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT.

A. T. McCallum, July 4, 1878, \$1,200. R. H. Martin, July 1, 1881, \$1,000. Jos. H. Barnes, July 10, 1878, \$660. Miss Emma J Lindsey, Aug. 10, 1879,

SOUTH CAROLINA-TREASURY DEPART-

Mrs. Kate P. Fuller, May 1, 1878, \$900. Nero Crawford, July 1, 1879, \$660. W. G. Smith, June 5, 1875, \$660. Butler Speare, July 7, 1881, \$720. E. E. Jackson, June 1, 1877, \$660. Miss Jennie Prosperi, July 22, 1881, piece rates.

Jas. P. Low, June 4, 1877, \$2,800. J. R. Niernsie, Jr., May 10, 1877, \$1,800. St. J. B. Dupray, Aug. 7, 1875, \$1,500. D. W. Gill, June 1, 1877, \$1,000. T. J. Minton, May 1, 1878, \$1,600. R. T. Greener, July 26, 1876, \$1,200. Miss M. C. Ringgold, July 1, 1868, \$1,000. Miss Lydia Fletcher, April 19, 1875,

Abram C. Chew, Jan. 25, 1876, \$720. Geo. Lunney, Dec. 15, 1871, \$1,400. R. S. Tharin, Sept. 13, 1881, \$1,000. Thos. C. Cox, Sept. 5, 1881, \$660. Geo. A. Darling, June 16, 1877, \$1,600. F. L. Cardoza, July 1, 1878, \$1,400. Jas. E. Edwards, Dec. 1, 1874, \$660. Mrs. Julia B. Bomar, Dec. 1, 1878, \$900. W. F. DeKnight, Jan. 29, 1874, \$1,400. collectorship is not over a bed of roses.

The following interviews show what North Carolinians here think of the so-called Independent movement:

Congressman Dowd was found at his hotel. "What do you think of this In-

POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT. Stanley G. Trott, Nov. 14, 1877, \$1,600. C. M. Levy, Dec. 31, 1880, \$1,400. T. P. Dupray, May 26, 1881, \$900. Miss L. P. Cunningham, July 18, 1880,

POSTAL NOTES. A new office has been established at Friendfield, Marion county, S. C., with Jesse Lewellen as postmaster. The postoffice at Hubbs, Craven county, N. C., is discontinued; mails to

Newbern. Postmasters' commissions sent: H D. Ballard, Campobello, S. C.; Geo. W. Montgomery, Scarborough, N. C.; Geo. L. Walker, Walkersville, S. C.; Jas. N. Fuller, Berea, N. C.; Thomas G. Irwin Matthews, N. C. A new office has been established at

Baker, Pickens county, S. C., and Jas. M. Stewart appointed postmaster. PATENTS GRANTED.

washing-machine.

Patents have been granted as fol lows: Ebenezer N. Hutchison, Charlotte, N C., brick kiln. Thomas J. Meroney, Salisbury, N. C.

McDonald Pate, S. C. Mason and W. H. Dail, Snow Hill, N. C., cultivator. Jno. A. Simpson, Saddle Creek, S. C., assignor to W. D. Simpson, Anderson Court-house, S. C., nut-lock. Henry A. Due, Jr., Charleston, S. C., assignor of one-half to T. F. Rowland, Brooklyn, N. Y., attrition mill.

PERSONAL ITEMS. Representative Armfield attended a grand banquet at Wormley's the other

night, given by Congressman Flower of New York. It is denied that Col. John N. Staples intends to join the independent movement. This correction is made in justice to Mr. Staples, who is too good a Democrat to go off in such company. Ex-Attorney General Coleman, of N. C., is now here and taking an active

part on the side of Mott, in the State patronage fight. The influx of North Carolina politicians has closed and many of those who were here have returned home. H. N. Cravens, route agent at Salis-

bury, is here on a pleasure trip. J. A. Reynold is here in favor of W. P. Blair for the Asheville postoffice. Blair, who is a brother of Attorney-General Blair, of Va., is also supported by his brother. The major, that is Mrs. Fagg, has also filed an application for the same place. It is safe to say, however, that no change will be made in

Cols. Keogh, Jenkins and Deake called at Georgetown college yesterday to see the North Carolina boys there. Col. Humphrey has a nephew at school

Judge Russell has returned home. He appears confident that he will be appointed judge. Seymour is equally confident. He is a relative of Horatio Seymour, of New York. N. J. Smith, chief of the Cherokee Nation, and H. Lambert, of the same tribe are here after money due the tribe. They were shown around town by Col. Deake. PICKUP.

Fall of the French Ministry Looked For.

LONDON, Jan. 24 -A Paris dispatch announces that urgency has been voted for a debate in the Chamber of Deputies on the report of the committee on the bill for the revision of the constitution of the c announces that urgency has been voted the bill for the revision of the constitution. Special correspondents agree in saying it is generally believed that the fall of the ministry is certain. The report of the committee on the revision bill states that on the scrutin de liste question the will of one person seemed to be substituted for that of the nation.

Death of a Prominent Berlin Liberal BERLIN, Jan. 24.-Dr. Woelk, a member of the Richstag, and one of the founders of the liberal group, is dead.

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Confirmed and Appointed.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 23,—The Senate confirmed the nomination of D. T. Boynton, pension agent at Knoxville, The President sent the following nominations to the Senate: J. L. Morphis United States Marshal for the Northern

District of Mississippi; Frederick K. Jones, of Louisiana, Coiner at the New

The Weather.

Orleans mint.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 23.-Middle States-During Wednesday slowly rising temperature and falling barometor, northeast to southeast winds, increasing cloudiness and snow. South Atlantic, Gulf, Tennessee and the Ohio Valley warmer, cloudy weather and rain, easterly to southerly winds

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