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MANUAL TRAINING SCHOULS. One of the great needs of the South today is skilled labor. She has some native and some procured from other sections, but she needs more, and these needs will become daily more pressing as her resources are developed and her industries expand. In several of the Northern cities within the past few years manual training schools, or as they are sometimes called, technological schools, have been established and in every instance they have grown in favor. We think to St. Louis the honor of establishing the first belongs, and seeing the satisfactory results, New York, Baltimore, Chicago, Philadel phia and other cities have followed her example. The Philadelphia Times refering to the school in operation at Girard College speaks thus of

The opening of the new technological school at Girard College has an inter est and importance not confined within the walls of that institution. The experiment of combining some technical instruction with the general course of school training has devel oped rapidly into approved success, with results so satisfactory as not only to justify the directors in en-larging the scope of this work, but also to serve as an example of what may be done in any large school where boys are gathered together to be fitted for a useful life. What is undertaken in the shops at

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Girard College is not only to train boys for particular mechanical trades, any more than the instruction in the school room is meant to train them for school room is meant to train them for learned professions. But just as the rudimentary knowledge they gather from their books is essential to their future development in whatever vo-cation, so, also the rudimentary manual they may here receive will add to each boy's equipment for the active work he may afterwards take up. There has been so great a change in all the conditions of life in this country within the past half century that the revival of the apprentice system is scarcely possible or desira-ble; yet in the absence of any substi ble; yet in the absence of any substi tute for it we are without the means of supplying, from among our own people, the everwidening demand for people, the everwidening demand for skilled labor. As a result we are largely dependent upon imported labor while our own boys and young men waste their energies in clerk-ships or jostle one another in over-

crowded professions. The special training of the individual for any distinct trade or profes-

INVESTIGATING WRIGHT. Getting Ready to Enquire into the Modus Operaudi. WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 .- The subcommittee of the committee on ex-penditures in the department of jus-tice, appointed on the Follett resoluin the meantime such witnesses as reside in or near Washington are to be examined in this city. The ac-counts of Marshal Wright, of the Cincinnati district, which this committee is to investigate for expenses attending the Ohio State election in October, have been referred to the October, have been referred to the first auditor of the treasury for ex-amination. They show disburse-ments as follows: For special deputy marshals, \$14,105; for printing, \$183; for badges, \$198 and for livery, \$76; total; \$14,526. The expenditures for the special deputy marshals are duly approved by Judge Sage, of the dis-trict court. The accounts for print-ing, badges and livery, constituted what is designated the "extraordi nary expenses," are subject to the approval of the President, and can only be paid with his consent. The amount of advances to Marshal amount of advances to Marshal Wright on his requisition to meet the estimated expenses was \$18,322, leaving a balance due the United States, according to the accounts rendered, of \$3,760.

Mr. Randall Accepts an Invitation to

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13 .- The Evening Star announces that Hon. Sam-uel J Randall will leave Washington immediately upon the recess of Congress and will start on a trip to the west and south. He will visit Nashville, and will go as far South as Birmingham, Alabama. At the lat-ter place he will arrive about Jan. 1st, and will remain there two days. Mr. Randall is to visit these cities at the cordial invitation of the Democrats residing therein. Gen. Forney, of Ala., a warm friend of Randall, says there will be a "rousing ovation" to the ex Speaker at Birmingham and at Nashville. There is no special oc-casion or event of public character at either of the cities, which takes Randall there. He has many friends and admirers in that section of the South who have repeatedly extended invi tations to him to come among them. He now proposes to take advantage of the recess to meet his Southern friends, and, as in Atlanta, he will address them.

The Methodist Conference,

BALTIMORE. Dec. 13.-Hon. G D. before the trial of issues. Shands, of Mississippi, a prominent member of the M. E. Church, presided this morning over the conterence. After the reading of the minutes of trustee in this case was insolvent and had musapplied the rents and yesterday a number of resolutions were offered and appropriately reprofits, was properly grant.d. Cowles vs. Hardin. ferred. 1. The private act of 1873 to restore A resolution offered by Dr. Kyneti that the Bishops of this conference the records of Watauga county, which prepare a pastoral address to the ministers and people of Methodism were destroyed by fire, is not a re-peal but in aid of the common law rules for establishing lost deeds, and was adopted. A general discussion on the subject of "revivals" ensued, after which Rev. Jno. A. Williams read an essay a party may elect to proceed under either mode. 1. Where a deed in such case is on the "Rise and progress of Meth-odism in Canada," which was fol-lowed by an essay by Rev. Chas. J. Little on "Methodist Pioneers and proved to have been destroyed, the contents, probate and registration thereof may be established by second-ary evidence, and the register of decds is a competent witness to prove their Work." its destruction, contents, etc. Rush vs. Steed. An Assignment for the Bear fit of Credlior. A party interested in the event of PITTSBURG, Dec. 13 .- F B. Laughsuit is not an incompetent witness, under the Code, sec. 500, to prove the handwriting of the deceased per lin, vice president of the defunct Penn Bank, made a voluntary assign ment today to J. F. K. Steele, of Armstrong county, for the benefit of Terry vs. Railroad. his creditors. The assignment covers 1. Where a writing does not conall that is left over a judgment for \$90.000, confessed last week for the tain the entire contract between the parties parol evidence of an independent verba agreement is admissible. The written contract, here, to pay for work on defendant's railroad af benefit of his individual creditors. No appraisement has yet been made. Judge Ewing today refused to grant a petition for a change of venue asked for by the defendants in suits grow-ing out of the failure of the Penn bank. ter the grade was lowered, has no bearing upon the issue as to how much the plaintiff is entitled to recover for work done under a verbal contract before the grade was low-Civil Service Violations. ered 2. The rule, that an omission of a GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Dec. 12 .judge to charge the jury upon a par-Marshal B. Melht, assistant postmasticular point is not error unless asked ter of this city for several years, was to do so. is still the law, notwithstand arrested yesterday and taken before the United States commissioner on ing the provisions of the Code, sec-tion 412 (3), which is in effect that the error alleged need not be put in the charge of soliciting funds from government employes for campaign writing, and may be taken advant-age of at any time, even in this purposes, contrary to the civil ser vice rules. The case was adjourned to December 20th, and Melht was recourt. 3. Where a jury decide correctly a question of law improperly left to them the verdict cures the error of leased on his own recognizance in the sum of \$1,000. Bank Statement. the court. The legal question of neg pigence was properly decided by the NEW YORK, Dec. 13 .- The weekly statement of the associated banks ury in this case. shows'the following changes: Loans increase, \$2,181,100; specie decrease, \$452,000; legal tenders increase, \$678, Women as Juror .. Chief Justice Green, of Washington 000; deposits increase, \$1,083,800; cir-Territory, says: "Twelve terms of court I have now held in which culation increase, \$55,400; reserve decrease, \$41,950. The banks now women have served as grand and petit jurors, and it is certainly a fact hold \$42.552,500 in excess of legal requirements. beyond dispute that no other twelve

### Digest of Supreme Court Opinions. taleigh News and Observer. 1. Rule 6 (89 N. C., 609), regulating

the practice in the Superior courts commits the or er of argument-and this embraces the matter of introduc ing evidence-to the discretion of the presiding judge, whose decision is not reviewable on appeal. tice, appointed on the Follett resolu-tion, to investigate the conduct of Marshal Wright, in the Ohio election, met today to arrange for the investi-gation. It was determined that the committee (Springer, Van Alstyne and Stewart.) shall meet in Cincin-nati on the 4th of January next, and in the meantime, such witnesser as imate purposes. 3. Where claim and delivery is brought to get possession of property for the purpose of selling it, accord-ing to the terms of a contract, to pay ing to the terms of a contract, to pay an indebtedness. and all parties in-terested are before the court, and the amount due ascertained, the plaintiff upon receiving holds as a trustee, and a judgment, directing an adjustment of all the equities involved in order that the matter may be determined, is the proper one to be rendered; and if possession of the property cannot if possession of the property cannot be had, then the judgment should be

in the alternative. Anthony vs. Carter. An appeal bond must be accompanied by the affidavit of one of the sureties that he is worth double the amount specified therein. Though the justification of two sureties may be equal to double the amount of the undertaking, yet . It is not a compli-ance with the statute. which is per-emptory, and the court cannot disregard it. Albright vs. Albright. 1. The grantor, resuming an estatc for his own life, conveys lands in

# A SOUTHERN VISIT.

# Visit Points in the South.

trust and provides in the deed that after his death the property is to be held for the use of his wife and grands son George, and such child or chil dren as may be born to the trustee (his son James), for and during the lives of his said wife and son; at at their death the land shall be equally divided between the said grandson and such other children as his son may have born unto him; Held. (1) That the trustee is liable to an account of the rents and profits, and the plaintiff grandson is entitled to his share of the same during the lifetime of the trustee (2.) If other children are born, they also share in the trust; and at the death of the son, the trustee, the number of all his children can then be ascertained, and the trust deter-mines; and then the land is to be equally divided between the grandson and such other children as may have been born unto the son. (3.) The trustee has no right, in the management of the trust estate, to allow the rents to accumulate and postpone the distribution, as the donor intended that current provision should be made for the beneficiaries. 2. Where one is entitled to an ac-

count or his right thereto" admitted, the court will order it to be taken 3. The order for an injunction and receiver, upon the finding that the

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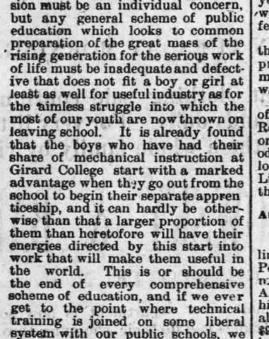




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system with our public schools, we shall have made a long stride toward bringing those schools into useful relation with the needs of modern There should be such a school in

connection with every one of our Southern State Universities, as well as in the large cities where the school system is well established and the proper facilities exist. Educated brains are necessary, but with the educated brain the educated hand is also necessary, and there is no section of the world today which offers a more inviting field to the educated brain and hand than the South.

The Speakership of the House of Representatives is an honorable position and it is also a very responsible one, because the prompt dispatch of business, and the system with which that business is done, depends in a great measure upon the fitness, experience and ability of the man who wields the gavel. It is not the man who seeks that position who should be chosen, but the man who can fill it best, whether he seeks it " or not, and generally speaking such men are the last to seek, and such a man we fancy the Representatives will have

the good sense to elect when they meet for work at Raleigh.

# A TRUE BILL.

A Wholesale Indictment for Murder NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 13 .- During the past week the grand jury have been investigating the murder of A. H. Murphy and have examined 103 witnesses. This afternoon the grand jury had all the accused brought into court and one by one confronted with witnesses whereby all but one were identified. At 6 o'clock this evening identified. At 6 o'clock this evening the grand jury presented true bills against Recorder Thos. J. Ford, his brother, Patrick J. Ford; court officers W. E. Caulfield and W. A. Buckney, policeman John Murphy, the porter of the recorder's court, Baptiste J. Tabelto, and court officer Chas. Baker, for wilful murder, and not a true bill against policeman Louis Ceresis. The accused are in the parish prison. Their trial will probably take place in January next. Staruing Explosion in London.

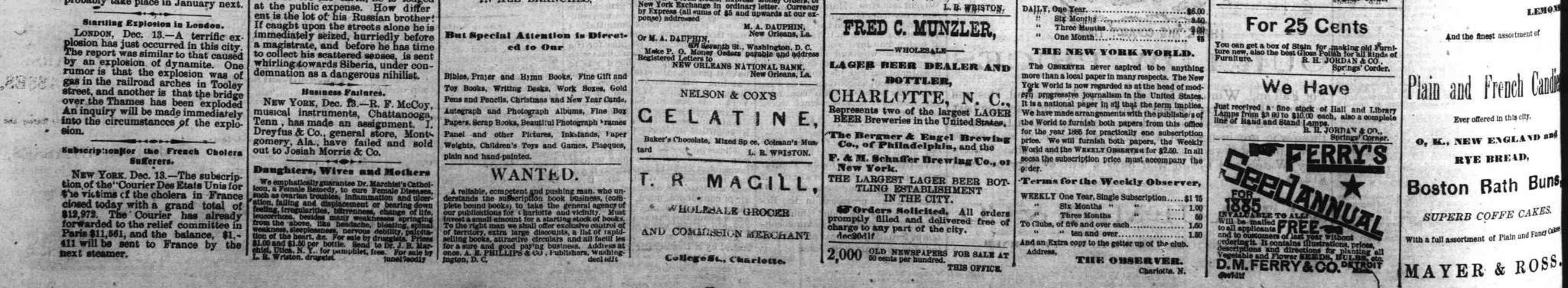
terms so salutary for restraint of To be Tried on Indiciment. CHICAGO, Dec. 13. - The proceedings crime have ever been held in this Territory. commenced against Joseph C. Mackin for participation in the 18th ward

for participation in the 18th ward election frauds, before the United States commissioner, were dismissed today in view of an indictment by the grand jury, as the indictment covers all the charges made against him in this proceedings.

Protest Against the Treaty.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13. - The leaf to bacco board of trade of this city, held a special meeting today and resolved by a unanimous vote to protest against the ratification of the pend ing treaty between Spain and the United States. The protest will be engrossed and sent to members of HRISTHAS AND FULIDAY GOODS

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