### ELL IN TURN BRATS GRANT.

VIEW AND START HOME TO-DAY

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Special to The Observer, Asheville, Sept. 5.—Prof. J. J. Britt, Who was chairman of the platform committee of the late Republican State convention, was asked this morning by The Observer representative what truth the State press that the temperance plank of the Republican platform had been changed by Chairman Rolling. In the State press that the temperance plank of the Republican platform had been changed by Chairman Rolling. In the State press that the temperance plank of the Republican platform had been changed by Chairman Rolling. In the State press that the temperance plank of the Republican platform had been changed by Chairman Rolling. In the State press that the temperance plank of the Republican platform had been changed by Chairman Rolling. In the State press that the temperance plank and know that the platform as sent out by Mr. Rolling contains the identical temperance plank adopted by the committee and ratified by the committee and ratified by the committee and ratified by the committee and substitutes were offered, but he platform the platform of the State press that the temperance plank of the Republican platform had been changed by Chairman Rolling. In the State press that the temperance plank and know that the platform as the platform as the plant of the State press that the temperance plank and know that the platform as the plant of the State press that the temperance plank and know that the platform as the plant of the State press that the temperance plank and substitutes were offered, but had been changed by the committee and ratified by the c

blue line.

During the night the situation was hanged. General Grant's main position omained the same, behind or to the east of Bull Run. He withdrew his first brigade and grant's action of the day before. General Wint, who had fought the ear guard action of the day before. General Wint, who had fought the ear guard action of the day before general Wint, who had fought the ear guard action of the day before are guard action of the day before general wint, who had fought the ear guard action of the day before general wint, who had fought the ear guard action of the day before general wint, who had fought the ear guard action of the day before general wint, who had fought the ear guard action of the day before general wint, and the platform, but this is the exact draft as adopted."

The following paragraph printed in The New York Tribune of yesterday morning, September 8, under the head of "Campaign Notes and Incidents," has created much merriment among a number of the leading Republicans of a sheville: "M. L. Shipman, of The length of the maneouver scene. The Brown orth of the maneouver scene. The Brown of the leading Republicans of the l

The Blue cavalry accomplished nothing during the day, General Bell having taken the precedition to change his base. Among the Blue regiments that lost most heavily in constructive killed or captured were the First South Carolina and the Alabama and Florida regiments, all in the Blue urmy. The withdrawal of General Grant to a defensive position west of Bull Run

was effected very skillfully, the handling of the rear guard being perfect. What the result would have been in actual warfare, it is impossible to say. The Blue right was badly shattered, but Price's brigade was still intact and immediately available for support. Re-enforcements at 4:30 o'clock with Misses Dalsybel could have been drawn from the brigade.

### BESSEMER CITY ITEMS.

### Opening of the Public School-A Protracted Meeting in Progress-Personals. Correspondence of The Observer.

Durham is in Atlanta attending the estate holdings here.

Cotton Spinners' Association.—Mrs. B. Mr. E. M. Kennerl

Prof. J. F. Bradley is assisted by Miss Stockard. Miss Stockard is board-ing with Mrs. C. E. Whitney.

Mrs. D. A. Garrison is visiting her

The Payers old father, Mr. D. B. Coltrane, in Concord.

A protracted meeting is in progress at the Baptist church. Mr. Putnam, minister, is being assisted by Rev. Mr. Tredway, of Sheiby. - Mrs. H. N. Garrison spent last week in King's

stallation of officers me A number of ladies were present, Mrs. C. E. Whitney entertained the audimedal for faithfulness and good work for that place.

spent Friday in town, shaking hands with old friends.—Mr. Lacy and family is visiting Mrs. L. D. Parker. left for their new home in Asheville Friday. The people regret to see them leave,-Miss Helen Buck rature Winston-Salem Tuesday. She will attend Salem Female Academy .. - Rev. Johnson and bride, of Lincolnton, spent a day or two in town last week. Rev. on preached Sunday at the Episcopal church,-Mr. McFarland returned Saturday from a two weeks' trip to St. uis and Springfield, Ill.-Mr. and Wilkins will spend some time visiting

### OPENING OF OXFORD SEMINARY. An Important Educational Event-Governor Ayeock Present at the Exercises.

Correspondence of The Observer. Oxford, Sept. 7.—Your correspondent attended the opening of Oxford Female ninary this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. spacious new chapel hall in which exercises were held was packed, a number who attended were un-

heard it pronouncing it the best speech on education they ever

Aycock was afterwards in , but made no attempt to address. He spoke only a few sents expressing his gratification at any this splendid school rebuilt, and cing able to be present and to exing able to be present and to exing able to the State, congratunas and good wishes, be doors of the institution were

New York dispatch says there is ent, and it is the feeling here that a start will not be made before October I.

To not on New York for temporary resistant will not be made before October I.

Soon after his formal letter of ac-

# PLANK NOT CHANGED.

Professor Britt Says Pintform Was Sent Out by Mr. Rollins Exactly as It Was Written-A Paragraph

oring to make a demonstration they were all voted down. It is possible wing, or to the south of the that some newspaper reporter might

forces charged up to the bridge, which was constructively blown up, but were spansed and ordered back. A second repaised and ordered back. A second charge likewise did not meet the approval of the unspires, but the third was accompanied by a most decisive result. It did not take the umpires long to rule out the entire Blue force at this point, and the Brown army crossed the run at will. In the meantime, the force which had crossed to the north at Sadley had been coming to the north at Sadley had been coming the common than the common than the common that the common than the common th down towards the pike. They struck than it's line to the rear, and the maneous received when this force appeared in a marking movement on a Blue line, which was facing a Brown line that had crossed at the stone bridge.

In summing up the situation to-night, colonel Wagner, the chief under a grant line that joint colonel Wagner, the chief under a grant line that joint colonel Wagner. Colonel Wagner, the chief umpire, gave the precise movement of each brigade declaration that Capt. Glenn had alduring the night, after which he commented on the maneouvre as follows:

North Carolina by from 50,000 to 75,000 majority, the Republican candidate for Congress will have Mr. Shipman's statement as an off-set.

### MOORESVILLE MATTERS.

# The Friday Afternoon Book Club

have been drawn from the brigade Pharr and Kate Templeton, at the Sugden. Umpire, Beville. home of Rev. W. W, Pharr. After the In relinquishing command of the ma-necuvre forces, General Corbin issued a usual discussion of the popular authors, necurre forces. General Corbin issued a general order to-night, expressing his appreciation and approval of the work done by each commander and the force under him. The militia will be paid to-morrow, after the review, which is to be held at Wellington at I o'clock. After the review 8,000 of the Eastern militia will be entrained and started for home. The Southern Railway will run as many special trains as necessary between Washington and Wellington, so that the great crowds may be handled quickly.

usual discussion of the popular authors, the company engaged in a guessing contest in which Miss Bess Rankin was the successful one, and was awarded a little booklet by Harrison, "Use and Misuse of Books." In a pinder contest, Miss Minnie Templeton succeeded in putting the greatest humber on a hat pin, and was awarded a beautifully designed sofa pillow top. Mrs. J. H. Reid and guest, Miss Emma Brown, of Salisbury, were present, and rendered sevbury, were present, and rendered several vocal selections, while Miss Nell Templeton, an accompilished panist, accompanied them on the piano. The afternoon was full of pleasure to all. Capt. J. S. Harris, formerly mayor of Kling. Umpire, Zimmer. our town, and a prosperous merchant emer City, Sept. 8.-Mr. S. J. or this morning looking after his real here, but now of Davidson, was a visit-

F. Dixon, of Raleigh, who has been visiting her son, Mr. S. J. Durham, left on the 5th for cotton weigher at this on the 5th for cotton weigher at this Mr. E. M. Kennerly, of this place, Montgomery School opened Monday with 104 on the place, has flatly refused to consider the lished a card stating that he is a Demo crat and that he would support non

The 2-year- old child of Mr. and Mrs Charley W. White, died yesterday afternoon and was buried to-day. little one had been sick for some time

during the summer. Misses Grace Rankin, Linda Houston and Maude Leutz left yesterday for the The Masonic Lodge had a public in- Presbyterian College at Charlotte. Miss Gertrude Melchor will go down to the

same institution next Tuesday. Miss Mary McNeely, who graduated ence with a fine selection. One of the at the Presbyterian College last spring nicest features was the presenting to has secured a position in the graded J. Durham a handsome gold school at Wilkesboro, and left to-day

Miss Isabella Brown, of Salisbury, i Mr. Chas. Cooke, Jr., of Wilmington, the guest of Miss Pless Rankin. Miss Linda Clement, of Mocksville

# BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW.

Generally Favorable Developments During the Week - Stubborn Strength of Prices the Most Notable Feature.

New York, Sept. 2.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say: "Trade, crop and indus-trial developments have been generally favorable this week. Distribution on fall Mrs. J. H. Wilkins went to Rutherford-ton last week to be present at the marriage of Mr. Wilkins' sister. Mrs. which, however, this year is later than usual, and several industries hitherto speatly depressed or operating on short time have resumed running full. The industrial situation is slightly less strained than it was, and the beef strike is now ended. In iron and steel, past and proended. In iron and steel, past and prospective price reductions have encouraged inquiry, consumption has finally overtaken production, and stocks of crude material are smaller. With the beginning of the crop movement, which is reasonably heavy for this period have come improved collections and better railway earnings returns. August results point to a 6 per cent, increase in gross receipts over a year 220.

cent. Increase in gross receipts over a year 270.

"The stubborn strength of prices is, perhaps, the most notable feature in the entire situation. Bradstreet's general index number shows a very small percentage of increase on September 1 over August I. with provisions and groceries, fruits, hides, leather, olls and breadstuffs showing and thanking the citizens of increase on september 1 over August I. with provisions and groceries, fruits, hides, leather, olls and breadstuffs showing most strength. The general level of rebuilding and thanking the citizens of Oxford and others for the valuable aid extended.

The president next introduced Dr. Chas. D. McIver, of Greensboro, who delivered a short address. This address made a deep impression, many

for the week ending September 8 number 144, against 165 in the like week in in 1963.

# FALL RIVER CLOTH MARKET.

Business Noticeably Quiet-No Pros-pect of General Resumption Before October 1st.

Fall River, Mass., Sept. 9.-Sales in the print cloth market for the week will reach a total of about 75,000 pieces. doors of the institution were thrown open and the people were ed to inspect the handsome new large. Those who examined the days has continued quiet, and a falling the doors of the people were week ago, business for the past six days has continued quiet, and a falling the doors of the people were week ago, business for the past six days has continued quiet, and a falling the people were well as the people were w with them. They are comcomfortable, convenient and
most admirably adapted to
for which they were condition to run there demand for all classes of
goods is noticeable. The prices are unchanged on a three-cent basis for regulars. While many of the mills have
been getting their machinery in condition to run there. dition to run, there is no prospect of a general resumption of work at pres-ent, and it is the feeling here that a start will not be made before October I.

Pure, delicious, economical, Blue Ribbi lemon and vanilla extracts.

### BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

Memphis, Sept. 9.-Southern: The visitor played an ap-hill game, but by taking ad vantage of Memphis' costly errors, won is 

rors by Nashville in the first game to-day made it easy for Atlanta. In the second came the local team retrieved itself by nd Accorsini. Escond giame, Score: lashville

Butteries: Nickens and Accorsini; Dwyer nd Clarke. Umpires, Andrews and Hardy Washington, Sept. 9.—American: Dincental alfaost invincible to-day. Score:

Batteries: Patten and Kittredge; Dinee and Farrell. Umpire, Connolly,

Philadelphia, Sept. 9.—American: Henley and Waddell were in good condition to-day and New York could not hit effective-.. .. .200000000-2 York York hlladelphia . . . . 00110001x-3 x 2 Batteries: Powell and Kleinow; Henley 

Second game, Score: 

Detroit, Sept. 9.—American: The locals and St. Louis divided to-day's double-leader, Score: R H E Batteries: Donovan and Drill; Howell and Kahoe. Umpire, Beville. St. Louis.......010000301-576 Batterles: Jaeger and Beville; Clade and

Cleveland, Sept. 9.-American: Chicago ind Cleveland again split even to-da Chicago and Sullivan. Umpire, O'Loughlin.

Pittsburg. Sept. 9.—National.
aick's two-bagger in the eighth won the RHE Pittsburg .. .. .. .. 00010002 x-3 9 

Montgomery, Sept. 9 - Southern: The lo-RHE Batteries: Reagan and Matthews; Le

Shaft Erected at Winston-Salem by Graded School Pupils-Superintendent Joyner Makes the Principal Address. Special to The Observer,

Winston-Salern, Sept. 9.—The monu-ment erected on the West Winston Graded School lot by the pupils of the Winston Graded Schools in honor of the late Dr. Calvin H. Wiley, the first State Superintendent of Public Instruction, was unveiled at 4 o'clock this afternoon with appropriate exercises. A large number of people were in at-tendance. The address of the occasion tendance. was delivered by State Superintendent of Public Instruction, J. Y. Joyner, who made a magnificent speech. He reviewed the history of the public school sys-tem in North Carolina and paid a splendid tribute to Dr. Wiley for his work toward building up the public schools of North Carolina. At the conchools of North Carolina. At the con-lusion of Mr. Joyner's address there ere short talks by Dr. H. A. Brown. dusion of Mr. Joyner's address there Bishop Rondthaler and others. The exercises were concluded with a brief address by Superintendent Snipes.

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COLUMBIA, S. C Loans and Discounts...
Overdrafts secured and unsecured
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.
Premiums on U. S. bonds.
Stocks, securities, etc.
Banking house, furniture, and \$1,034,769.21 241.78 300,000.00 Other real estate owned. Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).
Due from State banks and
bankers
Due from approved re-49,075,15 Serve agents... Checks and other cash \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* 3,547,71 Notes of other National Banks 5,450,00 Banks...
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents...
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE
IN BANK, VIZ:
Specie ... \$ 51,000.00
Legal tender

notes.... 20,000.00
Redemption fund with
U.S. Tressurer (5 per
cent. circulation)... 71,000,00 204,803,13 LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in \$300,000,00 Surplus fund 100,000,00 Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid. National Bank notes outstanding. 77,786,87 Banks. \$46.534.42

Due to State banks and bankers. \$11,238.94

Dividends unpaid. 685.00

Individual deposits subject to check Due to other National

893,195.70 deposit.... Time certificates of de-6,061,40 posit ... Cashier's checks out-305,698.39 Cashiers cheeses 3,245.00 standing 3,245.00 Bills payable. Including certificates of deposit for money borcates of deposit for money bor-3,245,06, 777,053,01 90.0-0.00 ...\$1,644,790 :28

State of North Carolina, county of Meck lenburg, ss:
I. H. M. Victor, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. II. M. VICTOR, Cashier, J. C. BURRQUGHS, P. M. BROWN.

FRANK GILREATH, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to ...
Sth day of September, 1904.
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U. S. Bonds to secured circulation, .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits Banking house, furniture and fixtures ........... Due from National Banks (not reserve agents) ........ Due from State Banks and Bankers .... .. ..... 12.765 68 Due from approved reserve agents .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. Notes of other National Banks .. .. Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents.. .. .. .. .. .. Lawful Money Reserve in Banks, viz: 62,483,15

National Bank notes outstanding ............ Due to other National Banks .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. .. Due to State Banks and Bankers .... .. ..... 

State of North Carolina, County of Mecklenburg-ss.: I, A. G. Brenizer, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. G. BRENIZER, Cashier. | Correct-Attest: Subscribed and sworn to before me his 8th day of September, 1904. H. C. ECCLES, R. L. GIBBON

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