spected good men, "but when it comes to love there must be a petticoat about it," he declared and said he had been under petticoat government all his life.

LEGISLATURE'S INFLUENCE.

He explained how legislators were influenced in Columbia by representatives of the railroads, the cotton mills and the banks, who take them around to the club and soon have them completely in charge. He compared these kind of legislators to the chameleon, which shows the color of the thing it is on, and said this was not self-government, but lizard government. "The legislator from the country spoils almost before he reaches Columbia," said he; "you alone can remedy this condition."

REFERS TO LUMPKIN.

"Mr. Lumpkin came out, but he went in. Why did not some of the prominent men come out and offer to oppose me for the Senate?" (A voice: "Afraid of you, Ben.") "No, not afraid of me, but afraid of you."

He discussed the investigation committee, and told how it had no power at first, but at the next session of the Legislature it got more power. They then went to work to prove how much Hub Evans and other members had prospered on $450 a year, and told of the investigation committee's failure to investigate. Whenever it got on a hot trail it would back out. He referred to the case of Mr. Parker, who had heard of a deal made by a prominent official and said that neither The Columbia State nor The Charleston News and Courier were anxious to have this testimony brought out for fear it might uncover one of their friends. "The State never opens its mouth about investigating the Richland Distilling Company," said the speaker, "but wants everything else investigated, including my piano steal." In this connection he said he did not know the reason for this, but just threw a rock to see if the hit dog would not holler.

THE DISPENSARY NEEDS CLEANSING.

"Are you going to kill the State dispensary because it is rotten?—and I am willing to admit that it is rotten," asked Senator Tillman. "What will you have when you abolish the dispensary? High license, prohibition or county dispensary. If you abolish the dispensary the money goes to North Carolina and the profits stay there. If you are going to have whiskey anyhow, why not keep the profits here? You can't make men good by legislative enactment. The regeneration must come from within." The speaker said the dispensary system was the best solution of the liquor traffic. County dispensaries he declared expensive and more open to corruption than the State dispensary.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

"The editor of The Columbia State almost danced a hornpipe," said Senator Tillman, "when he read that a conference of friends of the dispensary had been held in York and adopted a platform favoring a mild compulsory education law. The fellow in Columbia says I favor ignorance among white people because I can control them." A voice in the crowd asked something about educating the editors and the Senator replied: "The way to educate an editor is to refuse to take his paper unless he represents you. Stop his paper and I'll guarantee you'll educate him."

As to compulsory education he declared that it was a snake because the negroes must be educated as well as the whites and in 21 years these negroes will be able to register and vote. "There are 235,000 more negroes than white people in South Carolina, according to the last census. There are more negroes than white people going to school. The white people must stick together.

NORTH CAROLINA'S EXPERIENCE

"In North Carolina in 1892 32,000 white people went off by themselves and were defeated. Two years later, under the abuse of The Charlotte Observer and other old-line Democratic papers, these people joined with the white Republicans and carried the State. The Charlotte Observer, however, is getting right decent now, and compliments me occasionally. I read it occasionally now. It was formerly always sneering at Tillmanism. When they had their trouble with the Republicans up there, they sent for me to come up and make speeches and redeem the State to the white people. I went up there and preached the gospel according to Edgefield. What was that gospel? I said in South Carolina there are two negroes to one white man, but on the 4th of November the negroes go to the cotton fields and the white men who wanted to would go to the polls and vote, and if they didn't put on red shirts, get shot guns and take charge of the government they deserved to continue as they were. They captured the State and adopted the grandfather clause, which is good as far as it goes. But they have a white majority, while we have a negro majority."

TILLMAN'S LECTURE TOUR.

The Senator told of his lecture tours in the North, and stated that he would make as much lecturing a month as his salary for a year. "And I cannot near fill all the engagements," said the speaker. "I do love to talk to Yankees about negroes," he continued, "because they know nothing about negroes." Education, he declared, spoils negroes, makes them candidates for the job preacher, politician or penitentiary.

MESSRS. STRAIT AND FINLEY.

Dr. T. J. Strait, of Lancaster, a former Congressman, who is a candidate to succeed Representative Finley, reviewed political history and dwelt for some time on the tariff and other national issues. Cuba, he declared, was no more free now than when Spain owned it. He devoted considerable time to roundly denouncing "commercial Democracy" and its late promoter, former Senator McLaurin.

Congressman Finley told of the manner in which bills were put through Congress. He declared that the trouble with the President was that he is as unstable as water. "There is less sectionalism now than ever before," he declared, "and the South will in time regain her former position in national affairs." Only one sectional speech has been made in recent years and that by Representative Keifer, of Ohio, and nobody paid any attention to him. Mr. Finley spoke encouragingly of the outlook for a Democratic House as a result of the fall elections.

The meeting was largely the result of the efforts of Mr. Harry E. Neil, a merchant of Filbert, and everything was pulled off in the best of shape. J. C. A.

Ferdinand Von-Saar Dead.

Vienna, July 24.—Ferdinand Von-Saar, author and member of the Upper House of the Austrian Reichstarth, who shot himself yesterday, died. He suffered from nervous prostration.

Seeks to Punish Pulajanes.

Manila, July 24.—Governor Ide has requested the military aid to punish the Pulajanes in the province of Leyte. Batallions of the Fourth and Eighth Infantry have been sent to the assistance of the constabulary.

THE DAY AT BISHOPVILLE

A BAND GREETS CAMPAIGNERS

One Thousand and Two Hundred People Gather at Capital of Lee County, South Carolina, Greeting the Campaigners With a Brass Band—Mr. Ragsdale Questions Mr. Lyon as to Failure to Prosecute Grafters—Mr. Ansel'S Platform—Mr. Brunson Prods Mr. Jones On the Latter's Prohibition Platfrom.

Special to The Observer.

Bishopville, S. C., July 24.—Fully 800 people gathered about the speakers' stand to-day. There must have been, all told, 1,200 visitors in town. Lee county had an innovation in the shape of a brass band for the entertainment of the crowd. Mr. F. F. Herndon, county chairman, presided. Rev. R. H. Murchison opened the meeting with prayer. The first candidates to speak were the candidates for Secretary of State. Messrs. Morrison, McCown and Ragin presented their claims for this office. Hon. Thomas G. McLeod was received with loud acclaim by the people of his home county. They clearly showed how glad they are that their son has no opposition.

Mr. Lyon, candidate for Attorney General, introduced in the Legislature a resolution asking that our Representatives in Congress look after the condition of our rivers and harbors. When asked why he had not prosecuted the grafters, Mr. Lyon replied it was the duty of the committee to investigate the report and the duty of the Legislature and courts to act. Mr. Ragsdale said Mr. Lyon had given as the reason he had not prosecuted the grafters that there was not sufficient evidence.

Mr. Lyon replied, "I made no such statement."

Mr. Ragsdale replied, "Mr. Cole Blease stated that you told him so. He will say so on this stand to-day."

"I don't think he will," said Mr. Lyon.

Mr. aRgsdale gave figures to disprove Mr. Lyon's supposition that the State dispensary is insolvent.

Messrs. Walker and A. W. Jones made strong appeals to be elected to the office of comptroller general. Col. Boyd and Haskell asked for the suffrage of Lee county to put one of them into the office of adjutant general. Messrs. Sullivan, Summersett, Wharton, Cansler and Sellers each gave strenuous reasons why he should be the fortunate one to get the office of railroad commissioner.

CONGRESSMAN LEVER SPEAKS.

Congressman A. F. Lever spoke just before recess was taken at 1 o'clock. He thanked the people of Lee for their almost unanimous vote in the past. His account of his work in Washington evidently pleased well his constituents. He has almost covered Lee with rural free delivery routes. He is proud of having no opposition. For this he thanks the people and not the politicians.

MR. ANSEL'S PLATFORM.

The candidate for Governor, Mr. Martin F. Ansel, says he is in favor of everything that makes for the upbuilding of South Carolina. He emphasized the importance of good roads, drainage and education. He made a clear, concise presentation of his platform in favor of local option between prohibition and the county dispensaries. Mr. Cole L. Blease predicts that either he or Mr. Ansel will be the next Governor of South Carolina. He claims that, as a legislator, Mr. Manning has always voted in favor of corporations and that corporate interests are backing Mr. Manning in this campaign. Col. Sloan is following the dispensary star that leads to the Executive Mansion. Mr. Blease says he is fighting for the State dispensary but nobody from the State dispensary is fighting for him. He fears the dispensary is being used as a political machine. He had seen evidence of it in Lee and Orangeburg. If he gets the proof he will expose it if it kills the dispensary and defeats him for Governor.

MR. BRUNSON PRODS MR. JONES.

Mr. Joel E. Brunson gave Mr. A. C. Jones a good prodding for running as a prohibitionist on a local option platform and says Mr. Jones is sitting on a three-legged stool trying to straddle the fence in three ways. Mr. Brunson gave the people of Williamsburg substantial aid when they were trying to vote out the dispensary, something he doubts if Mr. Jones ever did. Mr. Brunson made sport of Mr. Ansel for advocating drainage in such a healthy good farming county as Lee. Mr. A. C. Jones stressed the importance of education and endeavored to show how little good is gotten for education from the profits of the dispensary. Mr. Edwards presented his claims as a candidate for Governor and as usual rapped the railroad power. Mr. Manning feels that the people of Lee, with their good roads as object lessons of usefulness, will go on to perfection in highways. He espoused the cause of the dispensary because he saw the dispensary system had done away with the bar-rooms' night traffic and had curtailed drinking, which is most true. Mr. J. J. McMahan called attention to the great world-movements now on foot, the Pan-American Congress at Rio Janeiro, the Inter-Parliamentary Union in London and the crisis of revolution in Russia, the results of educational progress. He advocates the duplication of Clemson and Winthrop in eastern South Carolina in the near future, but first wants home and farm schools in the counties. Col. John T. Sloan says the people would have a Governor and a Lieutenant Governor from practically the same county, if Mr. Manning is elected, and feels Mr. Manning ought to stay at home to attend to his banking business.

BRYAN'S AMENDMENT RECAST.

Nebraskan's Rider to Model Arbitration Treaty, After Some Changes, Adopted by the International Council of the Inter-Parliamentary Union.

London, July 24. — William J. Bryan's proposed rider to the model arbitration treaty was discussed at a session of the International Council of the Inter-Parliamentary Union this morning and resulted in its being recast, as follows:

"If a disagreement should arise which is not included in those to be submitted to arbitration the contracting parties shall not resort to any act of hostility before they separately or jointly invite, as the case may necessitate, the formation of an international commission of inquiry or mediation of one or more friendly powers, this requisition to take place if necessary in accordance with articles of The Hague convention providing for a peaceful settlement of international conflicts."

On the resumption of the sessions to-day the above was unanimously adopted after speeches by former Austrian Minister of Commerce, von Pixner and Mr. Bryan warmly supporting the amended rider. The latter said that his amendment was aimed at widening the scope of arbitration so as to include questions of national honor, the chances being a hundred to one that the proposed investigation of facts would also settle any question of national honor. If the hand of war our could be stayed till the conscience awakened, wars would become more remote. The amendment therefore was a long step in the direction of peace.

Mr. Bryan's speech was brief but it was eloquent and aroused much enthusiasm among the delegates.

Baron d'Estournelles de Constant, head of the French delegation, subsequently opened the debate on the limitation of military and naval forces. He declared that if the powers were undecided among themselves how to act for their common interests they would be forced to do so, first by bankruptcy and then by revolution.

Germany, continued the baron, commits the grave fault of struggling with the United States for naval preeminence and thus divides her energies, both on land and sea, no doubt to the profit of the American States were united and inaccessible, while the States of Europe were divided and will always be menaced by the possibility of a coalition against them.

A resolution was agreed to in principle urging that the question of disarmament be placed on the programme of the next peace conference at The Hague. The exact wording of the resolution will be discussed to-morrow.

Congressman D. L. D. Granger was elected vice president of the American delegation for the coming year and Congressmen Richard Bartholdt, of Missouri, and T. E. Burton, of Ohio, were elected members of the international council.

AMERICAN MILLIONAIRE MAY BUY IRISH RAILROAD FOR DUKE.

Eugene Zimmerman, the Cincinnati millionaire, father of the Duchess of Manchester, is said to be the prospective purchaser of the interests of the promoters of the proposed Newry, Keady and Tynan Railway, in Ireland. Mr. Zimmerman and his son-in-law, the Duke of Manchester, inspected the route last week.

GEORGIA EDITORS' TRIP.

They Visit Biltmore Estate and Have a Good Time Generally.

Special to The Observer.

Asheville, July 24.—Georgia editors, composing the Georgia Weekly Press Association, and many lady companions have spent most enjoyably the day in Asheville. The party, some 150 strong, arrived here from Lake Toxaway and this morning went on a drive over the Biltmore estate. This afternoon they were tendered a trolley ride over the city and later lunched at Riverside Park. Among those here with the editors is Mrs. Longstreet, wife of the late General Longstreet, of civil war fame. The party will leave to-morrow for the return to Georgia, going via Knoxville and Chattanooga.

Gloom Throughout Holland.

The Hague, July 24.—Queen Wilhelmina was taken ill last night. A premature delivery followed, casting gloom throughout Holland. It was announced to-day that the expectation of an heir to the throne at this time will not be realized.

It was announced this evening that the Queen's condition is satisfactory and that it is expected she will regain her normal health shortly.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1659.—The Pope, Alexander VII, acknowledged by a papal brief the King of France, sovereign of the conquests and colonies which his subjects had made in the American isles. Hitherto the Court of Rome had preserved inviolate the "universal grant" of Pope Alexander VI in 1493 to his Catholic majesty, the King of Spain.

1722.—New England declared war against the Indians. The smallpox at that time was waging war with both.

1759.—General Johnson took Fort Niagara, in America.

1790.—William Livingston, Governor of New Jersey, died. He was a member of the New York bar and a warm advocate of the rights of the colonies. He removed to New Jersey and on the deposition of the royal Governor, Franklin, he was elected to fill his place, which he held till the time of his death.

1804.—The American squadron, consisting of the Constitution frigate, three brigs, three schooners, two bomb and six gunboats, arrived in sight of Tripoli.

1814.—Battle of Bridgewater, near Niagara Falls, between the British under Ryall and the Americans under Brown. It was a sanguinary action, and for the numbers engaged perhaps unequalled in modern warfare, in which both the senior generals were wounded. British loss 878 killed and wounded and missing; American loss 860. The battle commenced at 5 p. m. and ended at 12 in the defeat of the British, 2,700 veteran regulars, exclusive of a large body of Indians.

1829.—Four hundred Creek Indians crossed the Mississippi at Memphis on their way to the new country assigned them in Arkansas.

1840.—A couple of officers belonging to the United States exploring expedition having gone on shore at Malolo, one of the Fiji islands, were murdered by the natives. Lieut. Wilkes immediately attacked and burned the town and fort, killed upwards of 70 of the natives, destroyed the plantations and laid the island waste.

1854.—The allied Pacific French and English squadron sailed from Honolulu to destroy the Russian possesisons in Kamschatka.

1861.—Gen. McClellan took command of the army of the Potomac.

1864.—The mine under the fort before Petersburg completed and charged with four tons of powder.

1866.—Lieut. Gen. Grant nominated general, and Vice Admiral Farragut to be admiral.

1898.—The military expedition under Gen. Miles effected a landing on the island of Porto Rico, at Guanica, on the southern coast of the island, 15 miles west of Ponce, after a skirmish between the Gloucester and a small Spanish force. About 25,000 men in all, sailing from various points, composed the army going to Porto Rico.

1904.—Strike involving 24,000 operatives begun in textile mills in Fall River, Mass.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Miss Helen Bray, of Milton.

Special to The Observer.

Greensboro, July 24.—Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bray, of this city, and Mr. A. H. Bray, of Statesville, went to Milton this morning to attend the funeral this afternoon of their sister, Miss Helen Bray, who died there last night at 9:30 o'clock at the home of her father, Mr. H. J. Bray. Deceased was a student of Greensboro Female College in 1902, and it was while in school there that her health failed. Much of the time since then she has spent in the mountains of this State. Hoping there to regain her health. She went to her home in Milton only a few weeks ago. She was then in feeble health and declined rapidly until the end came last night. The young woman was well known here and many friends regret to learn of her untimely death.

Mrs. M. H. Barnes, of Lumberton.

Special to The Observer.

Lumberton, July 24.—Mrs. Milanda Hinson Barnes, wife of Rev. K. Barnes, a Baptist minister of the county, died Sunday of heart trouble, from which she had suffered for some years, at her home at Bloomingdale, this county. She was 60 years old. She assisted her husband to prepare for church and, when he was gone, went to her duties in the kitchen, where she was found dead in a chair by some member of the family between 11 and 12 o'clock. The remains were interred this afternoon in the Barnes graveyard. Several children survive.

Death of an Infant.

Special to The Observer.

Statesville, July 24.—Anna Laura, the 10-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Colvert, died of bronchitis at the home of her parents on Walnut street at 8:15 o'clock Saturday morning. The funeral services were conducted at the home Sunday afternoon by Rev. Frank Siler and the interment was at Oakwood. The little girl had not been well for a week or two and became seriously ill Friday afternoon.

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Tax Collector, District No. 1, Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

L. B. SLOOP.

For Tax Collector, District, No. 1.

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SAM J. AUSTIN.

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W. C. M'AULAY.

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J. OLIVER GLUYAS.

For Tax Collector, District No. 3.

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W. N. PEOPLES.

Announcements.

For Clerk of the Court.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

C. C. MOORE.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of August 7.

J. A. NEWELL.

For Tax Collector, Districts No. 1.

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JOHN L. MILLER.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 7.

W. N. McKEE.

For County Commissioner.

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JOHN A. TUCKER.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

W. J. HUTCHISON.

For the House.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives from Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

W. C. DOWD.

For Register of Deeds.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

W. M. MOORE.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of August 7.

W. M. LONG.

For the Legislature.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of August 7.

W. A. GRIER.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

CHALMERS V. FURR.

For County Commissioner.

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SAM H. KELL.

For Clerk of the Court.

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J. A. RUSSELL.

For Register of Deeds.

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C. A. SPRATTT.

For County Commissioner.

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D. A. HENDERSON.

For Register of Deeds.

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W. E. CUNNINGHAM.

For the Legislature.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for a seat in the House of Representatives for Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

E. R. PRESTON.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

HOUSTON J. BROWN.

For Treasurer.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

H. J. WALKER.

For Tax Collector, District No. 3.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Tax Collector, District No. 3, Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

PARKS KIRKPATRICK.

For the Senate.

I hereby announce myself a candidae for the State Senate from Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

McD. WATKINS.

For County Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for County Commissioner of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

JNO. B. ROSS.

For the State Senate.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the State Senate from the 25th Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary to be held for Mecklenburg county on August 7th.

H. N. PHARR.

For Sheriff.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7.

N. W. WALLACE.

For County Board of Education.

We, the undersigned, hereby announce ourselves as candidates for re-election as members of the county board of education of Mecklenburg county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries of August 7, 1906.

Respectfully,
WM. ANDERSON,
JOHN M'DOWELL,
CHARLES H. CALDWELL,
W. M. ROSS,
JOHN F. CALDWELL.

For County Commissioner.

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