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The we may also have of country is still included by the overall included b wonderful foresight of those yet to be, coupled with his powerful influence in the counsels of those who were to *make or mar the fate of an infant na-hood rights. tion, made him a tremendous factor in the construction and adoption of the constitutional chart by which the course of the newly launched repub-

POLITICAL PARTIES HUMAN. Political parties, are exceedingly lic could be safely sailed. And it was he who first took the helm and dem-onstrated for the guidance of all who might succeed him, how, and in what

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The Southern Baseball League Adopts Playing Schedule.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 23.-The spring meeting of the Southern Baseball League was held this afternoon, and human; and they easier fall before the playing schedule for the coming season adopted. It provides 140 in Memphis, and Shreveport in New Orleans. The season will close September 14. By special agreement Atlanta will play a game in Birmingham on April 9th in order to give Birmingham an opening date on which to display the pennant won by that club last year.

> EXPORTS OF COTTON PRODUCTS. The Pocketbook of America Enriched by Practically \$500,000,000 During the Past Year—Figures of

Amounts.

Washington, Feb. 22.-America's pocketbook was enriched by practically \$500,000,000 through its exportations last year of cotton and the products of that staple, according to a statement issued to-day by the bureau of statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor. The exports# of these products amounted to onefourth or 28 per cent. of the \$1,703,-000,000 worth of the domestic exports.

The following figures show the kind of cotton products exported last year and their value: Unmanufactured cotand their value: Unmanufactured cot-ton, \$413,137,936; manufactures of cotton, \$42,961,048; cotton seed oil, \$13,993,431; cotton seed oil cake and meal, \$14,165,268; cotton seed, \$245,-920; cottolene, Mardine, etc., chiefly from cotton seed oil, \$4,801,078; bringing the total exports of these products up to \$489,304,681. Of the \$413,000,000 worth of raw

Washington, Feb. 22 .- The anouncoment was made at the White House to-day that the President had decided to raappoint J. Duncan Adams to be United States marshal for South Carolina.

desired results cannot be ob-tained unless the ingredients are pure. It is therefore betare pure. It is therefore bet-ter to purchase each separate-ly and prepare the mixture yourself. Virgin Oil of Efne (Pure) should be purchased in the original half-ounce vials, which druggists buy for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, which protects the oil from exposure to light. Around the wooden case is an engraved wrapper, with the name Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act of J 30th, 1906, serial number 451, prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, Ohio-plainly printed there-on. There are many imitations and cheap productions of pine, but these only create nausea, and never effect the desired results.





spirit and intent, the responsibilities called that political organizations have our chief magistracy should be been quite willing to utilize gusts of discharged.

VIRTUES AND IDEALS. If your observance of this day were Intended to make more secure the immortal fame of Washington, or to add to the strength and beauty of his imperishable monument built upon a nation's affectionate remembrance, it behooves every thoughtful citizen ington has no need of you. But in every moment from the time he drew his sword in the cause of American independence to this hour, living or dead, the American people have needed him. It is not important now, nor will it be in all the coming years, to remind our countrymen that Washington has lived and that his achievements in his country's service are above all praise. But it is important -and more important now than ever before-that they should clearly apprehend and adequately value the virtues and ideals of which he was the embodiment, and should realize how essential to our safety and perpetuity. are the consecration and patriotism which he exemplified. The American people need to-day the example and teachings of Washington no less than those who fashioned our nation needed his labors and guidance.

Three months before his inauguration as first President of the republic, which he had done so much to create, Washington wrote a letter to Lafayette, his warm friend and revolutionary ally, in which he expressed his unremitting desire to establish a general system of policy, which if pursued, would "ensure permanent felicity to the Commonwealth;" and he added these words:

"I think I see a path as clear and as direct as a ray of light, which leads to the attainment of that object. Nothing but harmony, honesty, industry and frugality are necessary to make us a great and happy people. Happily the present posture of affairs and the prevailing disposition of my countrymen promise to co-operate in establishing these four great and essential pillars of public felicity."

SELF-EXAMINATION.

Such considerations as these sug rest the thought that this is a time for honest self-examination. The question pressed upon us with a demand for reply that will not be denied: "Who among us all, if our hearts are purged of misleading impulses and our minds freed from per-verting pride, can be sure that to-day ploded. the posture of affairs, and the prevailing disposition of our countrymen co-operate in the establishment and promotion of harmony, honesty, in-

dustry, and frugality?" The self-examination invited by this day's commemoration will be in-complete and superficial, if we are that there are signs of the times which indicate a weakness and relaxation of

our hold upon these saving virtues. This germ is really responsible for When thus forewarned, it is the height of recreancy for us obstinately to heads. It can be cured if it is gone close our eyes to the needs of the sit-about in the right way. The right thought that evil can overtake us. If we are to deserve security, we will to kill the germ.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY A FAVORITE.

popular prejudice and resentment; and I believe they have been known as a matter of shrewd management to encourage voters to hope for some measure of relief from economic abuses, and yet to "stand pat" on the day appointed for realization. w

have fallen upon a time when whose political beliefs are based on reason and who cares enough for his Of the manliness and duty to save them from barter, to realize that the organization of the party of his choice needs watching, and that at times it is not amiss critically to observe its direction and \$500,000 went to Europe; \$16,750,000 tendency. This certainly ought to re-sult in our country's gain; and it is countries, and about \$3,000,000 worth only partisan imprudence that condemns a member of a political party, who on proper occasion submits its conduct and the loyalty to principle of its leaders, to a court of review over Canada.

which his conscience, his reason, and his political understanding preside, I protest that I have not spoken in

a spirit of pessimism. I have and enjoyed my full share of the pride and exultation which our country's material advancement so fully justifies. Its limitless resources, its astonishing W. L. Smith, a widely-known rallgrowth, its unapproachable industrial development, and its irresponsible inventive genius have made it the won-

der of the centuries. The land we live in seems to be strong and active. But now fares the land that lives in us? Are we sure that we are doing all we ought to keep it in vigor and health? Are we keeping its roots well surrounded by the fertile soil of loving allegiance, and are we furnishing them the invigorating moisture of unselfish fidelity.

The land we live in is safe so long as we are dutifully careful of the land that lives in us. But good intentions and fine sentiment will not meet the emergency. If we would bestow upon the land that lives in us the care it needs, it is indispensable that we should recognize the weakness of our human nature, and our susceptibility to temptations and influences that in-

terfere with a full conception of our obligations; and thereupon we should see to it that cupidity and selfishness do not bind our consciences or dull our efforts.

THE REAL CAUSE.

At one time dandruff was tributed to the result of a feverish condition of the scalp, which threw off the dried cuticle in scales.

Professor Unna, Hamburg, Germany, noted authority on skin disnot thereby forced to the confession cases, explodes this theory and says that dandruff is a germ disease.

Newbro's Herpicide does this, and permits the hair to grow luxuriantly,

A FAVORITE. "We prefer Chamberiain's Cough Rem-edy to any other for our children." says Mar. L. J. Woodbury, of Twining, Mich. Th has also done the work for us in hard colds and croup, and we take pleas-use in recommending it." For sale by the first stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two also, 500, and \$1.00. R. H. Jordan & Co., Special Agents.

500,000 to Italy: nearly \$7,000,000 to Belgium: over \$5,000,000 to Russia, and \$1,000,000 to the Netherlands, while to Japan the exports were valned at over \$11,000,000 and to Can-ada \$7,333,000. The figures show a reduction in the exports of cotton sent to Japan compared with 1905, while to Canada they show a slight increase.

In quantity the records show a falling off as compared with 1905, the total number of pounds shipped during Excellent Food that year being 4,137,154,935, while Rates: America for 1906 they were only 3,850,229,030. The falling off in the quantity, however, was more than offset by the in-

crease in price of cotton exports, the increase in value in 1906 exceeding the previous year by \$21,000,000.

cotton manufactures exported, the bulk of it went to countries other than Europe. The value of cotton cloths exported last year was \$32,500,000, of what came over went to the West Indian Islands exclusive of Porto Rico; \$1,500,000 to Central America and more than threequarters of a million dollars' worth to

TWO DROWNED IN LAKE.

Skiff in Which Were Three Duck Hunters Capsizes, Two, Father and Son, Being Drowned.

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 22 .- Major road man and his son, MeCiellan, aged 13, were drowned to-day in Meneha Lake, Ark. Mr. Smith, who was a member of the Mencha Hunting Club, went with his son yesterday for a duck hunt. This morning the two, with a negro paddler, entered a skiff and in some manner the craft was overturned and the three occupants were thrown into deep water. They made a desperate effort to reach shore, but the heavy clothing

worn by Mr. Smith and his son was too much for their efforts and both were drowned. The negro escaped. Mr. Smith was recently appointed general agent of the Illinois Central Railroad in the South. He was formerly located in Chicago, as assistant to the vice president of the company.

BANKERS TO MEET AT DURHAM.

Executive Committee of State Asso-ciation Fixes Time and Place for Next Convention, May 22-Members of the Committee Entertained. Special to The Observer.

Durham, Feb. 22.—The executive committee of the North Carolina Bankers' Association had a meeting here to-day, there being seven of the 12 members of the committee pres-

The bankers of Durham extended to The bankers of Durham extended to the executive committee an invitation to hold the annual meeting here and the invitation was accepted. The meeting will be held May 22 to 24, inclusive. An attractive and interest-ing programme will be arranged for this occasion, when the bankers of the State will be gathered here. The meeting of the committee was held in the office of Mr. J. F. Wiley, eashier of the Fidelity Bank, who is president of the State Bankers' As-sociation. After the meeting the vis-itors, Digether with several local bankers and Mayor F. C. Graham, were entertained at a dinner by Mr. Wiley.

The visiting members of the com-mittee were: Messra. Herbert Jackson,

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