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estimating employed be fermed the arithmetical nely that the growth in Is equal to one-tenth the . Such census performancth has himself stated, and to cause heart burnings. called off by all means.

pleased to note the White acement that the Presiot Issue a reply to ex-Conadsworth's charge that he " and a "fakir." Mr. is doubtless dissappointed posevelt did not make at al epithet-hurling spectaelf, but the people of this o cling to their time-hon-States should never fail himself with simple digcause to be glad.

rned from Atlanta were fa-If the streets of that city," Richmond Times-Dispatch ly discussing the subject of ets for Richmond. "A high blowing, but there was no o streets were entirely free rized dirt and trash. When inquiry as to how the city to keep its streets so clean, informed, simply, that the yed a force large enough work and that the streets ighly swept every night." able streets mean to a win well set forth and h pleasant anticipations oring Charlotte.

cton friends and others that in Virginia Rosnoke rt News are about to come or third piace among that

new Federal legislation s anticipated between distillers of whiskey.

extremely moderate pension, "No soldler in our service," says The Sun, was ever deserving of greater honor han Walter Reed, yet Congress has provided for no monument to perpetuate his memory. Let us hope that this neglect will be remedied at the next With the spirt of these remarks The Observer is in full accord. It would be too late for knighthoods or decorations, even if this country had such honors to bestow, and methods like Japan's in promoting the valiant dead to higher rank or China's in ennobling their ancestors are foreign to our habits of thought, but a monument should surely be raised to Dr. Walter Reed's memory and generous provision made for his wife and child.

"The New York World's query 'What is a Democrat?' can only be answered correctly by ellimination. If you are not a Republican; if you are not a Populist, a Socialist or an Independence Leaguer—then you're 'it.' "—Chattanooga Times.

crats which know not Thomas Jefferson and divide their allegiance to the living between Mr. Bryan and Mr. Hearst.

PERSONAL.

The Movement of a Number of People, Visitors and Others,

Mr. H. M. Efird is spending the week in New York on business connected with the Efird Department

Mr. Otis Asbury, of Richmond, Va., is spending several days in the city with relatives.

Mr. S. A. Schloss, of Wilmington, lessee of the local Academy spent yesterday in the city on business. He

particular, is sufficiently Southern Manufacturers' Club. Mr. James H. McConkey, of Phila-

delphia, who has been spending several days in this city, leaves this afternoon for his home. Mr. Thaddeus A. Adams has gone

Virginia. He will be absent about a week and will combine business with pleasure, visiting the Jamestown Exposition before his return.

Mr. Ed Long, a merchant of

Mr. James Mills returned vesterday from Statesville, where he visited rel-

C. Goodman, of Mooresville, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the

Mr. Thomas Barber, Jr., of Winston-Salem, was a guest of the Selwyn

Mr. G. S. Bradshaw, of Greensboro spent yesterday in the city at the

Mr. D. H. Mauney, of Long Shoals was a visitor in the city yesterday, Mr. W. R. Rankin, of Greensboro. was registered among the guests at the Central yesterday.

Mr. R. R. Moffatt, of Chester,, S. C. was a visitor in the city yesterday. Rev. Dr. J. Q. Adams, returned from a short business trip to High Point vesterday.

Mr. James W. Zachary, of Coleemee, ras a guest at the Central yesterday. Mr. E. G. Gilmer, of the Hotel Iredell, Statesville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. Walter L. Steele, of Rockingham, was registered among the guests at the Buford last night.

Mr. Claude C. Colle, representative of The Tradesman, of Chattanooga, Tenn, was a guest at the Buford yes-

tary to Mr. G. A. Shields, of the Southern, left last night for the Jamestown Exposition. He goes from there to Nashville, Tenn., his home, and will return in about ten days or

Mr. W. J. Clifford, of Dunn, spent esterday in the city, registering Mr. Frank M. Morton, of Morehead

City, arrived in the city last night and s stopping at the Buford. Mr. John Crowe, of Monroe, spent yesterday in the city.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Mr. A. M. McNeill, of Elizabethtown.

Special to The Observer. Elizabethtown, April 25 .- A. M. Mcof court and prominent citizen of this from a stroke of paralysis. He leaves else premature.-Observer.]

a widow and seven childern. Rev. C. T. Bland, of Hickory, Special to The Observer.

Hickory, April 25.—Rev. C. T. Bland, he aged Episcopal clergyman who has resided here for the last three years, died at his home on Colege street last night in his 88th year. Mr. Bland was active in the ministry over 50 years. The remains will leave here this afternoon at 4 o'clock for t at least be remarkable Lincolaton, where they will be inter-red to-morrow at 10 a.m. Aside from his immediate family, wife and

the Christian Endeavor State Con ted by Rev. J. K. Pfohl, of Winston-

"Quiet Hour," the leader of which was Miss Sadie Bilyer, of Southern Pines. The leader is on who is peculiarly fitted for the conducting of such a meeting and the high spiritual note that was struck in this devotional service was session and that a more generous adherred to all through the session.

Above everything else, Christian Endeavor stands for spiritual growth and deavor stands for spiritual growth and active Christian work among its members, and no other phase of the work is ever emphasized more in a true Christian Endeavor society than the spiritual, and to this fact is due the rapid growth and the lasting hold of the society upon the young people of various churches where the society exists. From one society the Christian Endeavor movement has grown to 68,000, and from a membership of 50 to that of more than 4,000,-

The theme of the morning's session was the "State Union," and a large number of voluntary prayers were offerred especially for the work of the State

When this convention was called the leaders of the movement connected with it decided upon a thorough organization of the State at this time, and the committee appointed yesterday to draw up a constitution submitted its report.

a Republican; if you are not a Populist, a Socialist or an Independence Leaguer —then you're "it."—Chattanooga Times.

Herein our contemporary did not seem to realize when to make an end of answering. When it said "If you are not a Republican" the case was complete. As for the Populists, Socialists and Independence Leaguers, you have to be one of them or doctrinally indistinguishable from them if you wish to enjoy good and regular standing with those so-called Demograts which know not Thomas Jeffer—There is the following named officers: President, E. H. Stackton, Winston-Salem; secretary, Mrs. H. A. Garrett, Greensboro; treasurer and superintendent of press work, Miss Marnie Bays, Charlotte; vice presidents: Moravian, Rev. E. C. Stemplel, Winston-Salem; Presbyterian, Mr. Blair Stradford, Greensboro; Disciples, Rev. J. A. Hopkins, Winston-Salem; Christian, Prof. W. A. Harper, Elon College; Congregational, Miss Agness R. Thomas, Southern Pines; Methodist Protestant, Rev. C. H. Whitaker, Graham; Reformed, Rev. C. E. Wehler, Newton; Friends, Rev. Eli Reece, High Point. ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

These officers were elected, and then neld a meeting at the close of the morning session and completed the organization of the State Union by the appointment of the following named officers:
Superintendent of junior work, Rev. J.
S. Williams, Asheville; superintendent of prison work, Rev. A. W. Curtis, Raleigh. The following named members of the executive committee was elected to the executive committee were elected to constitute the business board, which board shall decide all ordinary questions that come before the executive commit-tee in the interim between the annual conventions: E. H. Stockton, Mrs. H. A. Garrett, Miss Mamie Bays, Rev. C. H. Whitaker and Rev. E. C. Stemple.

MONEY FOR STATE WORK.

Mr. William Shaw, of Boston, announced to the convention that a very pleasant duty had been assigned him—the duty of presenting the financial need of the State Union to the delegates. He explained how necessary it is for the treasury to contain money to be used by the State officers in the dense. gone steadily on during these years. He asked Miss Sadle Bilyen to speak of this work as she assisted in the prison so-ciety for several years. Miss Bilyen spoke of the good that has been accom-plished among the prisoners by the soclety, and made special mention of Rev. A. W. Curtis, of Raleigh, who for the past several years has worked so faithfully in the prison.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The song and prayer service at the afternoon session was led by Rev. Eli Reece, of High Point. Prof. W. A. Harper was to have spoken on the subject "The Spirit of Christian Endeavor." but was unable to reach the convention. He sent, however, an excellent address on the above named subject and this was read by Rev. E. C. Stempel
The next speaker was Rev. Charles E. Wehler, of Newton, who spoke on "Some Fruits of Christian Endeavor," and his address was practical and help-

Mr. Stempel followed with some remarks in the interest of the Internation-Il Convention to be held in Seattle in July, and urged that some of the workers from this State attend. The after-Thacler, and many of those present took part in the conference, and a practical ussion of committee work was the

Much interest is being taken in the convention by Greensboro people, as yell by the delegates, and a large aulences are present at every session. The State Convention of Christian Endeavor closed to-night. The attendance was large and an interesting address was delivered by Judge T. J. Shaw on "Christian Citizenship." The parting remarks were made by General Secretary Shaw and Superintendent Stockton.
The usual resolution of thanks was
adopted, and the convention adjourned
with the Mizpah benediction.

MR. J. L. PEARSON MARRIED?

Story to That Effect Concerning The Evening Chronicle's Poet,

Wilkesboro Chronicle.

'drive dull care away."

We are informed that Mr. James Larkin Pearson, of Moravian Fails, and Miss Cora Wallace were married in Atlanta, Ga., last week, where Miss Wallace has been for some time, Mr. Pearson is the editor of The Southern Literary Banner and poet laureat of Wilkes and an all-round good fellow, and here's to their perfect happiness, mellowed by the muses of poesy and enlivehed by the prattle and smiles and patter of little feet that always

(In addition to what our Wilkes boro contemporary says of him Mr. Pearson is the poet of The Evening Chronicle and also one of the best of that paper's staff of printers. He is a young writer of genuine ability and personally a fine fellow. The announcement of his marriage comes as a complete surprise to his Charlotte friends, who, in view of the fact that Neill, a Confederate veteran, exclerk he has not been away from his post for several weeks past, are inclined to county, died suddenly here to-day, believe that the story is a mistake or

Charged With Fishing in Water-Works Pond.

boarders last night. George Jenkins and Sam Brown, colored, were locked up by Officers Porter and Young-blood. The charge is fishing in the water-works pond west of the city. They deny that the water was adjacent to the city pond. Nathan Crok ett, an old offender, was arrested for being drunk and disorderly.

vs. Railroad, fre vs. Haner, from Davidson, new trial; Insurance Company vs. Insurance Department, from Wake, affirmed; Cigarette Company vs. Tobacco Company, from Forsyth, affirmed; Jones vs. Tobacco Company, from Forsyth, affirm-

the First Presbyterian church President Henry Louis Smith, of Davidson

College, delivered a jecture, the fourth in a series under the auspices of the Raleigh chamber of commerce.

A specimen of coal found 12 miles from Sanford has been brought here and will be shown at the Jamestown Exposition. Granite from the mines near Raleigh will also be shown there, a negro named Matthews was caught in a shaft in the Caraleigh Fertilizer factory here and was killed.

He was badly mangled. Quite a number of prominent North Carolinians went to the Jamestown

Exposition to-day.

The Supreme Court decides against the Insurance Commissioner in the matter of the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company, the charter of which was revoked because the company removed the case from the State court to the Federal Court, this being suit brought by an ex-agent for damages. The court holwds, with the Su-perior Court, that this law against removal applies only to policy-holders ers' suits.

ASHEVILLE COMPANY CHARTER ED.

A charter is granted the English Lumber Company, Asheville, capital stock \$100,000, the stockholders being John L. English, of New York, and James L. English of Asheville.

Your correspondent left to-night for the Jamestown Exposition and thence goes to Washington for a day or two, this being his first vacation since last July, when he took the Raleigh Sunshiners to Beaufort for a notable ten-days' outing.

work of predicting crops, will spend to-day in Danville, Va.

I with fact rather than far as possible—much in the Census Bureau is or going—The Observer is accord with these views.

Mr. S. Ulttowsky, president of the North Carolina Building and Loan League, left yesterday morning for Goldsboro to deliver an address on building and loan work.

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GAME LAWS MINOR MATTER. A Raleigh lawyer who is a devoted portsman remarked to-day that Legislatures have less consideration to the enactment of game laws than to any other matter. In one county land-owners and tenants are prohibited from shooting between March 1st and November 15th, while the general law for that county says that no one can shoot between March 1st and November 1st. Thus there are 15 open days when persons who do not wn lands or are not tenants can shoot. In some counties there are two r three laws regarding protection of

pheasants, etc. Rev. C. H. King, a well-known colred preacher, has been appointed a blegate to the World's Sunday School Convention at Rome and leaves next Tuesday and from thence goes to the Holy Land for a tour.

The delay, and a very annoying one, in the installation of the exhibits in the main building at the Jamestown Exposition continues. A telegram today from Hernett Brimley to T. K. Bruner said the installation would not as be in place for the agricultural departments exhibit yet, out that the exhibits were all in the building and that the cases were all being unpacked and set up and that other steps were taken for quick work as soon as the installation was completed. SEARCH FOR DEAD CONTINUES.

The search for the body of the four day morning continues, but so far is Superintendent Eugene Maxwell, who has full charge of all that work, arrived here this morning. He is so deeply affected by the drowning of the men that he will not speak about it. He very greatly esteemed Hans Thorsen, his trusty Swede, who was so valuable a man to the company and whom he had known in the Northwest

Smallpox has appeared in camp of railroad constructors, fe wmiles from this city, and 18 cases

are reported. Nothing can be heard of Baker, the absconding music dealer who has left so many of the makers of musical instruments in the lurch. Every hour or so wagons can be seen bringing into the city and storing all scorts of music boxes.

This afternoon Miss Selena Luredgren arrived here from St. Paul. She was to have been married here tomorrow to Hans Thorson, foreman of the Phoenix Construction Company, who, with three other men, was swept over the dam at its plant at Buckhorn Falls Monday, and whose body has not since been seen. A telegram was sent her about the drowning, but she had already left home. She was met by Mr. McCullough, of the Phoenix Company, but this she expected. He first told her there was an accident, but had to tell the whole story. She is completely prostrated. A telegram came to the county coroner here at by any aggregation of burnt-cork ar-being from Thorson's brother, of Tacoma, asking if Hans was drowned,

The Lenoir Land Company of Caldwel county has been chartered, capi-tal stock \$25,000. State Superintendent Joyner has

liver an address at a school closing. George Chavis has brought suit against the Raleigh Electric Railway for \$10,000 damages for the death of his father last October during the

sician of this city, and proprietor of the Allegheny Hotel at Goshen, Va., died suddenly at his home in Norfolk to-day, of heart disease.

CLEARS THE COMPLEXION. tem and clears the complexion ples and blotches. It is the best large for women and children, as it is and pleasant, and does not gripe en. Orino is much superior to pill rient waters and all ordinary cartha as it does not irritate the stomet bowels. R. H. Jordan & Co.

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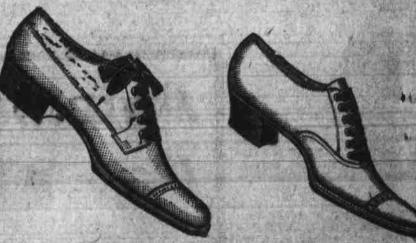
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