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## CHARLOTTE, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 11, 1907.

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by Judge Pritchard—Ex-by Judge Pritchard—Ex-aked For Witbout Any sciares the Circuit Court clares the Circuit Court er, to inspect indexes of Books maining Record of Disburst-ents and Vouchers, in the Pres-ce of the Standing Master. al to The Observer.

Asheville, Oct. 10 .- Judge Pritchard to-day handed down his declaion in the matter of the appeal ounsel for the defendant, the rallway commission, and the Attorney General and Assistant Attorney General of North Carolina, Trom a culing by Standing Master Montgomery in the railway rate con-troversy, granting the State's connect that in-dense of the books of the complain-ant company, the Southern Railway, but overruling the exception of the defendants to the standing master ruling refusing to allow the de-fendants to examine the books and accounts of the complain-ant prior to June S0th, 1965, relative to the question of the southern. At the hearing Statufar complainant's counsel insisted that Comptroller Plant's affidavit con-tained a full and complete state-ment as to the bond and stock set-count of the complainant. Judge Pritchard says: "The court is of the from a culing by Standing Master Pritchard says: "The court is of the opinion that the defendants should be allowed all proper examination and investigation as to the amount and nature of such bonds and

CONTENTION ACCEDED TO. fendants that they be given an op-portunity to learn from the books and papers connected with the or-ganization of the Southern Railway Company what was paid for the stocks and bonds issued by if, and if any of the stocks and bonds of the company were maid for in con-It was the contention of the de the company were paid for in prop-erty instead of money, what the property so paid for them was warth, and to learn what the property of the Southern Railway cost. Judge Pritchard holds that the defendants shall have this opportunity.

Relative to the contention of counsel for the defendants that they should be allowed to examine the indexes of the books of the comindexes of the books of the com-plainant relating to disbursements and vouchers for the years beginning July 1st, 1995, and ending July 1st, 1967, the court, in holding that they shall inspect these indexes of books, mays:

County Suprems Court Sustains Lower Judiciary and a Special County Tax to Make Possible Four Months' Schoola is Declared Just and Constitutional—A Decision of Twenty Years Ago Swept Aside— Big Batch of Other Opinions Flied— Good-Bye to Trading Simupa,

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 16.-John litched, president of the United Mine Workers, announces in the current isus of the United Mine Workers joural that he will not be a candidate for election as president. He says in his announcement that he does not regard himself as well enough to at-tend properly to the office.

Wilkesbarre, Pa. Oct. 10.—The news from Indianapolis that John Mitcheil, president of the United Mine Workers of America, had announced that he will not be a candidate for re-election because of the state of his health, caused regret among the union mine workers and their sympathizers throughout the anthracite cour re-rions. The Supreme Court rendered a deant case. The State constitution reulres that all public schools must be kept open at least four months in sach year. The State has for several years made an annual appropriation to ald in this but has contended

ring, from Pender, no error; Collie vs. Commissioners, from Franklin, affirmed; Horton vs. H. A. Leroy, from Vance, affirmed; Swindell vs. Latham, from Beaufort, new trial; State vs. Toler, from Crayen, no error; State

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Raleigh, Oct. 10.

Toler, from Craven, no error; state vs. Dowdy, from Craven, no error; Pope vs. Telegraph Company, per curiam, affirmed; Bond vs. Edenton, from Chowan, appeal withdrawn; Brown vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway, from Cumberland, appeal dismissed by consent; Boyette vs. Southern Rail-way, from Johnston, appeal with-drawn; McNeill vs. S. A. L. Railway, from Roheson, appeal withdrawn; from Robeson, appeal withdrawn; Stanland vs. Raybon, from Brunswick, dismissed under rule 17; McNeill vs. dismissed under rule 17; McNeill vs. Tyler, from Robeson, dismissed under rule 17; Railroad vs. Gosslar, pa curiam, dismissed; Ross vs. S. A. L. Railway, from Robeson, per curiam, affirmed; Green vs. Williams, from Craven, per curiam, dismissed; Wes-cott vs. Smith, from Brunswick, per curiam, affirmed on authority; Walker ys. Carpenter, 144 N. C. and Bowser vs. Wescott at this term; Matthews vs. Lumber Company, from Sampson; vs. Lumber Company, from Sampson; per curiam, affirmed; Penny vs. Chap-

man, from New Hanover, per curiam,

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as other merchants.

EMPIRE STATE DAY. MRS. FAISON MADE PRESIDENT

Addresses zy Governor Hughes and President Schurman, of Corneil Uni-versity-A Brilliant Reception at the New York Building-The Weather Ideal.

Charlotte Lady Honored by Election to Head of State Division—The Daughters Decide to Build Me-morial Arch at Confederate Conc-tery at Raleigh, Each Chapter Contributing a Stone — Address Prepared by Col. William Bingham Read, as Are Several Reports— North Carolina Contributed Targe-by to Davis Monument at Rich-mond—Sessions End To-Day. Special to The Observer. Greensboro. Oct. 10.—At 10:30 the New York Building—The Weather Ideal. Norfolk, Va., Oct. 10.—Empire State Day was celebrated to-day at the Jamestown Exposition, addresses by Governor Hughes, of New York, and President Schurman, of Cornell University, being the features of the observance. The weather conditions were ideal

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tending Physician, the s-man Who Astonished th by the Boldness of Finan actions Which Wreeken Dies in Ohio Peninenti Been in a Comatose Co Greenspore, Oct. 19.—It is not an orainary thing for revenue officers to make an attack upon moonshiners in a city, but issi lugit a posse of United States officers had an encount-Been in a Comatoge Condition 1 Hours and Her End Was Procein Her Son, Endi Huover, Who I Been Sent Por, Expected to Arr at His Mother's Benside To-Day. er with a couple of desperate charac-ters in the way of distillers on Sum-Columbus, O., Oct. 10 .- Mrs. C

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DEATH FINDS HERE IN

must be in accordance with the terms adopted by the conference. This was agreed to. STEAMER FRITHJOF LOST. North Carolina contributed an address pre-barsd by Col. William Bingham, the agreed to a structure of a patriotic nature. STEAMER FRITHJOF LOST. and A. B. Spear, cashier of a na-tional bank at Oberlin, O., which had been substantially looted. Mrs. Chad-wick had obtained from this institution such large sums that it was comhandling pelled to close its doors, cau heavy losses to the depositors ruining many of them.

INDICATIONS OF MURDER.

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The Body of Miss Jennie L. Steven Formerly Organist in the Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church, Found Floating in Chicago River—Her Head, Face and Shoulders Were Cut and Bruised.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—The body of Miss Jennie L. Stevens, of 3921 Lang-ley avenue, formerly organist in the Wesley Methodist Episcopal church, was found floating in the Chicago river to-day near the Halsted street bridge. The head, face and shoulders were cut and bruised and there are other indications that the woman had been killed and therewn into the river. It is killed and thrown into the river. It is stilled and thrown into the river. It is known, however, that Miss Stevens has been for several months mentally unbalanced because of her brooding over the murder of Mrs. Bessle Hollis-ter, for which Richard Ivens was hanged last year. Miss Stevens was a warm friend of Mrs. Hollister, and had been greatly depressed approximate

SECOND PAY U. D. C. MEET

MAY INSPECT INDEXES OF BOOKS

"After argument of counsel and a careful consideration of the matr, the court is of opinion that the defendants should be afforded an op-portunity, in the presence the master, to inspect the indexes of the books of complainant relating to the disbursements and vouchers pertinent to the issue involved in this controversy, for the years beginning July 1st, 1905, and ending July 1st, 1907, notwithstanding the fact that it ap-pears from the record that they have already made an examination of the books which contain the disbursements for the years mentioned and had before them all of the vouchers which references were made in the indexes. The court is of the opinion that defendants' counsel in making this application have not complied with the rule, and as a mat-ter of legal right are not entitled to an inspection of the indexes in question; but inasmuch as counsel defendants insist that there cannot be a thorough and complete examination of all items pertinent to

this inquiry without the aid of the indexes, the defendants will there-fore be allowed to examine the in-dexes herein before referred to, subject to the limitations fixed by the master with respect to the examina-tion of the books containing a record of disbursements for the years mentioned."

OTHER EXCEPTIONS WITHOUT MERIT.

court then disposes of the exceptions to the master's other exceptions to the master's ruling, which includes the one rela-tive to an examination of books and vouchers prior to June 20th, 1905, in the following language: "The court has carefully considered the other exceptions that have been made to the rulings of the master and is of the opinion that they are without merit and the same are therefore overruled."

Judge Pritchard's opinion ends with a request that the standing master advise the court at the earliest possible moment as to the date when his final report can be submitted.

# The Standing Master's Ruling Sus

By Associated Press

Asheville, Oct. 10.-In the United ates Court here to-day Judge itchard rendered his decision sustaining the ruling of Standing Mas-ter Montgomery in refusing to al-low the State's attorneys in the rallway rate case hearing to investi-gate the books of the Southern Railway prior to June 36th, 1995. The court says that the exceptions to be ruing of the standing master are without merit and are therefore overruled. The appeal of the de-fendants was argued last Saturday by counsel and since then Judge Pritchard has had the matter Pritchard has had the matter under consideration.

## VESSELS TO CHANGE CREWS.

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Mohile, Ala., Oct. 10 .in the Central American fruit. will, it is said, in the next fey reeks, replace their Norwegian crew with Chinamen. About 50 per cent of these steamers are chartered from these steamers are chartered from orwegian owners, who, it is said, ave concluded that owing to the un-thisfactory labor of their country-en, their unreliability, intemperate abits and the increasing number of mertions, partly on account of inter-rence of boarding house runners, by will no longer employ them. Each hip will sign probably 35 mer. almed her personal exer the total number of Chinese The complaints in these filed late fils afternoon.

Thirty-ninth street and H Hogbaum informed the police to-day that while they were talking a man who overheard the conversation stopped and offered to show Miss Stevens the way and they walked off together. The watch of Miss Stevens and other jewelry was on her person when the body was taken from the river. The autopsy showed that death was caused by drowning and Coroner's Physician Ringhart declared that Miss chants' Association, J. B. Pearce, of the Raleigh association and others. Trading stamps were denounced by Stevens had committed suicide.

DEALING WITH LABOR

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At the Closing of the American Boller Manufacturers' Association in At-lanata, It Was Decided to Units in Fighting Unjust Demands of Or-ganized Labor. pany, of High Point, is chartered, to build lines in Guilford, Davidson, Randolph and Forsyth countles. A charter is granted the Realty &

Securities, Co., of Hendersonville, capital stock \$5,000. Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 10 .- At the clos ng session of the American Boller The sales by the Raleigh liquor dispensary for the three months ended September 30th aggregated Manufacturers' Association this afteron, one of the important questions as that of dealing with organized \$67,473. It was decided to unite in CLEVELAND A VERY SICK MAN. fighting the unjust demands of these mployes

The Ex-President of the Nation But a Captain Thomas M. Rees, of Pitts Shadow of His Former Self-Acate Indigestion Sapping His Vitality-His Friends Anxious About His Conburg: Cole D. Moler, New York; H. J. Hartley, Cramp Shipbuilding Co., Philadelphia; J. D. Farasey, Cleveland; M. A. Ryan, Buluth, and John J. Finegan, Atlanta, took part in the dition. Special to The Observer.

iscussion. Jersey City, N. J., Oct. 10.-Leaning association also declared on w cane and seemingly just able to ainst what is designated as unjust limp, Grover Cleveland, accompanied intenference of government inspec-tors and mechanichi engineers who by Mrs. Cleveland and a woman whose charged with acting as attorneys identity could not be learned, passes

and in legal alvisory capacities with through Jersey City shortly after 9 purchasers to the detriment of the o'clock this morning. Mr. Cleveland business of the manufacturers. The convention ended with a banquet tolooked just the shadow of his former self and a very sick man. The Cleveland train came in from

### THREE MEN KILLED BY DERRICK Princeton over the Pennsylvania Rail-

The Accident Caused by an Eleven road and arrived in Jersey City at 9:10 Ton Girder Becoming Unbalanced, Also Seriously Wounds Several Otha. m. After the passengers had almost all left the train shed, Mr. Cleve-

Cleveland, O., Oct. 10 .- Three men and came up the train platform on were killed and several others the arm of Mrs. Cleveland. He leanriously hurt; two of whom are thought ed heavily on a stout cane, and was to be fatally, by the falling of a der-rick to-day, where a new bridge is scarce able to limp along. For years being crected for the New York, Chi-Mr. Cleveland has used the Pennsylvania Railroad on his trips to New

being spectra for the New York. Chi-cage and St. Louis Railway company, over the Cuyahoga river. The dead: F. T. BEAHL, of Conneaut. O., trainmaster of the eastern division of the Nickel Plate road. J. S. TATES. Cleveland, superin-tendent in charge of the work.

ALBERT FURRER, a watchman,

ed at his altered appearance. The former President, it is suid, is suffering from acute indigestion and this, combined with his advanced age and disregard of his doctors orders, makes his friends feel very anxious about his condition levelanl. The fatally injured: Joseph Constetter, a watchman, and one other whose name was not obbout his condition.

Former Pre sident Clev - New York. The names of those less seriously injured also are lacking at this time.

Princeton, N. J., Dot. 10,-For first time since his recent illness, i mer President Grover Cleveland While lifting an 11-ton girder it be-came unbalanced and knocked the day was able to go to New York The purpose of Mr. Cleveland's is understood to be private bus He will return to Princeton to-mo derrick over upon the men below.

York, and the majority of the station-

masters know him. They were shock-

Suits Brought Against Seven Durham Merchants, afternoon.

cial to The Obs Special to The Observer. Durham, Oct. 10.—Mrs. Octa D. Thomas has brought suit against sev-en merchants for damages in the sum of \$5,000 for each defendant. Some time ago Mrs. Thomas, who had a boarding house here, went to Balti-more on a business trip, and during her absence a number of creditors swooped down on her furniture and had attachment papers served. Mrs. Thomas then hurried back here and claimed her personal exemption. She LOSES HIS EVESIGHT

an Eye Being Put Out.

High Point, Oct. 10. a deplorable ac he Globe Home Furniture Ce lant and as a result one of ratives will lose his aye. out, an employe in the partment, in atten business and personal damages in seven suits. The defendants are: Trakas & Co., M. Sflevel, T. M. Steph-It with a stick got the in some way and it flow . struck him in the eye. brought up town at once to can's office and received medical treatment. The ph ens & Co., C. E. Jourdan, A. A. Thacker, W. T. Shepherd and the Durham Wood, Coal & Lumber Co nints in these cases were at the young m

At a large meeting of the -Retail Merchants' Association to-night it was decided to eliminate trading stamps The Arctic Vessel Was Hon Bound, and Having Been Damaged by Ice, Was Unable to Withstand and rebate checks as premiums. All merchants present, even those not members of the association, agreed Encountered Storm Off Cape Lan -The Captain and 15 of Her to discontinue the use of these after Crew Drowned. Copenhagen, Oct. 10.-The Arctic steamer Frithjof, which accompanied November 15th. The meeting was addressed by Mayor James I. Johnson, Mr. Norman H. Johnson, general counsel of the North Carolina Merthe Wellman Chicago Record-Herald

SLICK POSTAL ROBBERY

Oct.

Richmond, Va.,

made by a number of the individual chapters, and a number of personal subscriptions were also made. expedition to Spitzbergen was lost off WILL BUILD MEMORIAL ARCH. Cape Langanes, Iceland, October 5th. The captain and 15 of the crew were Probably the most important topic discussed during the whole session was that of the erection at drowned. The engineer clung to a plank on which he drifted ashore. The Frithjof was homeward bound

Raleigh of a memorial arch over to Norway, having been damaged by the gateway leading into the Conice and consequently was unable to federate Cemetery at that place, withstand a storm which she encount- The organization has decided to build such an arch, and yesterday several hundred dollars were subscribed for ered off Cape Langanes.

New York, Oct. 10.-The Arctic the support of the movement. Each steamer Frithjof, which was lost with chapter also pledged itself to con-her captain and 15 of her crew off tribute a minimum amount of \$20 Cape Langanes on October 5th was for the memorial, and in case the regarded as the real veteran of the chapters cannot raise the sum them-Arctic exploration service. She had selves they will be instructed to call been under charter many times in upon the county to help them in Arctic work and was the most widely known of all the Norwegian steamers engaged in similar enterprises. The stone to be contributed by each ersengaged in similar enterprises. The stone to be contributed by each Frithjof was used by the expedition chapter in the division, with the

Frithjof was used by the expedition chapter in the division, with the and both men began firing, mean-sent out in 1901 by William Ziegler name of the chapter inscribed upon to search for the North Pole, as a the rock. The matter was left in lower limbs, while Tow's wounds are companion ship of the steamer Ameri-ca, and after returning three years later went back on what proved to to it that each chapter contributes ister went back on what proved to to it that each chapter contributes ister went back on what proved to it th be an unsuccessful attempt to carry a stone. Miss Sue Kirkman, of the Normal to what relief to the party aboard the Ameri-

The Sum of \$3,000 Taken From

Registered Package Scat From Richmond to a North Carolina Point and a Newspaper Skillfully Substituted—An Employe Suspecttion was most gladly received by the daughters in convention, and a rising vote of thanks was returned. From 1 to 2 o'clock the delegates

were the guests of the local chapter at luncheon served in the Smith Me-morial Building. The smoothest robbery of the United MRS. FAISON ELECTED PRESI-States postoffice which has taken pla-

DENT. At 2 o'clock the convention again

went into session, only one hour being given for luncheon as there was so much work waiting to be done dur. Thomason was arrested on the charge ing the afternoon session. As soon of slander. Mrs. Will Garner is the as the session convened the house prosecuting witness and the matter turned to the election of State officera which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. I. W. Falson, of Charlotte: first ple. vice president, Mrs. R. F. Dalton, of Greensboro: second vice president, Mrs. M. S. Willard, of Wilmington; third vice president, Mrs. G. P. Er-derford. It has been talked for the case for the past ten days and a suspected employe has been put through the third degree, but no arrests have yet been made. The robbery was the work of a expert, for the papers placed in the envelope were the exact weight and size of the bills that had been placed there by the bank officials in the presence of a government clerk and a representative of an insurance com-

a portrait of Gen. Julian S. Carr was presented to the convention, the speech of presentation being made by

Mr. Charles M. Stedman,

Mr. Charles M. Stedman, This evening from 8:30 until 12 o'clock the delegates and members of the Greensboro chapter were the guests of Mrs. C. M. Vanstory at a reception given at her home on North Elm street. Something like three hundred ladies were at the reception, which has rarely if ever been en d in Greensh

CONVENTION ENDS TO-DAY.

morrow morning At 10:30 will be held the the delegates are expected to remain wer until Splurday morning. The sature of to-morrow's proceedings feature of to-morrows proceed will be the elaborate reception at State Normal and Industrial Colle it is thought that at the more hat at the morning finite steps will be ession some Jefinite then toward the settle the convention.

address being of a patriofic nature. In concluding the reading of the deal of trouble. Both are the police officers here-Brame retailing and Vickers for an affray. They have been arrested several morial be made by the Daughters to the memory of George Davis, in times before and always gave the ofthe way of an educational building ficers no little trouble in Pledge them after arrested. for the support of the movement were TWO MEN SHOT AND MAY DIE.

Brothers-in-Law at Ward's Gap. Va. While Partly Drunk, Have a Quarrel About Domestic Affairs Both Are Wounded Badly.

Special to The Observer, Mount Airy, Oct. 10,-News has just reached this city of a desperate shooting scrape near Ward's Gap,

Va., several miles from Mount Airy, in which two men were probably fatally wounded. The men, are fatally wounded. Sydney Tow. They quarreled Sunday morning over family affairs, McMil-lan accusing Tow of abusing his the time of the trial, falled steadily

extended to the convention a hearty invitation to be the guests of the col-lege to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at an afternoon tea. The invita-under the influence of light

has stirred the entire community, in-

volving a number of prominent peo-It is charged that Thomason and Mrs. M. S. Willard, of Wilmington; character of Mrs. Garner and Dr. San-third vice president, Mrs. G. P. Er-derford. It has been talked for seve win; of Morganton; recording secre-eral days, and Dr. Sanderford is up tary, Mrs. F. M. Williams, of Newton (re-elected); corresponding secretary, Mrs. Gordon Finger, of Charlotte; registrar, Mrs. Leo Heartt, of Ra-diago; treasurer, Miss Alice Nelson, of Greensboro; historian, Miss. Rehecca Cameron, of Hillsboro (re-elected); assistant historian, Mrs. W. O. Shan-non, of Henderson (re-elected). Following the election of officers a portrait of Gen Julian & Carr was

CHILD DROWNED IN BUCKET.

Two-Year-Old Baby Falls Headfor most Into Water in Bucket a Was Dead Before It Could J

Special to The Observer

Greensboro, Oct. 10 .- The news of distressing accident, which hapa distressing accident, which append in the eastern part of the county yesterday afternoon, wa brought to the city late last nigh by parties from the locality. The little 2-year-old child of Mr. Charli Starr, a farmer in that part of the county while playfire in a room by county, while playing in a ro and fell hendfor headforemost into around which it of water

iready been dead a

WRECKED TWO LIVES.

Mrs. Chadwick, Beckwith and Spean were indicated for a variety of of-fenses against the national banking laws. Beckwith died before coming to trial. Spear plead guilty, was sen tenced to seven years in the penitentlary and is now serving time at Co-

lumbus, O. Mrs. Chadwick was trial March 6, 1905, and after a hearing which lasted two weeks, Was found guilty of conspiracy to defraud brothers-in-law-Orvill McMillan and a national bank, and was sentenced

lan accusing Tow of abusing his the time of the trial, falled steadily wife. In the afternoon the men met after its conclusion. Mrs. Chadwick again, Tow in the meantime having left one son, Emil Hoover, born of borrowed, a shotgun. He was ob-

again, Tow in the meantime having borrowed, a shotgun. He was obtaserved by McMillan as he approached, and McMillan secared his own gun and both men began firing. McMillian was shot in the stomach and hower limbs, while Tow's wounds are in the shoulders and neck. Both men are dangerously wounded and may die of their wounds. The attribute of their wounds. The attribute of their wounds. The attribute of their wounds are to what would be the result. Time will hardly recover. Repart stays whiskey cut a considerable figure in the row, as both men were under the influence of liquwr.
SENSATION AT CREEDMOOR.
The Granville County Town Stirred Up Over a Siander Suit, Many Promiaent People Being Involved, It is Said.
Spetial to The Observer.
Durham, Oct. 10.—A decided sensation at Creedmoor, Granville county reached a climax to-day when Thomas Thomason was arrested on the charge of shonder. Mrs. Will Garner is the
Tor DROPS DEAD ON STREET.

TOT DROPS DEAD ON STREET.

Was Returning Home From Sch When She Was Stricken Downly 6 Years Old.

Special to The Observer

Salisbury, Oct. 10.-While going home from school to-day about o'clock little Lella Jordan, a pupi tary, Mrs. F. M. Williams, of Newton in arms and furnishing money for the first grade, fell dead on the (re-elected); corresponding secretary, prosecution of those who have been streets about two blocks from the of the first grade, fell dead on the streets about two blocks from the school. The child was but 6 years registrar, Mrs. Leo Heartt, of Ra- The case is set for trial before Justrouble she did not show it and i was never known. She attend exercises and left in perfect at 1 o'clock. Nothing could have

been more unexpected than her death. The bright little girl was carried from the streets into the residence of Mr. D. M Miller and efforts were made to restore her. She died shortly after her fall to the street before physician reached her. The takin away of the sweet little creature the suddest occurrence yet registere in the life of the school.

MISSIONARY CONFERE

dymens Meeting to Be Held in Chat-tanoora in April Will Be Incgely At-tended.

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CLAUDE JAMES CONVICTED.

etial to The Observer. Winston-Salem, Oct. 10,-After de

Winston-Salem, Oct. 10.—After de-ineration for three hours the Supe-or Court jury at 4:30 o'clock, this fermoon brought in a verdict of alliy of manslaughter against Claude ames, the young white man who kill-1 Jilley Smith, colored, in the north-rn part of the city on the night of went of the last. Sentence will be

ust 17th, last. d at to-morrow n e court. The State contender verdict of murder in the fir

while the counsel. of self-defense

case was begun in of witnesses was r ic this afternoon

in this section for many years land alighted from a forward coach to light to-day when it became known that a registered package containing \$2,000, sent by the Bank of Richm to a correspondent in North Carol ad been robbed and a newspaper. stituted for the bills. Governm ant detectives have been working hard on

