## STREET CARS FOR GOLDSBORO.

plication For a Franchise is Ap plied For by a Raieigh Man-schools of the City Crowded. ctal 10 The Observer.

Goldsboro, March 34.-The people of Geldsboro are very much elated over the prospects of having a street car line in the near future, since the cation for a franchise was made by Mr. Oliver, of Raleigh, for a syncleate engaged in that kind of busi-The business men throughout the city seem to be in favor of granting a franchise, but not without certain conditions. They feel that it ought to profit by the experience of other towns and not the themselves up so that a very short line from the depot, say, to the business part of town, might be the condition for years to come. Therefore, a limited number of miles will be decided upon as well as a definite time in which to complete the system. With an up-to-date union depot in one end of town and one of the finest high school buildings in North Carolina in the other end and a street car system connecting them, Goldsboro may be expected to show great progress in

the future. At a recent meeting of the school board the building committee instructed to put double hinges on all recltation room doors in the public hools so as to allow them to open both ways, and to change the hinges on all outside doors so as to swing out instead of in as they do now. This precaution was taken despite the fact that a systematic fire drill is practiced at the schools by which the large central building can be emptied in less than one minute.

Although it is generally understood that with the spring months many of the pupils in the public schools, especially in the high school, stop school, this is not the experience of Goldshoro. In fact the schools now are more crowded than they have been before this year and the enrollment is far greater than ever before in the history of the school. The attendtoo, is entirely satisfactory, ance, there having been only about thirty tardles for the entire school for the month of February.

### MOORESVILLE NEWS ITEMS.

Baptist Minister Called to Bedside of Dying Sister-New Place

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Special to The Observer.

Moorewille, March 24.-The Roy-all Theatre Company, composed of prominent business men of this town, wfil open up a place of amusement in the building recently vacated by Mr. J. W. Butler, seconded the nomination of ex-

Mr. C. G. Wells, pastor of the Baptist church here, was called unexpectedly to the bedside of his sister, Mrs. H. M. Carlton, of Duplin county, who was reported as dying, late Sunday afternoon.

The car of Cuban exhibits that was sidetracked here Friday was visited several hundred citizens of Mooresville, and about 500 school children. The car left Monday for Winston-Salem.

Mr. Charles Evans, of this place, has purchased the Sam Brown property at Shepherds, both farm and store, and moved his family there Saturday.

Rev. R. L. Stanford, pastor of the First Methodist church at Lexington. arrived to-day to take charge of the

Not His Nomination at Denver, But His Election-The National Party Will Not Support the Nebraskan in Any Event, According to the Hearst Men-Hearst Convention to Be Held in Chicago About July Site W. A. Barbee, of Chatham County. special to The Obs

HEARST OUT TO BEAT BRYAN.

over the situation.

and Mr. Bryan's public utterances, but it was intimated very strongly

yesterday by those in the confidence of Mr. Hearst that Mr. Bryan's re-

cent political propositions will not have the support of Mr. Hearst and

Durham, March 24.--W. A. Bar-bee, who was born in 1814 and was therefore, in his 94th year of ago, died at his home in Chatham county, New York Sun. 23d.

some fourteen miles from Durham, this morning. He had been in de-The Hearst people, it was said yea-terday, have about made up their minds to hold their national con-vention of the National party (the clining has the for some time and old age and a complicated trouble caused his death. The funeral will take National Independence League) at Chicago on or about July 21st. at place from Mount Pisgah church to-lst. morrow at noon and the burial will There are four cities under con-sideration-Boston, New York, Chi-cago and San Francisco-but in all probability Chicago will be selected. As to Mr. Hearst's official an-nouncement that the National party would not sensori Theology Bostobe in the graveyard at that church, this being the family burying place. Mr. Earbee was twice married and he is survived by his second wife, who was a Miss Beavers, one son, Rufus Barbee, and one daughter, Mrs. Anne Scott. These live in Chatwould not support Theodore Roose-velt, William J. Bryan or Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, It is now known definitely that the Hearstites ham county. He was an uncle of Rev. A. P. Barbee, pastor of the Christian church in this city, and the are determined first, last and all the time to defeat Bryan at the polls in November should Bryan be nomi-nated at Denver. There has never been a settlement of the differences between Mr. Hearst and Mr. Bryan. grandfather of W. J. Scott, also of Durham.

THE DEATH RECORD.

Mr. Barbee spent practically all of his long and honored life in this sec-tion of the State. He assisted in furnishing material for the erection of Mr. Bryan on his recent visits to New York City has called on Mr. the State Capitol Building, having hauled much of the cement used, Hearst, but Mr. Hearst has not been responsive. It was said yesterday this coming from Petersburg, Va. that when Mr. Bryan comes here again on April 10th to tour the State,

John Franklin Sherrill, of Iredell County.

on the eve of the Democratic State convention at Carnegie Hall on April 14th, he will again call on Mr. Hearst for the purpose of talking Special to The Observer. Troutman, March 24.--Mr. John Franklin Sherrill, a prominent far-mer aged 45, died at his home near

The Bryan people, it was learned Saturday afternoon and Was yesterday from those who have dis-cussed this Bryan-Hearst situation with both Mr. Bryan and Mr. Hearst, feel that Mr. Hearst has buried Sunday at Rocky Mount Graveyard. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. T. B. Johnston and the remains were interred with been altogether too conservative in his recent public speeches and utter-ances. Mr. Hearst and his friends the honors of the Jr. O. U. A. M. The deceased leaves a wife and four children. have not as yet given public ex-pression to their views on Mr. Bryan

Mrs. J. A. White, of Mooresville, pecial to The Observer.

Mooresville, March 24 .- Mrs. J. A White, who suffered a severe stroke of paralysis last Friday, died at her home to-day at 12 o'clock. She had

his party. Another matter was brought up, the old story of Mr. Hearst's enthusi-astic support of Mr. Bryan in 1896 and 1800 and of Mr. Bryan's refusal entertained for her recovery. She was about 70 years old, and leaves a husband and two children.

for the presidential nomination in the national convention of 1904. The Hearst people say that their chieftain in that convention was a place. Mrs. W. A. Thomasson, of Franklin

Special to The Observer. candidate for the nomination; that Salisbury, March 24.-Mrs. W. A. Thomasson, of Franklin, died at an Mr. Bryan was not a candidate, and

that he should have repaid the loyalty of Mr. Hearst in 1896 and 1960 by doing all in his power to early hour this morning. Deceased, who was about 35 years old, had been ill for some time but not so bring about Mr. Hearst's nomination. seriously as to make her friends be-lieve the end would come so soon.

TWENTY HURT IN WRECK. REPORTED AGREEMENT DENIED Blue Grass Special Train on Queen & Crescent Runs- Into a Special Freight-One Man Dies of His In-juries.

Micials of Society of Equity Say It Was "Made of Whole Cloth." While Others Affirm It—Elther Way the Situation Has No Bearing on the "Night Riding" Outrages.

Others Affrem H.—Either Way the Struction Has No Bearing on the "Night Ridding" Outrages. Cincinnal, O., March 24.—While American Tobacco Company and the executive committee of the society of equity 1st denied by Clarence Lebus and G. A. Brooks, respectively pre-ident and secretary of the will be the society of equity, it is tobacco hoard of control of the society of equity, it is neverthese to the difference of the foreign train. No. 616, at Curdville crossing, between Burgin members of the American Society of that the reported agreement is not that the reported agreement is not the committee of the society of equity received word from the American To-tive committee of the society of equity received word from the American To-take in view of the society of equity received word from the American To-take in view of the society of equity received word from the American To-take in view of the society of equity to constant the company would buy the societ of the society of equity the was sworn to secrecy. The reported for duty. When the Blue Grass special reached Burgin dopot there was no arder and the raise no crop this year the commit-te was sworn to secrecy. The reported for duty. When the burley board of control bays herein of the consideration to the American for both the situation is discred to the consideration to the American for both the situation is discred to the consideration to the American for both the structure for the same pro-to the consideration to the American for both due to part 1908' idea as part of the consideration to the American man ar proported for duty. When the Blue Grass special reached Burgin dopot there was no arder and the train rushed of the fact the while burley districts and has no relation to the dark tobacco districts in with the work of the night riding outrages thave taken place. Lexington, Ky., March 24 .- Twen-

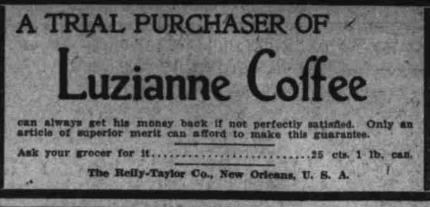
Elk Coal Mining Company Files Peti-tion Against Coal & Coke Railway and Davis Colliery Company Al-leging Discrimination and Conmost of the night riding outrages have taken place. NEWS SURPRISES LOUISVILLE. spiracy.

NEWS SURPRISES LOUISVILLE. Purported Agreement Between Trust and Society of Equity Received With Incredulity—Extent of the Burley Tobacco Region. Louisville, Ky., March 24.—News that an agreement had been reached between the American Tobacco Combetween the American Tobacco Com-pany and the society of equity was received on the tobacco breaks here to-day with surprise and incredulity. The purported settlement price was all the more surprising because all the burley growers expected to re-ceive was 15 cents for the two crops, which the American Tobacco Com-ceive has a surprised to re-ceive has a surprised to re-tet has a surpri pany, operating two mines on the Coal & Coke Railway, filed a petition which the American Tobacco Com- which the American Tobacco Control
pany refused some time ago to pay. The light or burley tobacco dis W. A. trict covers fifty-five counties in
at an Kentucky, several in Ohio and two
eased, or three in West Virginia. The
had region in Kentucky is in the northern praying that the defendants be en-joined from discriminating against Joined from discriminating against the Elk Coal Company or in favor of the Davis Colliery Company, or from refusing to deliver at its mines its full share of cars owned by the railroad, and that the railroad give the Elk Coal Company the same service accorded to the Davis Col-liery Company. The petitioner al-leges that since August, 1908, it has lost the market for 156.009 tons of lost the market for 150,000 tons of coal which could have been produced fourteen counties in western Ken-tucky and several in Tennessee. The product of this district is nearly all taken for export.

## WHOLESALE MEN JOIN IN.

The Fight For Freight Rates Grows More Powerful, Wholesale Merch-ants Giving Their Ald. Special to The Observer.

Durham, March 24.-The wholesale merchants of Durham are now into white burley district has been this State and to put down, if pos-brought about through a formal agreement reached between the practiced against North Carolina and practiced against North Carolina and American Tobacco Company and the in favor of Virginia. This was decid-ed upon at a meeting of the Durham revival to be held in the Methodist church here this week. DRURY LANE THEATRE BURNS. The Most Famous Playhouse in Eng-in the World a Prey to Flames-No Loss of Life. Londen, March 25.—Drury Lane Therefore and to infection, and last, but not Therefore and the state and therefore and the state and the



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Prominent English Engineer, Inter-e ted in North Carolina Mines, Dies While on Route From Morganton to England.

It was stated most emphatically yesterday by those in Mr. Hearst's confidence that while he would not raise a hand to defeat Bryan's nomination at Denver he would use every means at his command to de-

disease here to-day. He was on his way from Morganton, N. C., where he was interested in a mining property, to England, and was to have sailed from New York on the Cedric on Thursday. As a mining engineer he executive committee of the Society was identified with Alfred Beit and of Equity in a conference at Win-Thursday. As a mining engineer he

Bryan refused aid and support She was the daughter of Mr. A. E. Lentz, of Salisbury. the nomination of Garden-sass Cockrell, of CAPT. F. G. MAYNE DEAD. Missouri, who had no more chance for the nomination than a feather

Diseases to Which They Are Especial-Doctors as a class are more subject to illness than their fellow-men, and their expectancy of life is less

region in Kentucky is in the hormeral and central part of the State. This district is the only place in the world where this class, of tobacco is grown. The weed is used in the manufacture of the finer grades of both chewing and smoking tobacco. The dark tobacco district embraces fourties counties in western Ken-

Philadelphia, March 24 .--- Captain F. G. Mayne, formerly of the British Trust and Society of Equity Reach an Agreement and the Night Riders Are Left Without a Voca-Royal Engineers and a nephew of Admiral Richard Mayne, died of heart tion-Big Interests Were at Stake Cincinnati, O., March 24 .- An end

# Louisville, Ky., March 24.—News that an agreement had been reached between the American Tobacco Com-pany and the society of equity was received on the tobacco breaks here to-day with surprise and increduilty. been very ill since Christmas, and since last Friday no hopes had been to aid Mr. Hearst in his candidacy Miss Ada and Charles White, of this

Theatre, one of the most famous in London, was completely destroyed by fire early this morning. The whole interior of the theatre was destroyed and the outside walls were badly damaged. The flames were first disdamaged. covered about 4 o'clock in the morn-ing bursting from the windows of the building. It was then too late to save the structure, which burned fiercely, despite all efforts of the fire brigade.

There was no loss of life. The theatre had been closed since the pantomime season ended. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Drury Lane Theatre was first op-ened in 1663, burned in 1672 and reopened in 1674 with addresses by Dryden, who extelled its advantages in location. The burning of the third theatre on the sits took place in February 24th, 1809. It was in the famous Drury Lane that Garrick Kean, the Kembles and Mrs. Siddons used to act.

MELONS GROWING UNDER COVER therefore, that the narcotic habit is

California Gardener's Plan to Get an Early Crop of Cantaloupes. Brawing Correspondence Los Angeles

Peter D. Fedrick, a landscape gardener, florist and nurseyman, has started a series of experiments in veg-

etable growths in the Imperial Val-ley, which seems likely to prove val-At Brawley one of Fedick's achive-

ments is the growing of cantaloupe vines under muslin canoples so that they will have two or three weeks advantage over the plants grown in the ordinary way. These cantaloupes are on a six acra tract directly adjoining the town of Brawley on the north. The cantaloupes are planted in the usual manner, so far as hilling and

dem away. Mr. Fedrick cost i that these protectors will cost only a statut eight cents each. pelens have responded to the thus engendered and tion from the winds and

The plants are now on an av-o of two inches high and look of and thrifty. If the plan en all that is hoped for it paxt

and to infection, and last, but not least, in the scanty remuneration South. which his labor too often brings him. The combined, influences of all Archie arrived at the White House these to-day on their Easter vacation, and Theodore, Jr., is expected to-morrow. The Mayflower is at Vicksburg to causes is sufficient to undermine the strongest constitution long before a man has reached the limit of three-score and ten. A comparison take the White House party aboard for a trip on the Mississippi river. of tables compiled by statisticians in different countries gives doctors an average of fifty-seven years at death.

Malaria Makes Pale Blood. The Old Standard GROVES' TASTELESS CHILL TONIC drives out malaria and builds up the sys-tem. For grown people and chil-dren, 50c. Doctors as a class are especially liable to certain diseases. Setting aside affections due to exposure and infection, the practice of medicine levies a disproportionate tribute from

its professors in the form of diseases of the cardio-vascular and nervous systems. Angina pectoris has been called the "doctor's disease," neu-rasthenia deserves to be ranked in the

Does This Suit You? English-McLarty Co., the enter-prising Druggists of Charlotte, are having such a large run on "HINDI-PO." the new Kidney Cure and Nerve Tonic, and hear it so highly praised that they now offer to guarsame category, and severer forms of neurosis are, as might be expected, common among men whose profession compels them to live at the highest tension, both of brain and nerve It is scarcely to be wondered at

so common among doctors. After all. what shortens the doctor's life is over-work, mental and bodily strain manifesting itself at the point of least re-

inder positive guarantee.

TRAMP KILLS CONDUCTOR.

Hobo Who Was Put Off Charleston & Western Carolina Train Takes Summary Vengeance — Conductor Wings His Assailant as He Falls.

Augusta, Ga., March 24 .- An of-cial report received at the offices of icial the Charleston & Western Carolina Railroad states that Conductor C. D. Railroad states that conductor c. b. Swink, in charge of a combination train between Anderson and Mc-Cormick, S. C., was shot to death this afternoon near Lowndesville by

a tramp by the name of Brock. Swink caught Brock beating a usual manner, so far as hilling and spacing are concerned, but over each hill there is stretched a camopy of white muslin about the size of a man's pocket handkerchief. Two arched wires are used, crossed over the melon hill somewhat like the cen-tre wicket in a crossed over the ends of these wires are sewed to the corners of the muslin squares and the wires are then thrust firmly into the ground as is to secure the canopies and prevent the wind blow-marks that these protectors will cost

Conductor's Murderer Dies."

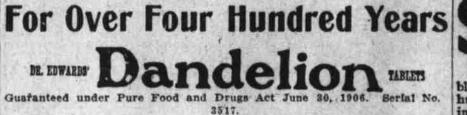
Columbia, S. C., March 24 ---- A spec-lal to The State from Abbertile to-night says that John Breck, the An-derson man who was wounded by Conductor C. D. Swink before he fell

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Thursday night for a trip through the South. Miss Ethel, Theodore, Jr., Miss Ethel, Kermit, Archie and Quentin Roosevelt will accompany her. Kermit and

TOBACCO WAR ENDS.

fight for better rates. There is now and has always been a great deal of interest in this matter. It is one that Mr. J. A. Porter, of Biltmore, arrived in the city Monday to spend a 1ew days with Mrs. Porter, who is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moseley.



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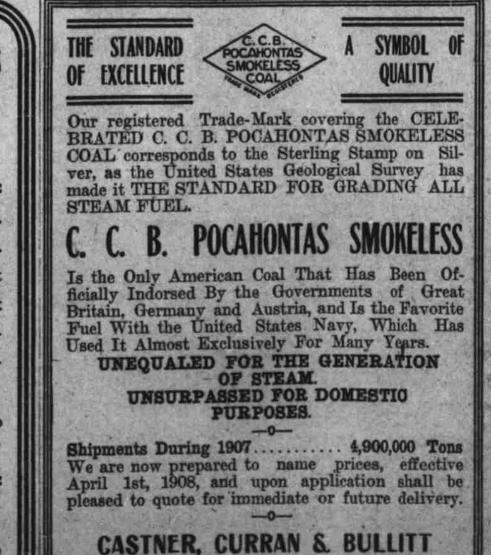
praised that they now oner to guar-antee it in every case to cure all forms of Kidney Troubles and Nervous Disorders. They pay for ft if it does not give you entire satisfaction. If you use it, it is their risk, not yours. A 50-cent box sent by mail (Call for Free Trial Package) (Call for Free Trial Package).

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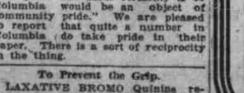


Itching, disfiguring eruptions, rashes, boils, etc., as well as pimples black-heads and rough, scaly skin, show the presence of some irritating humor in the blood. These acids and humors with which the blood is infected are being constantly thrown off through the pores and glands of the skin, and the flesh is kept in an inflamed, diseased and unsightly con-dition. Nothing applied externally can change the condition of the blood or prevent the outflow of these burning acids; only constitutional treatment can do this. Washes, salves, lotions, etc., cannot reach the humor-laden can do this. Washes, salves, lotions, etc., cannot reach the humor-haden blood, and are therefore useless, except for the temporary comfort and clean-liness they afford. The acid poison in the blood must be removed before a cure can be effected. S. S. S. is a real blood purifier, possessing all the requirements necessary to neutralize and remove the humors from the circu-lation. It completely eradicates every trace of impurity and restores this vital fluid to its natural healthy state. S. S. S. cools the acid-heated blood so that instead of pouring out acrid matter on the skin, it feeds and nour-ishes it with health-sustaining properties, and then the eruptions and diseases of the skin pass away. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice free. THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.. ATLANTA, GA.



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