OHARLOTTE DAILY OBSERVER, APRIL 8, 1908.

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orts of complications are said to xist on account of the relative ositions of the city and the railroad. German. He is the smallest Mason and Elk in the world and belongs to numerous other fraternal organizaorts of This is one of the perptexities polititions. With him is Al Grady, There is also one physical, is none the less monumental, hole is of such propertion and The in such condition as to make the task of abelishing it an undertaking of vast consequence. A rough esti-mate of the amount of dirt necessary to fill the hole to a level is 250,000 cubic yards, or as many loads. Averaging the value of a load at 20 cents, it becomes plain that the city would have to expend as much as \$50,000 to do this work. In addition to this mammoth expense, the hole in such condition as to make the task of abelishing it an undertaking

550,000 to do this work. In addition to this mammoth expense, the hole contains water to the depth of 25 feet or more, which must be drained before the work of filling begins. These figures represent the vastness of the physical undertaking which end of this nuisance. The board of health, of course, did pot deal in estimates of the cost of the say that all the original mot deal in estimates of the cost of the say that all the original before the work of filling begins.

The board of health, of course, did not deal in estimates of the cost of the work. Its province was only to take action upon it as a recom-mendatory body, whose duty it is is supervise the sanitation of the com-munity. The members all agreed that the filthy condition of the com-munity. The members all agreed that the filthy condition of the hole as it now stands was unsanitary, as well as dangerous to the physicat welfare of passersby. A misstep on the part of man, woman er child, or animal lingering thereabouts, of ne-cessity or of curiosity, would mean instant death. It is pertiment in this connection to be reminded of the fact that the

It is pertinent in this connection to be reminded of the fact that the property-owners in that neighbor-hood have instituted a test suit against the Southern for the maintenance of this hole, alleging that it is a peril to the public health of the community. The liftgation may eventuate in making the city 4 co-defendant, and if the case is won by Mr. R. C. McManus, the plaintiff, who is merely testing the law on this neighbors will institute similar suits. So may the situation result in a beavy loss of money on the part of



"BUSTER BROWN. ter Brown," the famous R.

clay model of Calhoun, which Son tor Ruckstuhl has just completed. i has achieved greater au BLACK FOREST CUSTOMS.

cares For the Old Folks.

Sanks, of the ways and means con mittee of the House; Mrs. Bratton an diss Grist, of Torkville, representing the D. A. R., and Mrs. A. I. Ro rison, of Columbia, left here this a ernoon for New Tork to inspect the lay model of Calhoun, which Scal

The peasant farms of the Black Fores are handed down from father to son in a direct line, often dating back 100 years. There is no division as in France; all falls to the heir, only have it is not the eldest but the youngest son who inherits. It is rare that a Bur (pessant) dies as eigning head. When he gats on in years he abdicates. In order to end his days in the Leibgedingehaus (dower house), which

stands beside each Hof (steading). That he does so in favor of his young est son is very sensible; were it the est son is very sensible; were it the elder he would have no peace, for as soon as he married he would try to induce his parents to retire just at an age when power is sweetest and best exercised. For this reason the practical farmers of by-gone generations decided to hand over the succession to the youngest, since when Benjamin is a full grown man fath-er Jacob is old and glad to rest. This law of inheritance goes by the name of Vortel. Should the heir of his own free will desirs to resign in favor of his elder brother the latter must buy the property from him. In such a case the younger may be termed a kind of Esau.

Giving One's Blood For the Salvation of a Little Child.

Ohio State Journal.

Obio State Journal. A little child in New York was suf-fering from purpurs, a disease ac-companied by the weakening of the walls of the arteries, so that the blood escapes from all parts of the blood and shows itself in livid patches on the skin. The case of this child was an aggravated one, and the physicians were ready to give it up, when the transfusion of lbood was suggested. For this purpose the father said that he would give his own blood, all of it, that the child might live. So the clever animal impersonator, wi plays the part of "Tige," the de companion of "Buster." Grady is who dog went into the child's body, and

the little one almost immediately ral-lied, and is now not only out of danger, but is fast gaining flesh and the rosy hue of health. Here is altruism in its simples

form, and while it is only the natural macrifice of oneself for his own child, it is a picture that all humanity loves to look upon. It is where science ing an imitation of "Acme" Cement Plas-opens wide the door to the religion of ter at \$1 to \$2 per ton less price, to let service.

Declines in Railroad Earnings. Manufacturers' Record.

Some of the principal declines in January are the following: Penn-January are the following: Penn-sylvania system, \$3,673,200; Balti-more & Ohio, \$1,188,430; (B. & O.'s decline for February was \$1,256,945); Southern Pacific, \$1,456,056; Louis-ville & Nashville, \$777,338; Southern Railway, \$669,024; St. Louis & San Francisco, \$660,225; Norfolk & Western, \$667,317; Missouri Pacific, \$586,762; Missouri, Kansas & Texas, \$601,880; Atlantic Coast Line, \$402,-778; Atchison, Tomeka & Santa Fe.

LINCOLN AND DAVIS.

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Embarrasing Incident. Mari Schurz's "The South After the War," in McClure's. The capture of Jefferson Davis fense after the war might have fool ed like a stretch of arbitrary power befitting an Old World despotian rather than this New World repul was a very serious thing, and it was

Thre Ways to Name the Confection and the Dictionary Gives a Help.

was a very serious thing, and it was regarded by not a few cool-headed and long-sighted men as a very un-fortunate one. It has become well known that President Lincoln wish-that downfall of the Confederacy would not deliver th chief of the Confederacy into his hands. A Lincoln anecdote current at the time seemed to have good authority behind it. After Lee's surrender, a friend asked Mr. Lincoln whether he did not think it would be best to lot Jefferson Davis get out of the country. Lincoln answered by tell-ing a story of a Methodist preacher out West, a strict temperance man. New York Sun. There are several spellings of the name of the confection of ice cream with a fruit syrup poured over it. The original way apparently was sundae, but where it came from is hard to say. The diction-ary doesn't shed acy light on the sub-ject because the word is not defined there at all. The name got to be bandled about out West, a strict temperance man, who was offered a glass of water with a dash of brandy in it, and who replied that he would not object and on account of its resemblance in sound to the name of the first day in the week, it began to be spelled Sunday

the cheaper grade confectioners. However, the voyager about the city has discovered still another spelling, which in the absence of constituted auto a drop of something strong in his drink, if that drop could be put in "unbeknownst" to himself. Lincoln no doubt saw clearly that the capture of Jefferson Davis would

the capture of Jefferson Davis would burden the government with a most embarrasing dilemma. The public voice would insist upon the chief of the rebellion being tried and punish-ed for treason. Now, his crime of treason had been committed in the South. A trial for treason would be a mere farce for it seemed a for-gone conclusion that no jury in the South could be found that would pro-nounce Jefferson Davis or any of the nounce Jefferson Davis or any of the heads of the rebellion guilty of trea-



FOR SALE-Eggs from Cuban Red Gams hens at \$1.25 per setting of six-teen. Fred Nooe, Pittsboro, N. C. FOR SALE-Bargain, 1907 Buckboard runabout; good conditon. N. J. Sherrill.

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nection a meat market with modern fix-tures, all new. A good business location, and good trade established. Wm. F. Snider, Executor, Salisbury, N. C.

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FOR RENT-We will rent the manufac-turing building known as our "city shops." The building is 40 feet wide, 182 feet long, four stories, mill construction, sprinkled, heated, lighted and electric power is available. Would hold a spin-ning mill equipment of 5,000 spindles or would make fine factory for knit goods, shoes, overalls, trousers or other similar manufacturing. The D. A. Tompkins Co.

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WANTED-At once, competent male stenographer for 30 or 60 days, Good pay to right man. Address at once, giv-

ing experience. "Prohi," care Observer. WANTED-Building material dealers who think they are making money by offer-

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No mathematical process could approach in any degree a calculation of the infinite number of germs that must live, move and have their being in this veritable slough with the disease-making ingredients that have ever come under the fore and transformer deposited therein.
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Rev. Frank Siler Preaches at Tryon Street Methodist Church—A Heart-Reaching Sermon.

Rev. Frank Siler preached at Try-on Street Methodist church last even-ing on "The Angel That Blocks the Sinner's Way." It was a very heart-

Lenten Service To-Day.

aten service will be held at the Men's Christian Association 1:05 to 12:30 o'clock to-day.

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Clinchfield, the Coal of Quality.

6:30 a. m., arrivink Colum bia at 10:45 a. m. No. 28 leaves Co lumbia at 8 p. m., arriving Charlotte 7 p. m. No. 35 leaves Charlotte 4:45 p. m., arrives Columbia 8:45 p. m. The railroad commission has decid-ed to allow the railroads to give a fair

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\$1,480,478; Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe, \$636,634 (these last two being greater than the loss in gross earnings); Illinois Central, \$418,654; Norfolk & Western, \$324,741, 554;

Norfolk & Western, \$324,741; Mis-souri, Kansas & Texas, \$310,200. If declines continue in the same proportion through the remainder of the current year the estimate of an average loss (as compared with last year) of \$25,000,000 a month will be realized, although there is some hope that as the season advances there will be an improvement in the general business situation, and con-

nequently a corresponding increase in railroad traffic.

WANTED for U. S. Army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 25, citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can

character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. Man wanted now for service in Cuba and the Philippines. For information: apply to Recruiting Officer. 15 West Trade St., Charlotte, N. C.; 264 South Main St., Asheville, N. C.; Bank Building, Rick-try, N. C.; 1284 North Main St., Salis-bury, N. C.; 12

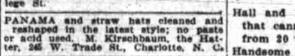
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