RALEIGH, N. C., SUNDAY MORNING, JANUARY 15, 1888.

night of the election Mr. Carlisle had

gone home at 8 o'clock and gone im-

modiately to bed. This affidavit is

clined to participate in the meeting

of Mr. Carlisle's friends and had taken

his hat and left the meeting when its

Mr. Hallam read a letter from Mr.

Nelson. Mr. Hallam next turned his

attention to an affidavit of J. J.

object was explained to him.

one hand-writing.

in the poll book.

After all affidavits had been

The first motion put was one to post-

pone further consideration of the

case, which was rejected by a strict

was made to re-open the case. Mr.

cused from voting and Mr. Cooper,

Republican, voted with the Demo-

ight upon the contest. Under the

Cold Weather in the Northwest.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14 .- A storm at Ga-

ena yesterday blockaded the high-

fifteen feet deep. No trains on the

The blockade on the latter road be-

ween Gaiena and Madison will not

be raised for several days. Stock

about Moweaqua suffered intensely

perature, and a number of losses by

freezing are reported by the farmers.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.-Railroading in

northern Wisconsin and the entire

territory west of there, as far as the

Rocky Mountains, has been practi-

cally suspended since noon yester-

that they may be closed for six weeks.

St. Paul, Minneapolis or Duluth

Bank Statement.

\$3,896,600; specie increase, \$1,808-

600; legal tenders increase, \$3,637,

circulation increase, \$188,400. The

banks now hold \$15,791,295 in excess

Total Visible Supply of Cotton.

New York, Jan. 14.—The total visi-

ble supply of cotton for the world is

3,090,304 bales, of which 2,623,304

bales are American; against 3,229,294

bales and 2,797,194 bales respectively

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Al Broken Rail.

of the 25 per cent rule.

deposits increase, \$1,926,600;

Travel Seriously Impeded.

from the sudden chauge in the tem-

itled to his seat.

nstructions of the committee, Chair- careful and exhaustive discussion, by

re urns.



This powder never varies. A marve of parity, strength and wholescmeness. tannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the BOYAL BAKING POWDER Co., 106 Wall Street, New York.
Bold by W. C. & A. B. Stronach, and

THE GREAT REGULATOR.



If a child has the colic it is a sure cure and safe remedy. It will restore strength to the over-worked father and relieve the wife from low spirits, headache, dyspepsia, constipation and theigs. Genuine has our Z stamp in red on front wrapper, prepared only by J. H. ZEILIN & CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

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3,000 yds Double Width Cashmere, worth 20 cts.

1,000 Linen Towels.

cts a yard -Linen Table Cloth.

25 CTS. 1,000 yds Oil Cloth for Table.

CTS. each. 1,000 Napkins.

25 CIS. 1,000 pr. MEN'S and BOY'S CLOTH GLOVES

5,000 yds Century Cloth worth

HOODS, TOBOGGANS, Nubias, etc.

1,000 Unlaundried and Negligee Shirts worth 75 cts.

worth double the money.

75c., \$1, \$1.25, \$1.48 and \$1.50, White Counterpanes.

On Fridays Only

We will sell all our Remnants AT A REDUCTION

Of 33 1-3 per cent.

ONE PRICE And Cash For All.

Stockholders' Meeting. OFFICE NORTH CAROLINA HOME INSURANCE COMPANY, RALEIGH, N. C., January 10th, 1888. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the North Carolin; Home Insurance Company will be held antheir office in this city on Wednesday, the 1st day of February, A. D. 1888, 12 o'clock m.

OLD-TIME LEADERS OF THE WIL-

COL. JAS. G. BURR IN MESSENGER.

Charles J. Wright was the eldest son of the Hon. Joshua Granger Wright, one of the judges of the Su-perior Court of Law and Equity, and in boyhood was remarkable for great exuberance of animal spirits, a fond-ness for every mode of frolic and fun, and a propensity for practical jokes, which, however, were devoid of malice Bank of the State, and was esteemed was in order. by the business community as a very useful and sagacious officer. It was, however, in the drawing-

and his familiarity with the usages of mean the coarse debauchery of the pleasure from intercourse with culti-Hill, and had issue two sons, one of whom died in childhood. The other, the assertion made by counsel for con-States Corps of Engineers, graduated at West Point at the head of his class,

Thus gifted, and endowed with such versatile talent, Mr. Wright would doubtless have risen to the front rank in his profession and in Mr. Carlisle's behalf. So far as he the councils of the State but for his untimely death in 1821. He was but of by the affiant. thirty-one years old when he died. Whom the gods love die young." In that year the yellow fever was epispending the summer at Smithville with his family. On his way to attend court at Duplin he passed through the town and opened his been closed all the summer, to get some law books; and then proceeded on his journey. He was taken with ington, about thirty miles from Wilfind the place of his burial that his remains might be deposited in the family burying ground, but they were all unsuccessful and "no man knoweth

or ms separeure unto this day."

Before concluding this brief notice of Mr. Wright, I will mention a singular circamstance in connection with him that occurred some years ago and of which I was an eye witness. A short time prior to the commencement of the war between the States, a spiritualistic medium from the far North visited Wilmington and gave exhibitions of his powers. He held numerous seances, as they are called. In company with a friend I visited his room one evening and found several gentlemen sitting around a table in the centre of the room writing the names of those with whom they wished to converse on small slips of paper, which they folded up very tightly in the form of pellets. These 35, 40, 50 AND 60 pellets were then placed in the centre of the table and thoroughly mixed together. You are to understand that the medium did not know what names were written on these slips, in fact he could not possibly have known, for he was in a different part of the room with his back towards those who were writing, and it was equally impossible for him to see their contents, for the y were rolled up almost as compactly as a small marble and about as large. Among those seated at the table was the late James A. Wright. Few men in our State-few men in any Stateof his age had brighter prospects of a more brilliant future. Nature had been kind to him, and education had given polish and brilliancy to the jewels with which he was endowed and which adorned his character, and he was universally regarded as one destined to occupy a high niche in the temple of fame. But those hopes were soon blasted. When the war broke out he was among the first to obey the call of his native State and at the head of his company marched twenty-six years of age.

to Virginia and at Mechanicsville sealed his devotion to his country with his heart's blood, being only He was a nephew of Mr. Charles 10,000 pairs Ladies' and Gents' Wright and had written his name with others and placed them with the Wright and had written his name others on the table. So soon as the medium had taken his seat at the head of the table, he turned to Mr. present with whom you wish to converse.", "Who is it'" asked Mr. W. Without the least hesitation, the medium took one from number of pellets, there being at least fifty on the table, and handed it to him, saying, "You will find the name of the party in that, in your own handwriting." He opened and read, Charles J. Wright, as he had written it. He then wrote, without any one knowing at the time what he was doing, "I am anxious to know where you died." The answer written by the medium was immediate and as follows: "My last recollections are of upper Black river and

Now that medium was an atter stranger to this part of the country. had never heard of Mr. Wright, and could not have answered as he did ence explain

CARLISLE

DECLARED ENTITLED TO HIS SEAT.

ALL THOEBE'S CHARGES DISPROVED -OTHER NEWS BY WIRE.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Every mem- Pierce, of Cincinnati, to the effect and characterized by unfailing good ber of the House committe on elechumor. He graduated at the Univer- tions was in attendance this morning cinct all of the returns of Carroll sity in 1817 and appeared at the bar to resume the consideration of the very soon afterwards. He was re- Thoebe-Carlisle contested election markable for quickness of apprehen- case. Mr. F. Hallam, of Covington, sion and great vivacity, was a fluent | Ky., appeared in behalf of Speaker | ty Clerk, who, as custodian of the and agreeable speaker and regarded | Carlisle, while Mr. Sypher appeared as an intelligent and trustworthy for the contestant. The chairman of the Wilmington branch of the affidavits in behalf of the contestee an examination of the papers, which Mr. Hallam said he took the posi

tion that a sufficient cause had not

been shown for the re-opening of the com that he shone with peculiar lus- case. The action of the other side e. His fine address, the amenity of in presenting affidavits at the last his manners, the sparkle of his wit, session seemed to show that they concurred in that belief. Among the refined society, all conspired to give things stated by contestant in his emperament and convivial in his Jno. A Goodson, chief of habits. By conviviality I do not police of Covington and broth-mean the coarse debauchery of the er in law of Mr. Carlisle, had estaurant or tavern, but that social stated one or two days after the electurn that seeks enjoyment and derives tion that the Speaker had been defeated and that Charles Easton, of the vote of Carroll county was countvated women, and men of wit, taste | Covington, Ky., would so testify. In and scholarship, or distinguished for answer to that counsel had affidavits be fair and beyond question as to some peculiar and striking talent. He by both Goodson and Easton posimarried Anna, daughter of Hon. Wm. tively denying the statements. Mr. Goodson further denies emphatically Lieuc. Wm. H. Wright, of the United | testant that some relative of Mr. Carlisle's had approached Wood, formerly Mr. Thosbe's counsel, for the pur-Beauregard, so distinguished in our civil war, being second to him on the that he is the only relative of Mr. Carlist. He was an officer of great prom- liste living near Covington and ise, but died at the early age of thirty he declares that neither he nor any other person, so far as he is concerned ever in any manner approached or attempted to approach Mr. Wood or any other person in party vote, 9 to 6. Then a motion

knew, such a thing was never thought Rowell, Republican, asked to be ex-The affiant further says that he met Easton on the morning after the crats, so the motion was lost. Another election and Easton asked him the demic in Wilmington. Mr. W. was result. He replied that he did not know, as the returns were not in. Easton then said that it would be a cused from voting, the remainder d-d outrage if Mr. Carlisle were voting with the Democrats against the defeated by such an ignorant man. proposition. Then came the final office for a few minutes, it having Another affidavit, by Horace Cameron, a reporter of the Cincinnati Evening Telegram, was read, in which Cameron recites the substance of a converpersonal relief such as he had not experienced in ten years. The affiant further says that he had several conversations with Mr. Thoebe but had ted that he was defeated. On the contrary, he had told him that he (Thoebe) was defeated. He had never sent an item to his paper declaring that Mr. Carlisle had admitted his defeat but he could not prove this by forwarding the files of the paper, as they had not been preserved. This affidavit was corroborated by affidavits made by John C. Benton, attorney, of Cinginnati, and Henry C. Hallam, clerk of the County Court. To meet the statements made by Thoebe touching the meeting of Mr. Carlisle's friends on election night counsel produged an affidavit signed by Judge George Perkins, W. W. Cleary, Commonwealth's Attorney, and a number of other gentlemen, who declars that no meeting of the kind described could have been held without their knowledge and that they knew of no such conference or meeting. One of the signers af the afficavits, Geo. C. Davis, was, said Mr. Hallam, the gentleman who occupied the room in the federal building where the conference was alleged to

> have taken place. Jho. W. Furber, deputy postmester, day. The few belated passenger in his affidavit, says that the post-office occupies the whole lower floor nation many hours late, but a great of the federal building, and that to his knowledge no meeting such as described had been held, nor could any such have been held without his knowing it. Similar affidavits were no attempt was made today to send out trains on the trunk lines from Tunnel, occupying the remaining floors the great railroad centres, such as of the building.
> Mr. Hallam called attention to the

fact that P. Casey, janitor of the federal building, was the only person who was particularly named as having been present at the conference, and as having admitted that Mr. Carlisle had been defeated but that it had been fixed up. Mr. Hallam produced a letter to the Speaker declaring that he had never attended such a meeting and knew nothing of it. In answer to statements impugning the correctness of the poll-books of Verona precinct, Boone county. counsel produced and read affidavits by Mr. Garnett, who was in custody of the books, G. Winston and Wm. Wright and said, "There is a spirit Piper, Republicans, declaring that the books appeared to be correct in every particular and the signatures in the hand writing of the election

> officers. J. H. Callahan, who was sheriff of last year. Receipts of cotton for the the precinct, in an affidavit declares week from all interior towns, 63,691 that all of the votes were correctly bales; receipts from plantations, 121,returned and that he witnessed 139 bales. Crop in sight 5,619,683. personally the signatures of the judges to the books.

Casey makes affidavit declaring the statement was incorrect and that he did not believe any such conference had been held. Mr. Hallam said that the charge had been | Co., dry goods; Geo. W. Stout & Co., made by one Charles Maunder that wholesale grocers, Tanner and Sulon the night after the election Mr. livan, supplies. C. B. Connors Sons, Carlisle had been seen figuring about overalls; McKee & Bransom, books, Newport in the vicinity of the ballot and Pearson & Wetzel, queensware. box, engaged in conversation with Loss from \$75,000 to \$100,000. knew nothing about Wilmington, its Mr. Hatch. In reply to this charge people or its surroundings, so he he read the affidavit of Mr. W. Queen that on the night of the election, Chartanooga, Tenn., Jan. 14 .from his own knowledge. Who then he, his brother and Mr. Carlisle Train No. 6 on the Cincinnati Southdid answer the question? Can sci- had attended a social gathering at ern railroad, which left Chattanooga had remained there from seven o'clock rail at Oneida, near the Tennessee here yesterday of the death, at San means committee are very busy. By Send your orders for printing to until 3 o'cleck and they had then gone line, throwing the engine from the the Observer Printing Co, 415 Fay home to his brother's house, where track and blocking the road for six townsman Judge O. P. Meares.

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FROZEN TO DEATH.

correborated by affidavit from Henry E. Queen, touching Mr. Sypher's statement that R. W. Nelson had de-MANY PEOPLE AND IMMERSE NUMBERS OF HORSES, &c.

> IN THE NORTHWEST - THE FEARFUL STORY DETAILED-OTHER NEWS BY WIRE.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Despatches from the northwest record a number that with the exception of one preof deaths by freezing in the recent blizzard. A school-teacher named county appear to be in the same hand-Miss Curtis was frozen to death on writing. To meet this he produced the way home from school at Delaan a fidavit of R. F. Harrison, Counmoc, Dakota, near Sioux Falls. A man was found dead standing beside poll-books, exhibits them to the committee and affirms the correctness of his barn and another lay all night practitioner. He was also president amounced that the presentation of the vote. Mr. Hallam declared that within a half mile of town in a snow bank between his horses, thus saving his life. Three children at Garrison, could be made by the committee Nebrasks, got lost going home from itself, would satisfy them that the school and remained out all night. signatures to the returns were not in One was dead when found, the other two may recover. W. B. Headly was E. N. Vance, registrar and cashier frozen to death near Barkston, Daof a bank, and Republican in politics, makes affidavit that he had examined kota. Two men were frozen to death near Marysville, Montana. A farmer the returns and declares that the named Allen and his son were caught names of the voters in the books ap-. him prominence. He was of a genial affidavit was one to the effect that pear to have been made by the clerks near Mitchell, Dakota, and the son of the various precincts who sign the was frozen to death and the will lose father A. T. Leech, Knight of Labor, his arms. Another man is lost in the same neighborhood and of Carrolton, declares that he was the freight trrin is blockaded nine present in Thoebe's interest when miles from Mitchell and the crew ed and that he found the returns to have had nothing to eat since Wednesday. In the neighborhood of Aberdeen, Dakota, ten men were caught by a storm at different points. and ex-postmaster of Carrollton, af-Four have been found dead. The firms the correctness of the entries others are probably dead but have not been found. The loss of live ceived and the counsel on both sides stock is immense, some actually freezing to death in their stalls in the staheard the committee went into secret bles. Two belated stock-trains from session. The secret session lasted about forty minutes and while it was Nebraska arrived at St. Joseph, Mo., in progress, the counsel and other in- last night with every head of cattle

terested persons waited in the halls. dead. Death of Mrs. Gen. Cheatham. Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 14 .- Mrs. Anna B. Cheatham, widow of the late Gen. B. F. Cheatham, who preceded her as postmaster in this city, died at her residence this morning.

AN AGREEMENT REACHED

Wilmington and the C. F. and R. V. R. R motion was made to declare Thoebe entitled to his seat and on this vote Wilmington Messenger. The Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley four Republican members were ex-Railroad seems now to be many miles nearer Wilmington than at any time

vote on the motion affirming Carlisle's Yesterday afternoon an important conference was held in Mayor Fowright to his seat. All of the Democrats voted in favor of this proposis ler's office. The commissioners aption, and with them stood Cooper, pointed by the board of aldermen to the fever on the road and died at the house of Mr. Usher at South Washington, about thirty miles from Wilsaid that he did not know whether man, Houk and Lodge, Republicans, associates of the railroad. The resubsequently made by his relatives to he had been he would feel a sense of tive vote. The position taken by the parties concerned, so it is reported Republicans who abstained from vot- and at an early meeting of the board ing is that white they were not con- of aldermen the commissioners will vinced that Carlisle is entitled to report the proposition which they his seat, it was proper for the commit- made and which, it is stated, was acopportunity for the production of of the Cape Fear and Fray, on account any new evidence that might throw Railroad.

> man Crisp will report to the House a resolution declaring Mr. Carlisle enbehalf of the city, to give the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad the sum of \$150,000 in cash, in consideraton the terminus of the road. . . The sentiment of our people seems to ways, the drifts in some places being be so largely in favor of any reasonable means of securing the railroad here that there is little doubt that Illinois Central orChicago Northwestern railroad reached there yesterday. the board of aldermen will order an

election to be held.

An agreement was reached, after a

New Berne has decided to hold an exhibit of her industries and of the game, fish and oysters that abound in the waters and forests of eastern Carolina on the 13th, 14th and 15th of March. The Journal says: "We want specimens of woods, of manufactured goods, marls, rock, game, fish, oysters, clams and anything else of the section." We are glad to note the project and believe with Brother Nunn that "an exhibit can be made that will astonish even the natives and win the admiration of all visitnation many hours late, but a great ors." We hope the enterprise will many are snowed in at intermediate points. Several branch lines are reple not only of the east but of the ported so badly blocked by drifts that of the News and OBSERVER.

Some time since some of the State papers published the account of a scandal in high life and confounded The extreme cold and high wind, with the name of Col. Frank Coxe, of Asheheavy snow, brought about this state ville, in this State, with that of Franklin Coxe, of Long Island, New York. Col. Frank Coxe stands high, both financially and socially, and this NEW YORK, January 14 .- The folunintentional mistake on the part of owing is the weekly statement of the press has annoyed him no little. We make the correction with pleasthe associated banks: Reserve increase, \$4,964,550; loans increase,

Wilson's & Rankin's Champion Minstrels. The great Wilson & Rankin Minstrel Carnival will be inaugurated at Metropolitan Hall Thursday evening next. Everything is new this season from the rise to the fall of the curtain, and old theatre-goers will open their eyes with amazement at the many changes inaugurated. The greatest change, perhaps, has been made in the first part, and a very welcome one it is, too. Instead of the old-fashioned semi circle olio the entertainment opens with a garden scene, or a serenade on the lawn, followed by a sextette, a group of end men. Wilson and Schoolcraft and a grand ballon ascention with Wilson and Schoolcraft in the basket. The sights seen by these gentlemen, from their perilous posi-Indianapolis, Jan. 14 .- A fire which broke out here last night burned out the following firms: D. P. Erwin & hit of the season. A grand song and dance by the dudes and dudines, Griffin and Ardels' "Silence and Fun Act," and "Waltz Me Again," George's talk to the young ladies, rapidly follow each other in succession. The after-piece, "Buffalo West's Wild Bill" is a genuine rib-twister.

> Death of a Former Wilmingtonian. From the Wimington Mossenger, 14th.
> The sad intelligence was received

FROM WASHINGTON. Cor, of the News and Observer.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Jan. 12. Everything points to an early coa-THE TARIFF QUESTION.

A conference between a number of Republicans was held last night, at which there was a general discussion of the President's message and of the pass the House. policy of the party. It is believed by the leaders, that they will be able before long to agree upon a line of policy, which will enable them to meet the Democrats with almost an unbroken front. As yet, however, they have Both parties are feeling about them

accomplished no such agreement. on all sides with great caution, and the individual members are keeping their own counsel more than usual Generally the Republicans have been able to find out about how Mr. Randall would stand, and could make their calculations accordingly. But he is entirely non-committal now and they can make nothing out of him. and the ways and means committee will soon report a tariff bill to the

RANZOM'S \$500,000 SPEECH. port of a resolution to build a light- large measure of success. house at Diamond Shoals, North Carolina, at a cost of \$500,000.00. NORTH CAROLINA POLITICS AGAIN.

active, leading Republican today: mated.
"Next to Judge Settle, who refuses to talk even about the possibility of his acceptance of the nomination. Jim Boyd is the most available man in the party. Judge Russell has a great many friends, but he will not take the chances by his refusal to go into the a Republican through and through, and he is able to hold his own with any man the Democrats may put in the field. It is to be an aggressive

Cook, of Warren, will call the State be the Republican candidate for Congress in the black district. PERSONAL.

Mayor King and bride, of Greensboro, who have been at the Metropolthe Misses Horner, of Oxford, and Miss Branch, of Wilson, are registered at the Metropolitan.

Two of the best talkers in the Sention of the railroad making Wilming- ate had the floor today. Senator Vance made an earnest, eloquent and telling speech in opposition to the internal revenue laws, and Senator Grav. of Delaware, one of the most striking men in the Senate, submitted a strong constitutional argument be saved by purchasing and having against the Blair bill. The Delaware Senator is a man of commanding presence and has a full, round, wellnodulated voice.

Yesterday and the day before Hale. of Maine, and Chandler of New Hampshire advertised the political despera-

tion of the Republican leaders. The Maine Senator seems to have discovered that out of the fiftyfive thousand Federal offices, over that will show the material resources forty thousand have been filled by Democrats under this administration. It makes no difference that not one of these offices is within the classified service-not one of them embraced either in the letter or spirit of the civil service law. All the same to Hale, he vehemently accuses the President of a flagrant violation of whole State. It shall certainly have the law in "turning out the rascals."

But it was left to Senator Chandler, who has brains as well as money, to treat the country to the smallest specimen of Republican politics. An encounter took place in Jackson Miss., on Christmas Eve, between

McMillie Mitchell, a white youth

twenty-two years old, and Bob White-

sides, a colored desperado. The latter came up behind Mitchell, and throwing his arms around him, drew a butcher knife several times across his throat. Mitchell succeeded, howcan party was by no means backward charity."-Elizabeth City Falcon. in twisting this murderous incident into political capital, and Sen-ator Chandler appeared as the chief twister. Within ten days after the tragedy a municipal election occurred at Jackson. The colored people refrained from voting. A week after the election Senator Chandler offered in the Senate a resolution directing the judiciary committee to investigate the suppression of the colored vote and the alleged participation in the business of the Federal office-holders. Everybody then suspected that the Republicans were putting themselves ed by a panorama of views. The great Adonis Clog and posing is the but they now see that it was also tion for Associate Justice was pending before the Senate. In this latter respect, however, Chandler's effort was a boomerang, for it brought to the Lamar column another Republican-Senator Riddleberger-who proclaimed on the floor of the Senate his determination to vote for Mr. Lamar.

THE HOUSE. The members of the ways and assorted stock.

and means of reducing the surplus. Representative McMillin said the majority tariff bill would be reported at a very early day. He, with the other members of the committee, was extremely anxious to get the bill before the House at once. There will be no delay, he said. He also

said that the committee's bill would

The House took the country by surprise yesterday by passing a bill making the United States Fish Commissioner a salaried officer. It is the first thing in the way of legislation during the six weeks of the session.

PERSONAL. Mrs. Corbin, daughter of Dr. E. G. Ward, of Onslow, has secured, through Representative Simmons, an appointment in the Agricultural Department.

In another column will be found

Business Change.

the announcement of the expiration of the firm of Messrs. Leach, Page & Arendell. Mr. G. Edgar Leach, who Democrats want an early tariff debate, has been for the past 15 years successfully engaged in, and directly identified with the grocery business of this city retires to give his active attention to other enterprises in which Senator Ransom rarely ever says he is interested. Messrs. M. W. Page anything in the Senate. His speeches and F. B. Arendell succeed the busialways command attention. When ness. They are experienced, energetic he arose and addressed the President | and active merchants with facilities of the Senate the other day, the word amply sufficient to meet the require-went around that he was making a ments of the trade. In such hands the speech in favor of the Blair bill. He high standard attained by the old spoke five minutes by Senator Brown's firm of Leach Bros. and the late firm watch, and the Georgia Senator after- of Leach, Page & Arendell will be wards said that it was the shortest steadily maintained. We commend the and best paying speech ever made new firm of Page & Arendell to the in the Senate. It was made in suptrading public and bespeak for them a

Yesterday A. Belsmeyer, tailor of The impression is current here, this city, made an assignment of his with more than conjecture to sustain stock. In the deed of assignment, it, that ex-District Attorney Boyd, is only one firm is mentioned as preferto be the Republican candidate for red creditor, the same being Heukle-Governor in North Carolina. It is a man, Jackson & Co., of Baltimore, to still-hunt movement and is said to be the amount of \$862.00. This firm is developing unexpected strength. Boyd | made assignee and all the stock in the is young, able, audacious and aggress- tailor shop is turned over to them for ive. He is a bold, strong campaigner the payment of the claim. The total and a man of fine presence. Said an liabilities and assets are not esti-Shoppers' Notes.

Talking about this muddy weather, shoes are what are needed to tussle with it successfully. Norris & Carter know this and seem determined that nomination. Nichols has injured his everybody shall have a pair. They have just put out some broken lots Republican caucus, but apart from which they virtually propose to sell that, he is no campaigner. Boyd is at what you may propose to pay. Just see the great announcement else where. You've been there! Oh yes, you've

sat behind the high hat at the theatre campaign on the part of the Republicans, and they are going in to win." and craned and cu—d and "thereby hangs a tale," and if you want to know what it is, just look at the picconvention to order, and Cook is to ture in another column under which Whiting Bros. have something of special importance to say to everybody. That is a tale worth reading and knowing. The Messrs. Tucker announce

> January sale of Hamburg edgings and purchase, our friends inform us purchase, our friends inform us, bought so that the patrons of the house may have their work on underwear and children's garments made up before the regular spring trade begins. Along with these the house offers full lines of linen and Torchon and De Medici laces, &c. Full lines of Jones & Otten cambrics, muslins and cottons and special bargains in linens. Much time, of course, can work done now.

The members of William G. Hill Lodge, No. 218, are notified to meet at their hall this (Sunday) at 2 o'clock p. m. sharp, to attend the funeral of their late brother Peter C. Fleming. All Masons in the city and particularly the members of Hiram lodge are fraternally invited to attend and participate. J. B. NEATHERY,

The mayor is bent upon stopping all the confusion and disagreeable calling and yelling of hackmen which has long been a feature at the Union depot on the arrival of trains. Orders for quiet and order have been issued and a police officer is present at all trains for seeing the order enforced. Yesterday one hackman broke the rules and was fined by the mayor \$5 and costs.

A Point Well-Taken. The codfish aristocracy of New York city actended a charity (1) ball in diamonds, silks and laces. "Oh. the rarity of Christian charity .-Wilmington Star.

It has has been customary with the rich people of New York and other ever, in drawing his gun and firing cities to have charity balls. Large three shots into Whitesides. The amounts are raised and untold good colored man lived thirty minutes, the is accomplished. The Star is a "little white youth two hours. The Repub- off." "Oh, the rarity of Christian

-The order to reopen the Russian universities has been revoked.

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