White's military record he referre l

to him as a sutler who furnished sup-

plies for the troops and that, he said,

the conclusion of his remarks Mr.

upon the resolution submitted by the

Mr. Rowell, of Illinois, moved as a

substitute the resolution presented

Whiting, Wilson of Minnesota.

The House, at 5.20, adjourned.

COAL OPERATOR'S AND MINERS.

PITTEBURG, Feb. 6 .- The scale com

mittee of the Coal Operators' and

Miners' Inter State Convention is in

session here today. From the out-

look it would seem as though no dif-

any intention of reducing wages in

ers do not ask an advance. If the

matter is not settled today, however.

it will be left for the general conven-

tion, which opens here tomorrow.

The joint scale which the present con-

vention is to renew this year is known

as the Columbus agreement, because

at this Ohio city two years ago, infor-mation was broached of a uniform

system of wages and rules for all bi-

tuminous miners shipping into West-

ern and Northern markets. Previous

quarrels between operators in Pitts-

burg and in the Hocking Valley ow-

ing to charges of the Pittsburg oper-

ators that they paid higher wages

and larger tariffs than was done in

Ohio, and could not well compete in

the same markets. Both these dis-

tricts complained against the In-

diana and southern Illinois min-

tion of Miners and Mine Laborers

and the Knights of Labor. Prior to

the Columbus meeting wages varied

from 59 cents in one district to 69 in

Pittsbarg, while the Hocking Valley

The beneficial effect of agreements.

ment was such that at the last con-

vention wages were advanced to 74

cents in this district and 69 in the

Hocking Valley, and again in Novem-

ber last to 79 cents and 74. A uni-

form scale for lead work was project-

important sanitary regulations and

ployees were introduced. The agree-

ment now affects in the neighborhood

of 50,000 miners and 7,000 to 9,000

At the Pitteburg Roller Iron Works. PITTSBUEG, Feb. 6.—There has been

no further trouble at the Solar Iron

Works, the scene of the the serious

outbreak on Saturday. The mill was

closed yesterday but started up this

morning with an increased force of

non-union men. Over one hundred

men in operation within the next few

days. The mills and yards are close-

ly guarded by sentinels and police-

men and no person, not even a boy,

is allowed upon the premises unless

he can prove he has business there.

The strikers are very bitter and anoth-

Those who have the coolest heads ad-

Saturday, is believed to be out of

Danvers, Mass.; Feb. 6.-C. C.

Farwell & Co., manufacturers of

boots and shoes, of this place, have

failed and made an assignment to C.

H. Gold, of Boston. Liabilities esti-

mated at \$200,000 and may be greater.

KILLED ALMOST INSTANTLY

DY CONTACT WITH AN ELECTRIC LIGHT

WIRE.

fourth-class postmasters.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 6.-Will Sum-

The money is mostly due to banks.

non-union men.

NO FURTHER TROUBLE

pits.

rules promoting the better govern-

majority of the committee.

DARBY'S PROPHYLACTIC FLUID

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GANGRENE OR PROUD FLESH

Never Appear Where the Fluid is Used CLEANSES AND HEALS

Obstinate Ulcers, Boils, Carbuncles, Erysipelasand running Sores of every kind. It destroys the disagreeable efficia arising from Cancers, Ab-scesses, Ulcers and every kind of purulent discharge,

"I have used Darby's Prophylactic Fluid in hospital and private practice for ten years and know of nothing better for sloughing, contused and accrated wounds, foul and indolent ulcers and as a disinfectant."—J. F. HEUSTIS, Prof. Mobile Medical College.

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14 East Martin Street.

200 ladies handkerchiefs at 30c a dozen.

D pieces 36 inch black cashmere at 25c a yard. This is an extremely low price for goods of this quality.

dies' and Misses' all wool hose, 10, 20

and 25c a pair.

50 doz. gents' all linen handkerchiefs. 124c; cheap at 25c.

doz. gents' cotton, seamless i hose (heavy) at 140 a pair. Made in North Carolina.

200 pair gents' kid glove, \$1.4 worth \$2.00.

adies', Mises' and children's shoes in endless variety

round nickel plated clocks at \$1.00

8 day clocks for \$4.50; sold else-

-A NEW LINE OF-

Tin, Glass and Crockery Ware

We are opening new lines of

laces, prints and seersuckers.



Orders of Ricture Frames, Bric-a

The Reformed Funeral Associaresorted to that subterruge because purely pacific object, of the had no real naturalization and he hand it is believed to have been a to discourage showy and expensive had gone from pillar to post to establish its efficiently.

The Reformed Funeral Association of England is working actively had no real naturalization and he hand it is believed to have been a to discourage showy and expensive had gone from pillar to post to establish its efficiently. Taking up Mr. matum. PART, A. WATEON funerals.

GREENSBORO NOTES

SPONDENT. Cor. of the News and Observer. GREENSBORO, N. C., Feb. 6.

A NEWST BUDGET FROM OUR LIVE CORRE-

Greensboro is reveling in the midst of an era of progressiveness and public spirit. Her citizens have caught the inspiration from sister towns and are showing their determination to boom the town by their prompt and decisive action. Having settled the question of a Chamber of Commerce, some enterprising citizens are now discussing the subject of a cotton factory, and will probably follow suit is proposed to utilize the building national copyright law. now occupied by him as a cotton fac tory, for which purpose it is most ad-

same has already arrived.

The booksellers of the State will After a long discussion the resolu-also hold a convention here the 16th tion was amended by striking out the The booksellers of the State will inst. for the purpose of organizing introductory sentence (as quoted), the North Carolina Booksellers' Board of Trade. Greensboro seems to be developing a remarkable popularity as a place for State conventions.

the town in general. The old build- more direct fashion than usual.

tablishment of an invalids' home and hospital will render, as the first of its series of entertainments, the "Little Tycoon." The club is now practicinto requisition some splendid tal-

A colored man named Giles Pleasants attempted to commit suicide a few days ago by swallowing two tion. ounces of laudanum, but by the time-

it is thought that they are solid for campaign, and that the Republicans, in the event of his candidacy, will endorse him.

Much interest is centering in the approaching trial of O. G. Morgan and William Brame for the murder of Charles Crittenden, which has been set for the February term of the Superior Court. Opinions differ widely as to the guilt of the accused. The conviction which most generally prevails is that Morgan was first fired upon by Crittenden when he returned the fire, resulting in the killing of Crittenden. Brame was with Morgan at the time of the shooting and is charged with being accessory to the affair. The defendants have as counsel Col. James T. Morehead and Col. James E. Boyd, of this city, and

Judge Thos. Ruffin, of Hillsboro. At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Friday night, Mr. J. A. Gray was elected president and Mr. J. A. Odell, vice-president. The Chamber of Commerce is now well under way, the preliminaries are all complete and it will soon be in work-

ing order. The local lodge of Odd Fellows of in the State. It owns real estate at be offered in Congress for the purpresent to the amount of \$10,000, and has enrolled about sixty mem-

Mr. Charles Vance, son of Senator Vance, has been appointed clerk in United States Marshal Settle's office. Col. John N. Staples contemplates shortly removing his family to Washington City, which place he will make his future home. Greensboro parts

with them with regret. Mr. Samuel L. Trogdon, the clever treasurer of the Five Cent Savings Bank of this city, was married January 25th, at San Marcos, Texas, to Miss Mary Anderson, of that city. The bride and groom arrived here

Monday last. THE SAD BURNING AT HAMILTON.

MISS SAVAGE DIES-THE OTHERS IMPROV-

Cor. of the News and Observer. HAMILTON, N. C., Feb. 4, 1888. Miss Alice Savage, who was so bad ly burned on Wednesday night, died at 2 o'clock a. m. Saturday. She lived about forty eight hours. Her father, mother and brother in-law, are improving though their burns are painful

Montana Justice. From the Washington Critic.

Montana Judge: "What is charged with? Constable: "Holdin' that his shootin' iron counted in a flush." Judge: "Drinks for the crowd.

Constable: "This here chap calls House to judge of the qualifications isse'f McCosky Butt, and says 'daypo an' i-ther and 'ni-ther.'

the country. Mrs. Wagner's journey from Ne Crisp then turned his attention to braska to Hoboken, where she was the facts shown by the record and arrested as an insane person and discussed them in detail. Quoting lodged in jail for seven weeks, while Mr. White's published statement that

she was believed to be in Germany. -The Reformed Funeral Associa- resorted to that subterfuge because purely pacific object; on the other

CONGRESS

PROCEEDINGS YESTERDAY IN SENATE AND HOUSE.

THE CENTENNIAL OF THE CONSTITUTION-A NUMBER OF BILLS INTRODUCED -OTHER NEWS BY WIRE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6 - SENATE -Among the petitions and memorials presented and referred were the following: From several parts of the with Raleigh and Charlotte by set- country in favor of prohibition in the ting the project on foot. Col. Thomas District of Columbia; also for a Mc Mahon contemplates shortly re- constitutional amendment prohibiting moving his mammoth spoke and han- the manufacture, sale or transportadle works to Richmond, Va., and it tion of alcoholic liquors; for an inter-

Mr. Hoar, from the select committee on the celebration of the Centenmirably adapted. A project is also nial of the Constitution, reported a This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholescmeness. More economical than ordinary kinds and tannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the multitude of low test, short weight, alum or phosphate powders, sold only in the purpose of continuing the spoke to such other celebration as may hereafter be provided for" that the two Houses of Congress shall meet in the hall of the House of Representatives; that the Chief Justice of the United States shall deliver an oration, and that the President A project is also on foot to form a stock company for the such that the purpose of continuing the spoke to such other celebration of two such other celebration of the such that the purpose of Congress shall meet in the hall of the House of Rep and some of the machinery for the the Supreme Court, members of the Cabines, executives of the several The Grand Lodge of Knights of States and Territories, and such other Pythias will hold its annual conclave persons as may hereafter be deter-in this city Tuesday, the 14th inst. mined upon shall be invited to attend.

> and was thus adopted. In the course of the debate, Mr. Riddleberger again endeavored to discuss the British extradition treaty, The announcement that the new had a sharp passage with Mr. graded school building is completed Sherman, whom he addressed at last, and that school will begin on personally, and was ruled out of the 15th inst., is the occasion of an order by Chairman pro tem Ingalls immense amount of satisfaction to in a somewhat sharper and more

> ing having been torn down to give Mr. Hoar, from the judiciary complace to the new, there has been no mittee, reported back the bill to prosession of the school since last June. vide for inquests under national The "West End Club," which has authority, which was placed on the undertaken to raise funds for the es- calendar, the minority report to be submitted hereafter.

> Mr. Sawyer called up and the Senate passed the bill to amend the postal laws so that newspapers now sent ing for the occasion, and will bring free of postage to persons residing into requisition some splendid talin the county of publication may be sent to persons living in other counties when they receive them at postoffices within the county of publica-

The Blair educational bill was laid ly interference of a doctor, who came before the Senate, but was laid to the rescue before the dose had aside temporarily, and Mr. Platt flight up the "golden stair" was pre- upon the President's message. He At the same time there was a thereon. argued that the President is a free running quarrel between the Federa-The recent convention of Knights trader and he acknowledged himself of Labor in this city has been the to be a protectionist; and from this subject of some of the current politi- standpoint he discussed the Presical gossip. The Knights presumably dent's message until 4.30, when, withdo not take any part in politics, but out finishing his speech, he yielded to a motion to proceed to executive busi-

> Bill introduced: By Mr. Candler, of Ga. for refunding U.S. 4 per cent bonds into 21 per cent bonds. By Mr. Henderson, of North Carolina to divide the plus money in the Treasury on ed and is now being put into use, and the first of July 1888 among the several States and territories to be used in aid of common schools; also to re- ment of mines and safety to the empeal the tax on the notes of State banks used as circulation.

By Mr. Hopkins, of Va., for a publie building at Rosucke.

By Mr. Grosvenor, of Ohio, a joint resolution of the legislature expressing faith in a protective tariff for the sake of protection to the and that the people may have employment, farmers may have a home market, laborers may have good wages and the nation be independent of the nations of the earth; denouncing as unjust, unwise and unimportant the views expressed by the President in opposition to the men, all colored, are now at work and protective policy, views which, if formulated into law, would dissipate the surplus, paralyze industry, degrade labor and demoralize business: and requesting the Ohio Representathis city is said to be the wealthiest tives to oppose all measures that may pose of giving effect to these views.

SPEARER CARLISLE RESUMES THE GAVEL. At the conclusion of the call of States, Speaker Carlisle entered the Chamber and resumed the gavel amid loud applause from both sides of the

House. Mr. Perkins, of Kansas, presented a resolution of compliment and thanks to the Speaker pro tem (Mr. Cox), which was adopted unanimously, and a round of applause was added to it.

Mr. Cox acknowledged the compliment in a brief speech, and the House then resumed consideration of

the Lowry-White contested election case from Indiana. The majority and minority resolutions of the elections committee were discussed by Messrs. Johnson, of Indiana, Collins, of Massachusetts, Mc-Adoo, Hoar, Oates, Davis and Lodge. Mr. Crisp, chairman of the elections committee, closed the debate.

merville, an 18-year-old boy, was kill-He said the House had listened to the most marvelous exposition ed last evening by contact with an of law that had ever been electric wire. One of the Brush lights heard. The propositions made by was on the ground and a lot of boys to any lawyer at all familiar with the it, and the boy shocked, Summerville, gentleman to produce a single case and was killed almost instantly by where any resolution could be proved | the shock. by parole. To take that position would be absolutely destructive to the character that ought to be preserved by the House. It was asked to violate every principle of legal evidence to take the ground that it could do as it pleased. How was the of its members? By the effect its judgment might have upon the votes Judge: "Two hours to get outer of members? There was but one means and that was by legal evidence, and in this case there was no compe--A very pathetic story is told of tent evidence of naturalization. Mr. he had been a soldier and was a citi- much excitement. It is said on one

A NEW BISHOP

was the position in which was rendered the distinguished services to his ILLINOIS country so effectively described. At

Crisp moved the previous question FATHER JAS BYAN OF LOTTUMWA IN THE PEORIA DIOCESE - OTHER NEWS BY WIRE.

by the minority, declaring the sitting ALTON, Ill., Feb. 6.-The long suspense member (White) entitled to the seat. which has followed the death o The substitute was agreed to, yeas Bishop Bailey two years ago regard-187, nays 105. The following Demo- ing the appointment of a bishop for crats voted in the affirmative with the the Alton Diocese and a division of Republicans: Messrs. Anderson of that Diocese ended here yesterday. Illinois, Biggs, Bliss, Bryce, Barnes, Vicar General Jansen, acting as ad-Burnett, Bynum, Campbell of New ministrator of the Diocese, has re-York, Chipman, Cockran, Collins, ceived an official communication from Compton, Culberson, Dockery, Enloe, Rome which proves to be the action Fisher, Ford, Forney, Glass, Hare, of the College of Cardinals and the Laffoon, Lanham, Macdonald, Ma- Holy Father regarding these quesoney, McAdoo, McKinney, McShane, tions. As announced at the cathe-Merrimon, Neal, Nichols, O'Neill of dral here vesterday, the Diocese is Missouri, Phelan, Randall, Rayner, divided into two divisions, running Rowland, Ruske, Sayers, Shively, east and west across the State line. Springer, Stewart of Texas, Stone of dividing St. Clair and Manson coun-Missouri, Tarsney, Tillman, Weaver, ties. The seat of the northern Dio cese will be continued at Alton, the The resolution as amended by the seat of the new southern Diocese will substitute was then agreed to, thus be at Belleville. The bishops of both confirming Mr. White's title to the Dioceses have been appointed, but only that for the Alton Diocese was announced yesterday. He is Rev. Father Jas. Ryan, priest of St. Columbikill's church at Lottumwa in the Peoria Diocese, of which Bishop IN INTER STATE CONVENTION IN PITTS-

Spalding is the head. A Bank Suspends.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 6 .- The Metro politan Bank suspended payment for a short time this morning, but reficulty will be found in arranging a sumed in a few minutes. The direcscale, as the operators do not express | tors held a meeting this morning at 10 o'clock. Pending the meeting the any part of the country, and the min- payment of checks was suspended and a long line of depositors gathered, reaching from the paying teller's desk to the street. In a very few minutes, however, the payment of checks began and at this writing, 11 o'clock, the line has much decreased. The directors are still in session and what has been transacted is not yet known except that Vice President DeCamp's resignation has been accepted, and Louis Kerr has been chosen in his place. Bank Examiner Sanders is at the bank but says he is too busy to say to this there had been numberless anything for the benefit of the public.

Congressional Notes. Wahington, Feb. 6 .- The Senate today confirmed the nomination of for the Southern district of Mississip.

The Senate further considered in secret session for an hour the British

The Crown Prince's Throat. SAN REMO. Feb. 6 .- The swelling in the lower part of the German Crown Prince's throat has slightly in-

creased and interferes somewhat with CALIFORNIA'S SLEEPING GIRL.

THE IS RESTING EASY IN THE FOURTEENTH WEEK OF HER SLUMBER. San Francisco Examiner.

Miss Laura Webster, who went to sleep last November, is still slumbering. She has longer waking intervals than a month ago, when the case was first made public. She lies with her eyes closed even when conscious, and and only gives evidence that she is in a waking state when she is spoken to.

She seems to be gaining slightly in strength, and eats more readily than before. Her appetite is not so capricious and she takes whatever food is provided. She still signifies her preference for certain articles of nourishment, and they are provided for her when it is possible. The doc ors have ceased their at endance. They say that they can do nothing more for her, and that time and nursing the firm expect to have every depart- are all that are needed to effect a

When an Examiner reporter called yesterday, the sleeping girl was resting quietly with closed eyes, as though in a natural slumber. She looked better than a month ago, and there was a slight color in her cheeks or collision is feared when the non- and lips. Her family say that she had said nothing in her waking mounion men leave the mill this evening. ments except to ask for something to vise the workingmen not to molest eat. They had not been able to find the colored men, but others cry for out whether she was aware of what went on around her during her perirevenge. They threaten death to ods of apparent unconsciousness. Young Kenna, who was shot on The long sleep has now lasted four-

teen weeks, and shows no sign of approaching an end.

Her Head in a Lion's Mouth.

A WOMAN PUTS HER LIFE IN JEOPARDY AND A BEAST TAKES ADVANTAGE OF IT.

A Dublin dispatch of Saturday says: At the conclusion of a performance at a music hall in Dublin last night Mile. Senide, one of the performers, placed her head in a lion's mouth for the purpose of having her photograph taken in that position. A sudden flash of light caused the beast to close his jaws and he retired growling to the corner of his cage, dragging his helpless victim with him. Then he shook the girl violently, tearing her bare breast with some of the gentlemen were startling were having fun with it by touching his claws. The attendants at once sprung toward the cage and attacked principles of law. He challenged any touched it with a piece of hoop-iron, the lion with irons and finally succeeded in beating him off. Mile. Senide was removed to her lodgings and medical aid was summoned. Her North Carolina in Congress. Friday, in the House, Mr. Latham neck, shoulders, breast and one arm are terribly lacerated, but she is still presented the papers in the claim of Elveny Russell, of Gates county;

Later it was stated that Mile. Mr. Johnston presented the petition Senide's injuries are not of a serious W. B Sutton and others; Mr. nature, and that she has offered to McClammy, the petition of citizens appear tonight and repeat her perof Walter, Wayne county; and Mr. formance with the lions. Rowland, the petition of citizens of River View, Mecklenburg county, for Two Girls.

From the Washington Critic.
Un popular Girl: "Did you have a an increase of the compensation of nice time at the ball last night?" Saturday Mr. Nichols presented the Popular Girl: "Perfectly charming; petition of citizens of Bradshaw, danced every set." Orange county, to the same effect. -The publication of the Austro-I did just the opposite."

ment in favor of peace.

German treaty of 1879 has caused Popular Girl: "How do you mean?" zen, he declared that Mr. White had hand to have been published with a dance."

Car, of the News and Observer

THE TARE INCELLENCE OF THE CHARMING REGION.

GREENSBORO, N. C., Feb. 4. The tourist who visits Florida should not come to the conclusion that because the Sub-Tropical Exposition is now open at Jacksonville that is the place of chief attraction, or he will there get a

correct idea of what Florida really is. The Sub-Tropical now exhibits some of the choicest productions, doubtless; but the excellence of that charming region is to be found in its faultless climate-the flow and the glitter and the splendor of some of ts matchless rivers-the lavish profusion of tropical regetation - the faultess, quiet beauty of its nondescript lakes, the thrill of life from the Gulf and Atlantic breezes that seem to penetrate the very soul -the gorgeous splendor and the mammoth size of its floral specimens; here is where the Exposition fails to instruct. When the traveler reaches Jackson-

ille he sees some of the indices of the lovely realm beyond, but is not yet out of reach of the chills that roll lown the coast from a spent blizzard. Several times, probably, during the winter will be seen the blighting effect of frost on the tender vegetation. A few hours more of travel will put him beyond the frost line, where nature is a perennial garden; vegetables, such as can only be raised to perfection in North Carolina by the t of May, are being harvested and shipped in January.

The only back-set that trucker has during the year is about the end of summer -say about August -in consequence of the duration of the heat and incidental drought; after which his "garden sass" takes a new lease on life-tomato vines, sweet potato, watermelon, pumpkin, gherkin, etc., etc., and all such perishable things, under the influence of balmy winds and autumnal showers, start out on another year of life and fruitage.

The conception of unceasing flowthose who have not seen or thought . H. Longino to be U. S. Attorney was not laden with both flowers and make quite a heavy grade in order to time to take effect, his would-be took the floor for a speech ers working for less money. extradition treaty, but took no action production of the finest flavored part of the city north of this road section-the hammock margin of its

> Farther down, on the waters of the Herman bay and St. Lucie and Hope sounds, the orange grove almost wholly disappears, not for any lack of adaptation in the soil or climate, but because the attention of fruit growers is turned to other products. Here the generous fruits of the tropics-banana, pineapple, lemon, cocoanut, lime, citron, sea grape -- are

In addition to the fruits-a goodly number not herein named-there are strange and luxuriant monuments of vegetation, presenting peculiaritiessometimes freaks-that can only be the guest of Mr. D. G. Worth. He incidental to a tropical region. Mul- returned to the University this morn titudes of air plants of several varieties, that cling and flourish in fantastic profusion on the jungle trees.

At Waveland, a point of land at the confluence of Indian and St. Lucie rivers, I saw a rubber tree entirely encasing a cabbage palmetto, from the ground up for twenty feet, with a solid wall, the rubber having grown around the other to that height, after which the two separated and both waved their thrifty, vigorous boughs to the breeze. L. W. A.

A Beautiful North Carolina Girl. Wash, Cor. Statesville Landmark. The President's reception last

Thursday night was quite a success. I noticed several North Carolinians present. The prettiest woman in the throng was Miss Monteiro, a sisterin law of Hon. Louis C. Latham. ye don't say so! An' is that the thing-She is beautiful. It does me good to look at her. I am a warm admirer of too "-The Epoch. beauty, and the vision of this lovely girl has haunted me ever since I saw her. I am proud to claim her as a North Carolinian. People may sneer | Japanese book agent who goes around at the sentiment, but after genius soliciting subscribers for an encyclowhat gift is greater than beauty? Im- pædia in 160,000 volumes, one to be agine, if you can, a graceful, petite figure delivered every other week, but in clad in wine-colored plush, with a tuft of this country he would be killed sever. soft, pink ostrich plumes outlining a al times a day. - Norristown Herald. pair of rounded shoulders, white as Parian marble and smooth as satin. On a swan-like neck is a small, wellposed head, crowned with a wreath of brown hair in whose waves many a glint of golden strands flashes out. The profile of the face is as pure as that of a chiseled Clytie. The eyes are bluish purple, reminding one of dewy pansies. The cheeks are tinted like the inside of a delicate sea-shell, and the lips are as crimson as a rose, and as beautifully curved as if they were the master-piece of Praxiteles I fell in love with her at first sight.

How Men Die. If we know all the methods of approach adopted by an enemy we are the better enabled to ward off the danger and postpone the moment when surrender becomes inevitable. In many instances the inherent strength of the body suffices to enable it to oppose the ten-dency toward death. Many, however, have lost these forces to such an extent that there is little or no help. In other cases a little to the weakened lungs will make all the difference between sudden death and many years of useful life. Upon the first symptoms of a cough or cold or any trouble of the throat or lungs, give that old and well known Unpopular Girl (vindictively): "Well, remedy - Boschee's German Syrup. a did just the opposite." sands say of it to be, the "benefactor every of any home

-Indications point to a Floquet emphatic and important private state- teration of the Czar's sentiments to- of her treaty of 1879 with Austria- P. M. WILSON, B. S. JERMAN. A. J. COOKE. ward M. Floquet.

BISMARCK

SPEAKS ON THE SITUATION IN EUROPE.

PRANCE AND HER PEACE-LOVING PRESI DENT-NO ATTACK APPREHENDED FROM RUSSIA.

Berlin, Feb. 6 .- The report that Prince Bismarck would report on the military bill drew a great crowd to to account for this sudden stand-still. the Reichstag today, and long before the day's business was begun the gal-Prussia and Prince Leepold, son of shot wheel, his head wedged between the late Prince Frederick Charles, occupied the court box, while the diplomatic galleries were crowded on the turning shaft of the wheel was with foreign representatives and their families. The House proceeded with the first

reading of the military loan bill and Frince Bismarck arose to address the can add anything to the true state of situation of Europe. I may con-I said on the same subject over of the African race is encased in a year ago. There has been very lit tle change since then, when I feared war with France. Since then France has elected a peace-loving president and a pacific disposition has prevailed. I can therefore reassure the public that so far as France is concerned the prospect has become more peaceful. Regarding Russia also I am of no other opinion than when I said that we have to apprehend no attack from Russia. The situation must now be judged from press com ments."

WILMINGTON.

A CREDITABLE IMPROVEMENT-OTHER Cor. of the News and Observer.

February 4th, 1888. The most creditable improvement in Wilmington in the past two years is the iron bridge on Fourth street,

ering and fruit bearing is difficult to now nearing completion. Perhaps many do not understand why there about it. To stand and look and should be a place on Fourth street, wonder at some magnificent specimen | or any other street, requiring an iron of the many fruit trees that smile on bridge. I will explain. Owing to that fair land and realize that from the considerable elevation of the surthe first infant bud, to the death of rounding country above the normal the tree by age or accident, there level of the Cape Fear river, the Wilhas never been a day or hour when it | mington & Weldon railroad had to fruit, is something wonderful indeed. reach its wharves on the river front, I have stated in a former letter and this grading of course resulted that the upper portion of Indian river | in an excavation running through the enjoys an enviable reputation for the northern portion of the city. All that oranges that are preduced in Florida, is known in local parlance as Brooklyn, probably in the world, and it is com- but, so far as I can learn, forms no paratively only a small part of that other resemblance to New York's great sister than that it is reached by banks-where there is unexcelled ex- passing over a bridge. The city proper cellence of culture. The producer intersects the Wilmington & Weldon railroad, and another at the intersection of Sixth street, both bridges, as you will see, being above the railroad tracks. The wooden bridge that has heretofore served at the former street is now replaced by a splendid iron bridge of the same width as the street, having a passage way on each side for pedestrians, and two in the middle,

one for vehicles going each way. The water main from the reservoir of the Clarendon Water Works will be swung under the structure, and the old trestle-work removed.

Dr. Thomas Hume, of the State University, was in the city yesterday, ing.

CURRENCY.

A Dilemma.

'Tis winter, my daughter, the coal's going fast-I really can't tell where it goes to: The period for trifling, it seems to me's

past-You could marry next week if you chose to. And this is leap year, dear, and youth cannot last. An offer make one of your beaux to,

'Oh, pa! I've so many,' the maid cried aghast, "I cannot tell which to propose to."

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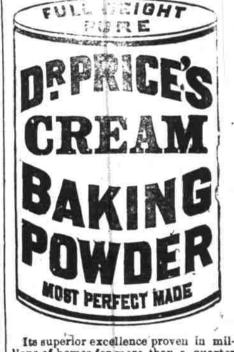
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