N. S. IMPROVEMENT CO.

referee Manly Has Submitted

a Report to Court. Mr. Clement Manly, referee, has upleted his report in the case enti-Congregation of United Brethren Salem and its vicinity vs. the North ute Improvement Company and oth-The report was to-day submitted

tiss lengthy document, covering detail everything connected with adebtedness of the North State mpany and such priorities as each gior might be entitled to; also the portional part of the purchase price winds as sold by J. W. Fries, receiv-

J. C. Mebane. It Maply disposes of the claims as

VS. Anna E. George, evidenced by the for \$5,000, secured by a deed in made to Dr. D. W. C. Benbow, the Gorrell property in Greensboro; the has been nothing paid on the is and the security of the trust has spen foreclosed. The referee peres the claimant to prove for the ensmount of principal and interest a lan 19th, 94, as against the assets the North State Improvement Com-

the claim of Dr. D. W. C. Benbow. see is not allowed, as it appears by dence of J. W. Fries that the \$50,stas given simply as a collateral antity to other debts, all of which been proven. the claim of H. L. Fry for \$166 is fillowed, as it appears from the dence of the receiver that the same steen settled by some arrangement the between the claimant and said

the claim of the Merchants' Namal Bank, of New York, is not

the claim of J. M. Vaughn, of Madi a is disposed of as follows : At the

Frankness.

BY A RICHMOND SYNDICATE JUDGMENT FOR JUDKINS.

People who are frank seldom get into any misunderstandings with

> their fellow or difficulties of any kind. They check any tendency to misconception of their views or purposes by frankly avowing them. and are incapable of entering upon an intrigue. But there are relatively few people who are entirely

> frank, and hence in real life, as well as in novels, and plays, there are many misunderstandings and many intrigues. Fiction, indeed, could scarcely exist if its characters were frank and outspoken. There is scarcely a novel or play which is not dependent for the interest it excites upon some misun-

frankness on the part of some of the characters. Sometimes it is the villain who deliberately misleads the other characters and conceals his purposes; sometimes it is the hero or heroine who fails to

speak the right word at the right time through pride or perversity, and thus gives rise to the story. Nor are these novels and plays

mere works of imagination. They are founded upon the experiences of men and women and are valued only as they approach our concep tions of truth respecting characters and events. But the individual need not be deterred by this consideration from cultivating frank. ness. His neighbors can be relied upon to furnish the material for misunderstanding and intrigues,

while he enjoyes the peace of mind that comes of truth. It is not always easy, however, to determine the proper limitations of frank. tel the North State Improve- ness. When it is assumed it often 1891, purchased certain lots and gives rise not to misunder-

Control Secured of the Seaboard Air Line, Florida Central & Peninsula and the Georgia & Alabama. New York, March 1-The Mail and Express says :

"The Florida Central & Peninsula Railroad, according to advices received in Wall street to-day, has passed into the hands of the Richmond syndicate. headed by John Skeleton Williams, who recently secured control of the Seaboard Air Line. This control bas been obtained through the purchase of the stock of W. Bayard Cutting and R. Fulton Cutting, of this city, who held a controlling interest in the property. The Messrs. Cutting are said to derstanding arising from a want of bave secured for the other stockholders the privilege of selling their minority stocks on terms giving them full protection. With this purchase, the syndicate will control the Seaboard Air Line, the Florida Central & Penipsula and the Georgia & Alabama."

PLANS OF THE SYNDICATE.

Baltimore, March 1-The following Register. official statement was given out here to-day :

"John S. Williams & Co., of Richmond, and Middendort, Oliver & Co., of Baltimore, for themselves and associates, have purchased of W. Bayard Cutting and R Fulton Cutting, of New York, a majority of the capital stock of the Florida Central and Peninsula Railroad. The Messrs Cutting have secured for all other stockholders of full protection.

"It is understood that no changes will be made immediately in the man- C. E. Helton. agement of the company, although it is believed that later on plans will be developed looking to a closer union between the Florida Central & Peninsula Company, Mr. Vaughn, in Jan- degenerates into brutal bluntness Railroad. the Georgia & Alabama Railroad and the Seaboard Air Line, all to the track arrangement of standings, but to the opposite. three of which are now owned and E.F. & Y. V. road, paying there- Every one has met the man or controlled by the purchasers of the road."

Danville Man Wins Sult For \$124,009 in New York.

Yesterday's New York Journal says "Judgment for \$124,009 was entered

yesterday against Julian S. Carr in favor of William D. Judkins for damages for breach of contract in refusing to pay a commission of 5 per cent. on the sale of \$2,448,901 of stock of the Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Company, which was negotiated by Mr. Judkins on December 13 last. The sheriff's jury assessed the damages." Mr. Judkins is a resident of Danville, though recently he has been located in New York city, where he is prominently connected with the tobacco interest.

The suit referred to above was instituted by Mr. Judkins after the control of Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Company passed to the Union Tobacco Company, the transfer being largely due to the efforts of Mr. Judkins.

The plaintiff is a son of Rev. Wm. E. Judkins, of the Virginia Conference, M. E. Church, South .- Danville

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

This remedy is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and influenza. It has become famous for its cures of these diseases. over a large part of the civilized world. The most flattering testimonials have been received, giving accounts of its good works; of the aggravating and persistent coughs it has cured; of severe colds that have yielded promptly the Florida Central & Peninsula Rail- to its soothing effects, and of the danroad the privilege of selling their gerous attacks of croup it has cured, minority stock on terms giving them often saving the life of the child. The extensive use of it for whooping cough

has shown that it robs that disease of all dangerous consequences. Sold by

Trusses and Crutches at Gardner's, cor. opp. postoffice.

Omaha Acquired a Thirst. OMAHA, Neb., Mar. 2.-Today,

Orinoco Tobacco Guano.



"Jim, I want you to keep the tobacco in this field separate from the lot over the fence. I want to see just how much more net money I will realize where ORINOCO GUANO was used than from the other brand over there. This Tobacco looks fine, and has a good healthy color."

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F. S. ROYSTER GUANO Co. :

SATTERWHITE, Granville Co., N. C., Aug. 21.

used your ORINOCO FERTILIZER for two years on my Tobacco crop, and it acted well for me. My Tobacco was of good size and yellowed well on the hill and cured nicely, and I obtained good prices for it. It stands at the head of the list of standard fertilizers. I expect to use it again.





1900 of his own money and \$500 ment Company. Afterwads the any paid \$500 additional, leaving paid by Vaughn. He has been mession of part of the property on there are certain dwellings, thave been rented and he has rethe rents therefor since '91. act said reuts have paid the interupon the notes held by Mr. Vaughn, in a trust in favor of the North ate Company.

The report of the referee gives the ad creditors of the North State mpany. They are given below : Batha A. Kemp, Greensboro, Conmation of United Brethren for \$10,-M. at 8 per cent.

In Rowe Wiggins, of Wilmington, fantic National Bank, of Wilming-Wilmington Savings and Trust mpany, Merchants' National, Natal Union and National Martin us, of Baltimore, settled by receiv-

W.N. Williams, of Fayetteville. RT. Gray and W. H. Lilly, execu-

leaver Creek and Bluff Mills Co. Hugh R. Garden, of New York.. Devenport, Jr., of Richmond. In National Bank, of Richmond National Bank, Greensboro. Back of Fayetteville. W.E. Kyle, Fayetteville. L Percy Gray, Greensboro. lutchison & Co., New York. W.A. Caldwell, Bettie Caldwell and B. Bogart, executors of D. F. Cald-

A.H. Joyce, assignee of W. A. Lash People's Bank, Lynchburg. A.J. DeRossett, Wilmington. I R. Williams, Fayetteville. Dt.D. W. C. Benbow and C. C. Mc liter, Greensboro. imes A. Leak, Wadesboro. 18. Williams, New York. Bank of Wayne. M. Falton. Mind National Bank, New York. M. Vaughn, Madison. In Annie E. George, Wanonda, Va Forge M. Rose, Fayetteville. as total indebtedness aggregates 332.15.

as report filed is entitled No. 1, as hause will be retained by Mr. Manbadjust hereafter and make a reto a subsequent term of court of portionate part of the assets dethe from the sale of bonds to which particular creditor is entitled. a refers to bonds held by Dr. D. W. bebow, trustee, and conveyed by to J. C. Mebane.-Winston Sen-

woman who prefaces disagreeable Florida Central & Peninsula Railremarks or interference into other people's affairs with the saying: "I never hesitate to speak my mind" or "I think it only right to frankly say," &c. The frankness that is commendable comes from the truth that is in one's heart. It is not obtrusive, nor is it subject to repression by pride or any of the baser passions. When one is rec-

ommended to cultivate frankness he is not advised to merely assume it, but to plant the seed and nourish it. The seed is truth, of which frankness is only the fruit. We with interest from October 20th, cannot have the fruit without the seed, but we may have the seed and so neglect it that it will never grow and bear fruit. To be frank we must not only have truth in our hearts, but have the courage to give it expression, and the lack of courage is generally the chief im-

> pediment. A desire to avoid controversy or a dislike of what are called "scenes," or pride may have to be overcome if we would speak frankly, and we may not have the

moral courage to overcome these impediments to free speaking. To cultivate frankness, therefore, we must first of all have truth in our hearts, and then develop the moral courage required to give it expression. But this is not all; we must, at the same time, keep control of our tempers that frankness may not degenerate into scolding or inte unnecessary bluntness. The man who is frank in the best sense of the word is the ideal gentlemantrue, courageous, considerate. We should all cultivate frankness, never merely assume it .- Baltimore

Paul Perry, of Columbus, Ga., suffered agony for thirty years, and then cured his Piles by using De Witt's criminal proceedings had not been Witch Hazel Salve. It heals injuries taken against him. The Admiral and skin diseases like magic. Howard Gardner.

Sun.

An Escaped Postoffice Robber Recaptured.

Joseph E. Reid, a convicted safe- against his will. He told the comblower and postoffice burglar, who mittee that he wept on receiving

Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company and Irvine Keyser and Harry M. Parr, of this city; the Produce Exchange Trust Company, of New York, and the Richmond Trust and Deposit Company, of Richmond, Va. These corporations and gentlemen formed Air Line. They now control 2,345.21 miles of railroad. The ultimate plan of the syndicate is probably to obtain a good Northern connection so that the service will extend from the extreme South to New York. The lines already controlled and with which traffic arrangements are operative, extend as far north as Quantico, Va., 18 already been secured, will be construcnew system will connect at Washington with the Baltimore & Ohio, thus making a through line from New York

Carlists Again Active.

to southern Florida.

MADRID, Mar. 2 .- The newspapers are urging the government to maintain its precautions against Carlist activity, especially upon the frontier, where attempts are being made to smuggle arms and ammunition into the country with a view to an early Carlist rising. El Correspondencia Militar estimates that 440,000,000 pesetas will be required to cover the cost of the last two wars in Cuba.

The committee of the Senate for the verification of credentials has examined Admiral Cervera, who had contended that he was entitled to sit in the Senate, inasmuch as

declared that if the loss of his squadron were a crime, it must be attributed to the government, which sent him to the Antilles congratulations upon his safe arrival at Santiago de Cuba, for he had foreseen disaster.

for the first time in the city's history, the saloons were hermetically sealed. This was the result of a It is understood that the associates, clash between certain factions of which mention is made in the an- prominent in city affairs, one of nouncement, include the Baltimore which has made a wholesale on-Trust and Guarantee Company, the slaught on the gambling fraternity, and the other, in retaliation, has invoked the power of the police force to close the saloons.

The raids on the wet goods dispensaries began three weeks ago today, but those who know the the syndicate which recently bought a ropes found little difficulty in controlling interest in the Seaboard moistening their throats. Today it was different. Twenty officers were detailed to watch the saloons, and they did their duty.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications miles from Washington. It is believ- of this liniment proved of great service ed this gay, a franchise for which has to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufted in the near future, and that the ferer profit by giving Pain Balmatrial new system will connect at Washing. It will please me." For sale by C. E. Holton.

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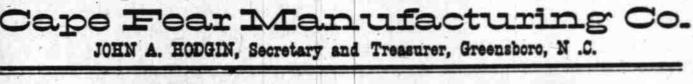
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Typhoid Fever in Havana.

HITANA, Mar. 2,-There are try cases of typhoid fever in the second Division Hospital in Maj. at Lee's camp, and there is some ar that the fever may become idemic. When the camp was ground sewers, the intention ang to make the drainage as good tists in any American city, the water to carry away all refuse. his design was not carried out, ad the camp has sinks, not matealy different from those in camps the United States. Some defment of typhoid fever had et expected.

Typhoid also exists in the Tenth gular Regiment, encamped in the eks of Havana. Five cases from ce company are now in the hos-Malship Missouri. The regiment, the relief station detail, will moved out of the city, though hether because of sanitary conderations or because the newlystituted police are hereafter to "guard duty does not appear.

escaped, from the North Carolina State penitentiary on January 20 last, was arrested at 3 o'clock yestesday merning by Detectives Boyd and Horne and Postoffice Inspector

Edwin S. Leland, of New York. Reid was found in a lodging-house on C street, known as "Ajax's." His indentity is fully established. and he will be held for the North Carelina authorities, who have been States has been signed by Foreign

informed of his capture. The prisoner, his pal, Joe Jones, Powell Clayton. The treaty, which and a man named Miller were ar- is predicated upon the proposition rested in Winston, N. C., on April made by Mexico in 1885, is to have 24 last. There had been many a retroactive effect, so as to cover robberies of postoffices throughout the cases of fugitives from justice North Carolina, Maryland and Vir- during the interregnum between ginia by a gang which had avoided the old and the new treaties. The capture for a long time. The of- convention broadens the embezzlefices of Newport News, Falls Church ment clause to cover not merely and Hyattsville were among those public money, but all defaultcaburglarized, and not a week passed tions or thefts.

for months without a burglary of this kind. In many cases the post- delivery of stolen goods on the deoffices robbed were in stores, and mand of either government. these suffered, too. The burglars copy of the treaty has been mailed never carried off anything but cash, to the State Department at Washstamps and firearms .- Washington ington, in the hope that it may ar-Post, 27th.

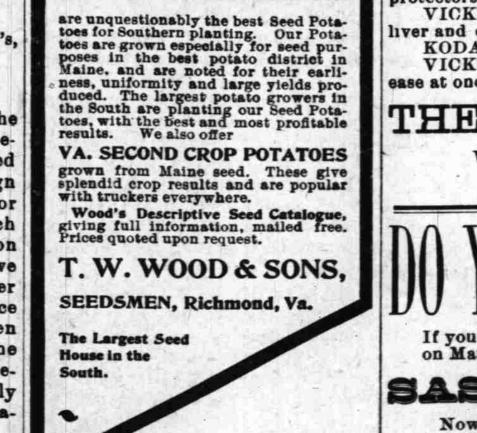
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Extradition With Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, Mar. 2 .- The extradition treaty negotiated between Mexico and the United Minister Mariscal and Ambassador Another clause provides for the

rive in time to be acted upon by



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