Washington, Special. - The Supreme Court of the United States decided that the national government may properly tax the State liquor dispensaries of South Carolina. The opinion was delivered by Justice Brewer in the case of the State of South Carolina vs. the United States. This action was instituted by the State of South Carolina to recover \$20,000 reid to the revenue officers of the national government on account of the sale of liquors by the State and county dispensaries under the dispensarv law. The State took the position that as the dispensaries sold liquors without profit they should not be taxed by the government, but the tax has been collected since 1893. This is said to have been the first case in which the State unites in one undertaking the exercise of its police power together with the prosecution of a commercial business. The Court of Claims dismissed the petition on the ground that the exercise of police power was but thinly disguised, holding that the real purpose was money making and this decision was affirmed.

COUNTING VOTES AS CAST.

Upon Argument by Alton B. Parker Justice Amend Rules That He is Estopped From Questionening Validity of Any Ballots Counted by Election Inspectors, and Recount

New York, Special.—The recount of ballots in five ballot boxes used in New York's mayoralty election contest was ordered to be begun Friday by Justice Amend in the Supreme

The original order to open these five boxes was granted a few days ago. Jutsice Amend, in ordering the recount to begin, modified his original order so as to limit the canvassing to the candidates for mayor, comptroller and president of the board of aldermen, and also to eliminate from the recount the void and protested ballots.

McClellan and Assistante Corporation | erected. Counsel Butts engaged in a heated argument before the boxes were opened. Alton B. Parker, for Mayor McClellan. and Mr. Butts contended that the court had no right to make a re-canvass of the votes or to reconsider the result, but could compel the election inspectors correctly to state the result they reached on election night.

"You mean, then," said Austin G. Fox, for Mr. Hearst, "that you do not want the true vote ascertained, and that if a vote for Hearst has been counted for McClellan you don't want | it known?"

"I mean," retorted Mr. Butts. "that I want the true vote ascertain-

ed according to law." "And how may that be done?" in-

quired Mr. Fox. "By quo warranto proceedings," was the reply.

"And such proceedings can only be undertaken after January," comment-

ed Mr. Fox. "I see." Mr. Parker disclosed that the court had no right to throw out any ballot

which had been counted by the election inspectors. Justice Amend ruled that he is estopped from questioning the validity of the ballots and they must be counted as cast. The first ballot box was then open-

ed by inspectors in the court room and the recount was begun, with the representatives of the newspapers occupying the seats intended for jury-

The openeing of four ballot boxes and the recounting of the ballots was finished Saturday night before Judge Amend. The net results was a gain of seventeen votes in the four districts for Hearst, and of these being gained in three districts. Henry M. Younge, of counsel for Mr. Hearst,

"The results thus far have shown that the inspectors miscounted the split ballots, to the gain of McClellan and the loss of Mr. Hearst. If it turns out in other districts as it has in those examined Mr. Heart is elected on the recount."

Mexico's Vice President.

Mexico City. Special.—Vice Presityphus fever. His physicians hope A husband and three small children vitality. There is much public anxiety regarding his condition.

Rumored Depew Has Resigned.

New York, Special .-- A rumor has gained circulation that Chauncey M. Depew had resigned from the United States Senate. When questioned concerning the rumor, the Senator said, "Ham tired of making denials of unfrom the past."

Discusses the Cotton Situation With an Official of the Manufacturers'

Charlotte, Special .- J. A. Brown, of Chadbourne, N. C., a member of the national executive committee of the Southern Cotton Association, and an official representative of that organization, was in this city Saturday to confer with Mr. R. M. Miller, Jr., president of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association.

At the meeting of the executive committee in Memphis, Tenn., on the 25th of last June, a resolution was introduced by Mr. Brown, which, among other things, enumerated that "the prosperity of the cotton grower was bound up with the well-being of the spinner," and hence the association desired to place itself on record as favoring co-operation between producer and manufacturer and a committee was named to take up the matter with the American and New England Manufacturers' associations.

The conference was a lengthy one. With reference to the specific ideas forts were bombarded by the guns discussed Mr. Brown would not talk. the cruiser Otchakoff, which now li-He expressed himself, however, as very highly pleased with the meeting stating that the cotton grower and the its hull riddled with shells and i in the same light and that both were in a large measure naturally dependent one on the other.

"Negotiations are now pending for community of interest," said Mr.

It is said that the scheme which is being talked of is the formation of a gigantic corporation with sufficient capital to build warehouses at the cotton centres of this country and Europe and then buy up enough of the yearly crop to hold the balance of power in the market and regulate values.

\$2,00 1,000 Timber Deal.

Asheville, Special.-It was learned recently that eGorge W. Vanderbilt has sold to W. S. and W. L. Alexander of Charlotte, and associates from othgin forest, with 3,000,000 feet of mar- the Otchakoff was on fire and badly ketable timber. The consideration will aggregate nearly \$2,000,000 in the final consummation. It is said that 20 give more definite information. years will be required to remove the addition to the three million feet of lumber, the boundary contains one million feet of tannic acid, and pulp woods, and 40,000 cords of tan-bark. The deal is the largest ever consummated in this section. It is said that as a result of the transfer a furniture Counsel for W. R. Hearst, Mayor | factory and tannic acid plant will be

Chair Factory Burned.

Lexington, Special--About 5 o'clock Friday morning fire completely destroved the plant and contents of the Central Manufacturing Company, of this place. The loss is estimated at from \$15,000 to \$20,000, with insurance only \$10,000. It is not known exactly how the fire originated, but it came from the direction of the engine room, and when discovered, had made such headway that it was a matter of impossibility for the building or contents to be saved.

The News of the State.

Mr. James Young, a prominent citizen of Caroleen, was killed Saturday at his saw mill, a mile from town, by the falling of a smokestack. Death was almost instantaneous.

Mr. John A. Rone died at Caroleen Saturday morning, of paralysis. He was an excellent old gentleman.

Mrs. Lucinda Lee, of Palmtree, a nearby town, was buried Saturday. received in being thrown from a bug-

Charles Olsen defeated James Parry in Asheville Thanksgiving night, for the middleweight championship of the world, and a side bet of \$1,000. The bout was the fastest ever seen in the city, and Olsen's staying powers gave him the victory. He won the first fall in 23 minutes and 10 seconds and

Mrs. Ruburtus G. Rhyne died at Mt. Holly Wednesday night, after a very brief illness. She became ill Sunday and, with all that medical skill could do, she did not improve. Her death was a great shock to the community. The number of her friends, shown by their presence at the funeral, shows the high esteem in which was held. She was a devoted wife, a loving mother, and a consecrated Christian. She was a daughter dent Corral continues gravely ill with of Dr. and Mrs. Rore, of Mt. Pleasant. for the best and rely on his great | survive her. She was laid to rest in the city cemetery, Rev. W. J. Boger | Thanksgiving dinner. preaching the funeral.

Wednesday at Scotland Neck, the Halifax county board of the Southern Cotton Association held a meeting of great interest in Halifax. One of the chief features of the day was the

address of Senator F: M. Simmons. The first meeting of the creditors of the Franklin-Martin Drug Company, pleasant questions, and am resolved of Fayetteville, was held there Satur- nia, in a fast and furious game of not to talk further to newspapers. I day, before Referee Victor Borden. will deny nothing nor will I affirm | Claims were filed to the amount of anything. I have learned a lesson \$1,575 from the sale of the stock, and \$3,000 in solvent accounts.

Frightful Slaughter Wrought By Government Vessels

CONQUEST OF THE INSURGENTS

Desperate Struggle Between Mutinous Sailors and the Loyal Troops at Russia's Black Sea Stronghold End in Victory to the Latter-Fire From Fleet of Ten Ships Was Opened on the Batteries and the Town and a Furious Exchange of Fire Continued For Two Hou and a Half.

St. Petersburg, By Cable-Sebast pol was the scene of a desperate ba tle between the mutinous sailors an the troops in the forts on shore.

During the battle the town and the a burning wreck off Admiralty Poin coton spinner regarded the situation flaunting red ensign of revolution hauled down.

> Many of the erew of the Otchakoff were killed or wounded. According to one report the barracks of the muthe mutinous fleet, which is said to have numbered ten vessels, had surrendered, and the whole position is now in the hands of the troops under the command of General Neplueff. unable to guarantee the correctness

> The commander of the Otchakoff, Lieutenant Schmid, immediately accepted the challenge, replying with both patteries, one trained on the town and the other on the Fort Alexander batteries, on the north shore.

Captain Zilotti, aide de came to Admiral Wirenius, chief of the naval er points, the standing timber of his general staff, informed the Associated famous Pisgah forest reserve. The Press that the latest dispatches rereserve contains \$1,000 acres of vir- ceived from Sebastopol showed that riddled, with its revolutionary colors hauled down, but he was unable to

According to a more detailed report lumber. The deal was consummated from another source and purporting by B. F. A. Saylor, of Rome, Georgia, to come from the Admiralty, the bat- the charge of shooting at Dave Lyon, and Lentz & Cutting, of this city. In the began at 3 o'clock, when Lieutenant Schmid, not receiving a reply He was sent over to court under bond. to the demands of the mutineers, op- Two other cases will grow out of this ened fire from a fleet of ten ships, difficulty, as the negro parson is to be to which the northern batteries at Fort Alexander, artillery posted on the shore and several vessels which tempting to use a knife on the black remained loyal replied.

During the naval battle the sailors on the shore, entrenched in the barracks, defended their position with machine guns and rifles against the attacking infantry. After an engagement lasting two and a half hours, with the Otchakoff riddled and on fire and the cruiser Dniper and another vessel sunk, Lieutenant Schmid who had been badly wounded, surrendered the entire squadron. The .mutinous sailors on shore surrendered to the Brest and Bielistok Regi-

According to this report, the Panteleimon, formerly the Kniaz Potemand a torpedo boat is ashore on the rocks.

No details of the casualities or of the damage suffered by the town are obtainable by the Admirality, but owing to the confined space in which the action was fought it is improbable that the town escaped without

heavy damage. The demands of the mutineers are said to have included, besides the 15 proposals dealing with service conditions, the convocation of a constitu-Her death was the result of injuries | ent Assembly and the complete realization of the liberties promised by the imeprial manifesto.

Deranged by Hard Study.

Columbia, Tenn.—Special—A tragthe second bout in 10 minutes and 45 | Early's mind is thought to have become deranged by hard study.

Roosevelt's Thanksgiving.

Washington, Special.-The President and Mrs. Roosevelt, accompanied by two of their children, Archie and Ethel, left Washington for Plain Dealing, their country home in Virginia, where they spent Thanksgiving quietly. They returned to Washington Friday. Plain Dealing is about ten miles from Red Hill, which is 121 miles south of Washington, and was companied the party to prepare the

Carolina Wins.

Norfolk, Va., Special.—In the presence of 15,000 people, at least half of whom were supporters of the White and Blue, Carolina Thursday afternoon, defeated her old rival, Virgifootball. The Carolina eleven piled up 17 points while her opponents were being beld in complete control and kept from crossing the goal line.

MR. BROWN IN CHARLOTTE MUTINEERS FAILED NORTH STATE NEWS

Items of Interest Gleaned From Various Sections

FROM MOUNTAIN TO SEASHORE

Minor Occurrences of the Week of Interest to Tar Heels Told in Para-

Charlotte Cotton Market.

The cotton market steady,	poor
demand.	
Low middling	101/
Strict low middling	11
Middling	111/
Strict middling	111/
Good middling	113/
General Cotton Market.	
April	11.8
May	11.92
June	11.97
July	119
November	11.2
December	11.3
January	11.5
February	11.6
March	11.0

His "Purity" Was Beastiality.

Lenoir, Special.-At the recent term of Superior Court of Mitchell tineers was carried by storm after county, there was developed one of the most remarkable cases ever tried in this State. One J. B. Naugle, who had been a minister of the Gospel and was still a teacher and the author of a phamphlet entitled "The Key of Life," promulgated a doctrine called Purity. His teachings are too shocking to be mentioned. They culminted in his being indicted and convicted of crimnal intimacy with one of his pupils, continued for fifteen months in the same room with his wife and daughter, and with their knowledge. The good people of the county were indignant almost to the point of violence when the facts became known. Naugle is now serving a term of two years on the chain-gang of Iredell county, two years being the limit.

The Rev. Elam Under Bond.

Durham, Special.—Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Justice Owens tried Rev. Elam, a negro preacher, on a former member of Elam's church. charged with carrying concealed weapon and the Lyon negro with at-

The News of the State.

The Postmaster General has notified Congressman E. Y. Webb that rural free delivery routes for Mount Holly, Gaston County, and Connelly Springs, Burke County, will be established, commencing February 1st, 1906. Congresman Webb left Shelby for Washington to attend the opening of Congress.

Dr. H. J. Thomas, one of the most popular and successful physicians of Winston-Salem, died Thursday after several attacks of pneumonia which kine, was injured below the water line | developed last week, this being the direct cause of his death, though the deceased had been in bad health for some time.

Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, Justice Owens, of Durham, tried Rev. Elam, a negro preacher on the charge of shooting at Dave Lyon, a former member of Elam's church. He was sent to court under bond.

The secretary of state has issued a commission to the Benettsville Grocery Company, to be capitalized at \$25,000. The corporators are W. S. Mowry, Throop Crosland and C. E.

A. W. Gibbs, known to many as "Jud" Gibbs, met with a fatal accident at Barnardsville Monday edy in which two close friends lost morning. He was working in a comtheir lives occurred near Rally Hill, | bination saw mill and machine shop, in Maury county. The dead are Fred | when he was struck by a plank and Early and Henry Coleman. Early knocked against a fly wheel. The top killed his friend and then himself. of his head was torn off, and he was Both men were theological students. otherwise cut and mangled. Gibbs was a widower with several children. He has many relatives in Burke.

It is learned from a most reliable authority that Rutherfordton will shortly have a new bank which will make the third institution of the kind for our growing and progressive is attached. There is choice allowed town. The capital of the new enterprise will be \$20,000, the majority of being equally correct. the stock having already been subscribed by leading business men in the medium size is two and one-half different parts of the county.

The annual conference of the A. M E. Zion church convened in Newbern and will continue in session until recently purchased by Mrs. Roosevelt. Monday. Bishop Lomax, of Charlotte Two cooks from the White House ac- is the presiding officer, and is assisted by Bishop Clinton, also Charlotte.

> The new graded school building is going up rapidly. When completed, it will be one of the handsomest buildings in Morganton, and will cost about \$18,000. The auditorium will be finished before May, so the closing

Insurance and Real Estate Company, of Durham, with \$20,000 paid-up capital, stockholders, W. J. Griswold, T. C. Worth and others.



autumn and is especially well liked appliques of heavy Chantilly lace in with the corselet or princesse skirt or the same shade. These roses are of with the skirt that is worn with a gigantic size and the heart of each has deep girdle. Here is one of the smart- been cut away to show a piece of the



effect and which is adapted to all seasonable materials. The lines are ex-! the front and the backs. These last ceptionally good ones and the tucks are laid in narrow tucks that extend to from the shoulders give a distinctive yoke depth and when a chemisette is touch. In this case one of the new double voiles is trimmed with collar and cuffs of velvet and made with a closing is made invisibly at the centre waistcoat of broadcloth, but the pos-back. The sleeves are full above the sibilities are many. The suitings of elbows and they can be finished at that

New York City.-The short, jaunty and shirrings. Upon the blouse bodice Eton is a pronounced favorite of the and the voluminous skirt there are rose est yet shown that gives a waistcoat cloth of gold which is deftly introduced from beneath. This may sound patchy, but the effect is exquisite.

> Misses' Blouse Waist. No waist suits the young girl so well is the blouse and none is so fashionable. Illustrated is an exceedingly attractive yet absolutely simple model which provides for many occasions and which can be varied in a number of ways. As shown it is made of cashmere with bands of taffeta piped with velvet, and is worn over a chemisette of all-over lace, but the chemisette can be omitted and the neck left slightly open, or the waist can be made high with long sleeves, as shown in the back view. In any case it is stylish and satisfactory and adapted to almost all waistings and the softer dress materials. In this instance it matches the skirt, but the model will be found a desirable one for the separate blouse, which fills so many needs, and which this year is so fashionable in white silk or embroidered net, for both of which materials the model is a most satisfactory one.

The waist is made with a fitted foundation, which can be used or omitted as may be liked, and itself consists of used are cut out on indicated lines. The chemisette is separate and the



Instead of soaking tapioca before cooking put it into boiling water or milk, and it will have less of the starchy flavor so noticeable when soaked in cold water.

A CLOTHESPIN HINT.

Clothespins boiled a few minutes and quickly dried once or twice a month become more flexible and durable. Clotheslines will last longer and keep in better order if treated in the same

WHEN POLISHING GLASS.

When polishing mirrors, windows or picture glass with whiting the best way to use ft is in muslin bags. Damp the glass lightly, then rub with the bag and polish off with crumpled news-

WHEN PARING VEGETABLES.

When vegetables are pared, let the rubbish be cleared away immediately: as soon as a stew-pan is emptied of its contents, let it be washed and pure away; if a spoon, fork or knife is used, rinse it immediately and put it in the

PUT THINGS AWAY,

If everything is put away as soon as it is used, the kitchen will be a pleasanter place to work in, and washing of the dishes will be quickly accomplished. This last operation needs plenty of boiling water, with a little soda, if dishes are greasy.

KEEP THE SKEWERS.

All skewers sent in with the roasts from the butchers should be kept after being washed. These are wonderfully useful in cleaning paintwork, as with the aid of a piece of flannel they can penetrate to all nooks and corners and clean things thoroughly. They are also useful for fishing lace, etc., out of the hot starch.

CARE OF BROOMS AND BRUSHES. Brooms and brushes will last much longer if they are always kept hanging up. Those used for the floors should be washed in ammonia and 20apy water, and dried in the open air, about every four weeks. Those which are used for greasy purposes should be thoroughly cleansed with soda water every week and dried in a similar way.



Crullers-Two cups of sugar, one cup of butter, two cups of sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in hot water. Flour to roll out tolerably stiff.

Kisses-One egg, one cup sugar, onehalf cup butter, one-half cup of milk, one teaspoonful cream of tartar, onehalf of soda, flour enough to make a stiff dough; drop on tins and sprinkle over with powdered sugar. Bake in a quick oven.

Lemon Water Ice-Take two lemons and rasp them in sugar, the juice of six lemons, the juice of one orange. one pint of clarified sugar and half a pint of water. Mix all together, strain through a fine sieve and freeze. When nearly frozen add the whites of three

Peanut Crisps-One quart roasted peanuts, whites of two eggs, three dozen oyster crackers. Shell the nuts and chop fine. Beat the egg whites very stiff. Take the crackers one by one and dip first into the egg and then into the nuts. Dry on buttered paper in a cool oven.

Potato Salad-Boil eight potatoes in their skins, and do not peel them until they are cold. Rub the inside of your salad bowl with a clove of garlic. (If you dislike the flavor of garlic you may omit this). Slice the potatoes intothe bowl, and add to them an onion which you have sliced fine and scalded for ten minutes in boiling water. Season the vegetables with pepper and salt, and pour upon them five tablespoonfuls of oil and two of vinegar. Toss and turn them in this. Some people relish the addition of a couple of cold boiled beets sliced.

Bordeaux Sauce-One peck of tomatoes, green; two quarts of onions, one medium head of cabbage, two or three large peppers, half red. Chop all together quite fine; two quarts of best vinegar, one pound of sugar, half ounce each of cloves, allspice, cinnamon, black pepper, celery and mustard seeds, small cup of salt, tablespoonful of tumeric powder. Mix all well together and let it cook slowly for three or four hours. I like this the best of any of my pickle recipes. This makes forty-four inches wide, five-eighth about eight quart jars full. Need not

> Cottage Cheese-If more milk has . soured than can be conveniently used for cooking, a cheese can be made. The milk should be "whole milk"-that is, not skimmed. Heat it slowly over hot, not boiling, water, until the curds have separated from the liquid part. but not until the curd is tough or hard. Drain this, without pressing. a solid mass, remove to a bowl and molds.

The quantity of material required for

the medium size (fourteen years) is

two and seven-eighth yards twenty-

MINE GORED WALKING SKIRT.

the season are exceptionally beautiful | point or with cuffs that extend to the

also are chiffon velveteen and all the three and a quarter yards twenty-one,

tion. Velvet as trimming on cloth is seven or one and three-quarter yards

yards of all-over lace for the chemis- | seal it. Will keep as long as you let it. A charming evening dress of deli- ette and one and three-quarter yards if cately blue chiffon is a mass of tucks | cuffs are used.

A Golden Brim.

affair with a soft and rather flat crown rosette of white chiffon. of richest sable fur. The brim starts out to be of cream lace (Renaissance exercises of the school can be held applique), but ends by being bound to a depth of nearly two inches with cloth the other more beautiful. Under the pink and yellow.

and broadcloth and velvet both are

shown in light or "chiffon" weights

and will be greatly worn, while there

many novelties too numerous to men-

exceedingly fashionable, but here again

there is opportunity for individual

preference, silk can be used or plain

cloth on mixtures as may be liked.

The waistcoat, too, can be made of

cloth, as in this instance, of brocade or

of any contrasting material that may

The Eton is made with fronts that

consist of plain portions that are ex-

tended to form the band and tucked

portions that are joined thereto and

the back. The narrow collar finishes

the neck and beneath it the waistcoat

of elbow or full length slevces, both

The quantity of material required for

vards twenty-one, one and three-fourth

yards forty-four or one and five-eighth

yards fifty-two inches wide, with one-

half yard of velvet for collar and five-

Golden Hearts.

eighth yards of any width for vest.

be preferred.

brim at the left, well back, there's a La A gem of an evening hat is a broad France rose, which is backed up by a

Feather Trimmed.

Some little evening wraps are trimmed with feathers. They are of through double cheesecloth. When

of gold. This is not the intensely yel- chiffon accordion-pleated, and are drained sufficiently to hold together in The State charters the Griswold low shade, but is somewhat silvery in somewhat on the dolman order. The comparison. It is all exquisite and border trimming of curled ostrich was add salt to taste, a little sweet cream. rich, the golden cloth, the fine lace and very pretty. Several of these wraps and, if desired, a very little powdered the superb fur each serving to make were displayed, in white, pale blue, sage. Shape by pressing into cup