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Far-Seeing People Visit

THE CASH RACKET STORES.

This is Straw Hat Week with us.

We are almost giving them away. We do not intend to carry over one hat if the price will move it.

New lot of Ladies Oxford Ties just received.

Also Holland Shades and Laces.

The Cash Racket Stores,

J. M. LEATH,

Manager, Nash and Goldsboro Streets, WILSON, N. C.

World's Columbian Exposition Will be of value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in medicinal agents, has been of equal importance, and as a strengthening laxative that Syrup of Figs is far in advance of all others.

Oregon at the World's Fair. Oregon is one of the few States that is not represented at the World's Fair by a State building. This far western State's World's Fair appropriation was made at so late a date that it was decided impracticable to attempt the erection of a building. Oregon is, however, represented in the several great department buildings of the exposition by displays that do credit to the State.

Liberal Way of Advertising.

Make as many small English words as possible from letters contained in C-E-L-E-R-Y-P-I-L-L-S, without using a letter in any one word more than once. It appears in "Celery Pills." To the person sending largest list will be given a beautiful matched pair of Cream White Ponies, Gold Mounted Harness and Phrygian, a trip to the World's Fair and return for the second largest list received; a Fine upright Piano for third; a Pneumatic Bicycle for fourth; Fine Gold Watch for fifth; pair Diamond Earrings for sixth; Pair Organ for seventh; elegant Harp for eighth; Black Silk Dress Pattern for ninth; Music Box, Drum and bells for tenth largest list; also two other valuable prizes for first 100 persons sending a list of not less than 60 words made from letters contained in "Celery Pills." Judge's "Celery Pills" are what you require if troubled with nervousness, insomnia, loss of appetite, weakness, dyspepsia, stomach trouble, headache, indigestion, etc. Send three ten cent stamps with list of words and you will receive five more and receive FREE a sample package, with full particulars and list of those in your State who have won prizes to introduce this great nerve and stomach remedy, all delivered in U. S. FREE. Enclose thirteen U. S. 2-cent stamps with list of words promptly to RUDGE CELEERY PILL CO., Montreal, Que., and you are sure of a first-class prize for your trouble.

In the Mining building is a statue in salt of Mrs. Lot as she appeared after she looked back. If the lady in question resembled in the least her saline prototype Mr. Lot had cause for congratulation on the fact that she yielded to the temptation to look behind.

Strength and Health.

If you are not feeling strong and healthy, try Electric Bitters. If "La Grippe" has left you weak and weary, use Electric Bitters. This remedy acts directly on Liver, Stomach, and Kidneys, gently aiding those organs to perform their functions. If you are afflicted with SICK HEADACHE you will find speedy and permanent relief by taking Electric Bitters. One trial will convince you that this is the remedy you need. Large bottles only 50c. at A. J. Hine's drug store.

If you feel weak and all worn out take BROWN'S IRON BITTERS

## Is Life Worth Living?

That depends upon the Liver. If the Liver is inactive the whole system is out of order—the breath is bad, digestion poor, head dull or aching, energy and hopefulness gone, the spirit is depressed, a heavy weight exists after eating, with general despondency and the blues. The Liver is the housekeeper of the health; and a harmless, simple remedy that acts like Nature, does not constipate afterwards or require constant taking, does not interfere with business or pleasure during its use, makes Simmons' Liver Regulator a medical perfection.

"I have tested it personally, and know that for Dyspepsia, Biliousness and Throbbing Headache, it is the best medicine the world ever saw."—H. H. Jones, Mason, Ga.

Take only the Genuine, Which has on the Wrapper the red S E Trade-mark and Signature of J. E. KELLEN & CO.

Advice to Mothers

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

### BILL ARP'S LETTER.

Silver and gold. I wish that I did understand it. I have said so much about bimetalism and demoralizing and free coinage and the Sherman act and the purchase of bullion and that Congress should do and shouldn't do that it all makes my head swim, and I lose confidence in Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Carlisle and everybody else. The whole thing seems to be in a tangle. Have we no great statesmen, no great financiers to back up to? Are the editors of the papers to box the thing about forever and ever and keep the people in a quandary? Is partisan politics to curse the country while it is suffering from a financial panic that is paralyzing every industry and creating a general distrust. There is not a Republican paper but what would rather the Democrats would make a blunder than to bring relief. They are a heartless set—these politicians. They are everlastingly machining around to keep in office or to get in and the Democrats are nearly as bad as the Republicans. I have heard so much in the last two weeks about machine politics that I am sick. I never conceived how many bargains and trades had to be made to get an office; how many traps and triggers and how the patronage and spoils and perquisites had to be divided out to suit the Congressmen and keep them in office. Not all the Congressmen, of course, for thank heaven we have some there who have no machine and who would not fear to have every act of their political life laid open to the people, but with some of them a public office is a private trust. They say, "This is my office. I worked for it, I stooped for it, I lied for it, and I'm going to make all I can out of it." It has been that way all statesmen like there used to be some great thinkers and leaders like Calhoun and Webster and DeWitt Clinton of the old times. I wish that we had Justice Jackson in Congress, for I do believe that a man who could untangle the Central railroad as quickly as he did could untangle all this money business and tell the country what to do to restore confidence. That is all that is wanted they say. Confidence! I want some myself. Confidence is a plant of slow growth in an aged bosom. My old friend Cicero Strom told me the other day that the way to settle the trouble was to take the \$100,000,000 of reserved gold that was in the treasury and use, for it had been there for years and years doing no good and they might just as well fill up the bags with iron or lead or copper and nobody would ever know the difference, for it is never counted, but is weighed twice a year. It could be fixed up in the night by the treasurer and one or two men to help. "What is the use of the gold being locked up so long when it is needed so badly?" "Maybe that's been done already," said I. "Maybe the gold isn't there, but it is only bags of lead." Maybe then Republicans did change it," said Cicero, and he looked so solemn, like he, too, had lost confidence.

During the last great political excitement when the people's party was cavorting around, a little preacher over in East Tennessee mounted a wagon body at a justice court ground and harangued the boys on the silver question. "Free silver!" he cried. "Free silver! Blessed be the prospect. When our party gets in power, my brethren, there will be no more want, no more poverty, no more hands to hang down or feeble knees to shake, but everybody will have silver. Bless the Lord! We will run every mine to its full capacity day and night, and we will open a thousand new ones and ship the shining ore to the mints and melt and mold and stamp and then ship it all over the country by the carload, and when our share gets here we will load it in wagons and drive out on

every road, and as the wagons move along we will shovel it out and scatter it far and wide, and even the women and children will get some, bless the Lord! Free silver; come quickly and buy without money and without price, oh ye of little faith," and the people said "amen."

That wasn't much worse than a speech that I heard George Francis Train make at Rochester about twenty years ago. He grew sublimely eloquent about the government issuing millions and billions and trillions upon quadrillions of paper money and lending everybody just as much as they wanted. "Keep the paper mills running day and night and the printing machines, and let the bright, new bills flood the land, and then I will have a pocketful and feel like a gentleman, and my country friend over there will have his saddle bags full, and that good old woman will have her apron full, and we will build docks and canals and railroads and meeting houses and ships and factories, and everybody will have plenty to do at big prices, and the poor will become rich and those who are now rich will become poor, for their old-fashioned money will be good no more, and we will all be happy as if the millennium had come."

"Hold on Train," said one of his hearers; "hold on a minute." "What's the matter?" said Train. "Wouldn't the whole thing collapse and bust up after awhile?" said his hearer. Train looked at him with sovereign contempt, and said: "Why, of course, it would; any fool might know that. There would be an awful bust up, but all these hotels and canals and railroads and factories wouldn't bust up—they would be there. Don't you see?"

There is some truth in all this, even if a crank did say it. Go to Decatur and Aniston and Boyce's and Sheffield and Florence and Bridgeport. Go anywhere where there was a boom a few years ago and see the big houses and stores and factories that are empty. They are all there, but the collapse came and the builders have scattered to parts unknown.

You can't force prosperity by a boom, neither can it be forced by legislation at Washington. They may grease the wagon so that it will run easier, but no permanent relief will come until there is a demand for the products of industry, whether they come from the factories, the mills, the furnaces or the soil. There has been an over production in almost everything, and there has been too much extravagance at home. If a man gormandizes himself he gets sick and has to take medicine. Just so most everybody has been living beyond their means—buying too much on a credit because credit was offered and goods were cheap, and now when the shut down comes we are not prepared for it. That's the way it is at my house, and all I can do is to lay it on this financial business, and tell my folks it is lack of confidence. It is all right, and we are taking our medicine. Chicago has gone up the spout at my house—thank the good Lord.

Quickest Route to World's Fair.

The quickest and best line to the World's Fair. Only 27 hours from Richmond to Chicago. Double daily vestibuled trains with Pullman sleeping and dining cars. The Chesapeake and Ohio is also the cheapest line. Ask for tickets via this route. If you desire to stop at the Greenbrier, White Sulphur Springs, or any of the famous places along the line of the C. & O., your World's Fair tickets will permit you to do so. Special arrangements for the care of organized parties. For full information and printed matter relating to the World's Fair, address Jno. D. Potts, D. P. A., C. & O. R. Y., Richmond, Va.

Two soldiers lay beneath their blankets looking up at the stars. Says Jack: "What made you go into the army, Tom?" "Well," he replied, "I had no wife, and I loved war, Jack; so I went. What made you go?" "Well," returned Jack, "I had a wife, and I loved peace. Tom; so I went."

When Travelling.

Whether on pleasure bent, or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver and bowels preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent and \$1 bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

It has been decided by the council of administration to keep the World's Fair open until eleven o'clock every night. Heretofore it has been open only on Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday nights, which have been known as "special" nights at the fair.

Don't almost kill yourself by violent purgatives. Take Simmons' Liver Regulator, a mild laxative.

A Philosopher Born.

An Indiana maiden, four years old, was driving along a prairie road with her father and a six-year-old brother. The brother who is of an anxious turn of mind, was in great distress at the sight of an ox that was calmly devouring a large pile of seed potatoes in the corner of a field. "Oh, papa, stop," he said, "we ought to tell the people in the house." "Do sit still, Buddy," put in his more philosophic sister, "it isn't his ox, nor we potatoes."

THE GOVERNOR OF VERMONT, Hon. Levi K. FULLER, writes under date of April 13th, 1893: "I have used your remedy (Pond's Extract) for many years with gratifying results."

TOPEKA, Kan., July 17.—Six Kansas State banks went in the financial flurry to-day. They are the bank of Riter and Doubleday, of Columbus; the Johnson City Bank, of Johnson City; the bank of Weir City; the bank of Pleasanton, the Caney Valley Bank, of Caney, and the Bank of Meade, at Meade Center. It is impossible to obtain statements at this time. The banks have all been taken possession of by the State bank commission.

Rhyme with Reason.

To guess the number, who would dare to? Of all the ills that flesh is heir to, To hear the half you could not bear to; And lovely women has her share, too; She'd have some less if she'd repair to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. For "run down," debilitated and overworked women, it is the best of all restorative tonics. A potent specific for all those chronic weaknesses and diseases peculiar to women; a powerful, general, as well as uterine, tonic and nerve. It imparts vigor and strength to the whole system. It promptly cures weakness of the stomach, nausea, indigestion, bloating, debility, and sleeplessness in either sex. It is carefully compounded by an experienced physician and adapted to women's delicate organization. Purely vegetable and perfectly harmless in any condition of the system. The only medicine for women, sold by druggists, under a positive guarantee of satisfaction in every case, or price (\$1.00) refunded.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 17.—The Tillman State constabulary continued their work this afternoon arresting persons charged with violating the dispensary law. J. E. McCoy and J. J. Conway, of Market street, and F. Koopman and Philip Theile, of King street, all ex-liquor dealers, were arrested on warrants charging them with having sold liquor.

They gave bonds in the sums of \$500 each for their appearance for examination and were released. The places of arrested persons were searched by constables, but nothing contraband was discovered, and there was no seizure of personal property.

While the community is in favor of the enforcement of the law so long as it is the law, there is deep indignation at the outrageous conduct of the constables on Saturday.

Hayne Pepper, the constable who tried to shoot Chico on Saturday, in a trial justice's office, was bound over to-day in the sum of \$500 for trial at the county sessions for assault and battery with intent to kill.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Zimmerman & Fershaw will ship 250,000 ounces of silver, J. & W. Seligman & Co. 250,000 ounces, and Nesslage, Colgate & Co., 100,000 Mexican dollars, on the steamship Spreck, sailing for Europe to-morrow.

In Plain English.

Unquestionably considered of incalculable consequence in correcting all constitutional contaminations, is Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Can conscientiously commend it to careful consideration, confident of its competency in all controllable chronic complaints.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" is the result of much research and wide experience, by a practical physician of world-renown; its formula embraces the most potent restoratives of the whole vegetable kingdom. It is especially recommended for all blood disorders—dyspepsia, liver and kidney complaints, scrofula, salt-rheum, catarrh and consumption—in its early stages—insuring relief and cure in all cases!

NEW YORK, July 17.—Congressman Thomas F. Magner said this afternoon that President Cleveland had tendered to Supreme Court Justice Edgar M. Cullen the appointment to the Supreme Court of the United States, in the place of the late Justice Blatchford.

It is a fact that President Cleveland, weeks ago, offered the collectorship of the port of New York to Judge Cullen, who declined it. The President also offered the collectorship to Joseph C. Hendricks.

Deserving Praise.

We desire to say to our citizens, that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell so well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits. A. J. Hines, Druggists.

More told From Europe.

SOUTHAMPTON, July 17.—The North German Lloyd steamer Ems, from Bremen, which sailed here at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon for New York, has on board \$210,000 in gold.

Hood's Pills cure constipation. They are the best after-dinner pill and family cathartic.

## THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Tuesday, July 11.

Emperor William of Germany is considering the advisability of visiting the world's fair.

It has been decided that the Choctaw troubles shall be settled in the United States court at Muskogee, I. T.

A match was made between James Corbett and Peter Jackson to fight in November. Parson Davies deposited \$1,000 for Jackson.

Among the Georgians benefited by recent promotions in the pension office are: B. Tritt, from \$1,400 to \$2,000; E. N. Reed, Julian P. Wooden, from \$1,800 to \$2,000.

The North Carolina Teachers' Association ended its annual session, at Mt. W. Barnes, of Asheville, retires as president and is succeeded by R. L. Madison, of Waynesville; M. L. Shipman is secretary.

Wednesday, July 12.

The Cramps have decided to launch the projected Minneapolis August 12th. At Alexandria, Egypt, eighty-five cases of cholera are reported. Forty deaths from the disease have occurred.

Dr. Ellison Capers was notified of his election as assistant bishop of South Carolina. His consecration will take place at Columbia July 20th.

South Carolina's dispensary law went into effect two weeks ago, but most of the bar rooms in Charleston are still open, awaiting the action of the courts.

A race war is threatened at Bardwell, Ky., on account of the negro lynchers for the murder of the Ray girls. It is still claimed that he was undoubtedly the guilty man.

The Terre Haute Car Works, one of the largest concerns of the kind in the country, made a voluntary liquidation this afternoon without preference.

Thursday, July 13.

J. W. Warren, a prominent farmer of Eastman, Ga., was shot and killed by a negro named James Collier.

The comet discovered at Salt Lake City July 8th, according to the orbit determined at the Dudley observatory, receding from the earth at a very rapid rate.

Oscar Nebe, the Chicago anarchist recently released from the penitentiary, was married to Miss Eliza Hepp. The bride is the owner of a flourishing saloon.

The list of victims of the world's fair fire still increases. At 4 o'clock this afternoon another body was recovered from the ruins of the cold storage building.

The writ of prohibition which was asked for by citizens of Columbia, S. C., who did not desire to have a dispensary forced upon the city, was today denied upon a technicality by Judge Gary.

Friday, July 14.

Five persons were killed and more than twenty injured by a collision on the West Shore railroad near Newburgh, N. Y.

The South Carolina negroes propose to walk to the world's fair from Darlington, S. C. A \$500 wager is said to be the object in view.

Near Richmond, Va., there lives an old negro who is gradually turning white. One-half of his face is perfectly white, and he presents a ghastly appearance.

About three miles from Chestertown, Md., a little girl was pursued by a bear and narrowly escaped. Quite a number of bears have been seen in that section.

The board of promotions in the interior department which was created by an order issued December 31, 1892, has been abolished.

The chief of the bureau of statistics reports that the total value of the exports of beef and hog products from the United States during June, 1893, was \$10,069,836.

Cholera has reappeared at Moscow, Kieff and northeast Hungary. In Moscow the outbreak is most serious. There have been 32 cases and 11 deaths in the convict forfeiture prison since July 1.

The tenth annual reunion of the Seventh Georgia infantry will take place on July twenty-first at Villa Rica.

The Florida Agricultural College has conferred the degree of L. L. D., on Hoke Smith, secretary of the interior.

A dispatch was received from the state board of health of North Carolina addressed to the surgeon general, requiring a sanitary service stating officially that there was no truth in story that cholera had broken out in that state.

## THE WAR OPENED.

Several French Gunboats Steam up Siamese Waters.

Twenty Killed, and 14 Wounded.

American Missionaries in Danger—United States Vessels Too Large to Go to the Scene of Conflict—A Real War—What England Will Do.

LONDON, July 15.—A dispatch from Bangkok, the capital of Siam, states that twenty Siamese were killed and fourteen wounded yesterday during an exchange of shots between the forts at the mouth of Meinnam river, and the French gunboats Comete and Inconstance, which forced the passage of the bar in the face of orders from the Siamese government prohibiting their entry into the river.

PROTECTION FOR AMERICANS.

WASHINGTON, July 15.—There are about twenty American missionaries in Siam, mostly Presbyterians, and their friends in this country have become concerned about their welfare, now that actual hostilities have broken out between the French and Siam.

Rev. Dr. Gillespie, of New York, representing the Presbyterian missionary board, today telegraphed Secretary Gresham to inquire what provisions would be made for the safety of these missionaries in the numerous children in their charge, in view of the present war outlook. Secretary Gresham replied as follows:

"I am informed by the secretary of the navy that there is not at present on the coast of Siam any vessel capable of entering Siamese waters, and missionaries should communicate with the legation at Bangkok for usual diplomatic protection."

WHAT WILL ENGLAND DO?

LONDON, July 15.—In the house of commons today Mr. Gladstone stated in response to a question that foreign office had received news of the ascent of the Meinnam river by the French fleet, but it had not heard of active hostilities between the French and Siamese. The prime minister added that he regarded with anxiety the news of England by the French government being kept.

WILD SHOOTING.

LONDON, July 17.—The Times correspondent at Bangkok telegraphs: "I have inspected the French and Siamese ships, and the Bangkok forts. It is surprising how both sides succeeded in avoiding hitting each other. Their cross fires must have been of the wildest character. The only real damage was done to one Siamese ship on which a shell exploded, killing ten and wounding a dozen men. The other guns are in perfect order; not even the run roofs were damaged."

AN INDIANA LYCHING.

A Wealthy Negro Hanged For an Awful Crime.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 15.—A special to the Sentinel from Vincennes, Ind., says: Allen Butler, a wealthy colored man, of Lawrence county, Ill., was found hanged by the neck dead, at an early hour yesterday morning, and it is believed he was hanged by a mob. He had a white girl, about fifteen years of age, working for him. His son became intimate with the girl, and when she was found to be in a delicate condition, it is alleged that a young negro and his father, who was a horse doctor, performed an abortion, and that he was taken out and lynched by a mob of about a dozen men. This belief was strengthened by the fact that a mob of several hundred was seen in a few miles of Lawrenceville yesterday. When daybreak came the crowd dispersed.

TORN BY A TIGER.

Scene in a Menagerie on the Midway Plaisance at Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 14.—Amelia Berge, the German girl who puts trained tigers through performances at Hagenberg's menagerie in Midway Plaisance was badly hurt tonight by a new tiger. She was trying to make the brute sit at her command when she refused she tried to drag him by the fore paws. The brute was too heavy and the girl slipped and fell. The tiger leaped upon her like a flash and before she could get up he had her by the neck in a fearful manner. Miss Berge was carried away unconscious, and although not fatally injured, will not be able to walk for six weeks or two months.

Where the Power Lies.

RALPH, N. C., July 14.—At chambers today Judge Whitaker decided that Wake superior court alone has power to appoint receivers for the state banks. This matter was brought to a test by State Treasurer Tate, another judge in another county having appointed a receiver. State Treasurer Tate contends that he alone has power to make such an appointment of a receiver. Judge Whitaker holds that he is right as to his power. Junius Davis is appointed receiver of the bank of New Hanover and James A. Leak receiver of its branch at Wadesboro, the interest of these two banks being thus kept separate.

At the Atlanta Chautauqua.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 13.—At the Atlanta chautauqua last night Hon. W. C. P. Breckinridge of Kentucky and Hon. Rossell G. Horr of Michigan debated the tariff question. Breckinridge advocated tariff for revenue only, while Horr spoke for tariff for protection.

The German Army Bill Passed.

BERLIN, June 15.—The army bill was passed by the reichstag this afternoon by a majority of sixteen. The vote against it was 114. The bill is against it. After the bill had finally been adopted the reichstag was declared closed.

Walter Bridges, Athens, Tenn., writes: "For six years I had been afflicted with running sores, and an enlargement of the bone in my leg. I tried everything I heard without any permanent benefit until Botanic Blood Balm was recommended to me. After using six bottles the sores healed, and I am now in better health than I have ever been. I send this testimonial unsolicited, because I want others to be benefited."

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

# Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

SILVER MEN OF UTAH.

Hold a Large Meeting at Salt Lake City. Resolutions Adopted.

SALT LAKE, July 15.—A monster mass meeting was held here last night in the interest of silver. Resolutions were adopted referring to the wide-spread distress in the west and appealing to congress to renounce the Sherman act by the absolute free coinage of silver at some just ratio to gold, and favoring the appointment of a delegation representing citizens of all classes, irrespective of politics, to attend the next session of congress and labor in the interest of silver.

Governor West presided over the meeting. No revolutionary or inflammatory speeches were made, and the language of the Colorado silver men was characterized as unwise and hurtful to the true interests of the west.

AGAINST SILVER COINAGE.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., July 15.—The Morocco Manufacturers' National Association, one of the strongest trade organizations in the country, and representing in its body over \$5,000,000 of business, met here today, and in addition to routine business adopted a resolution favoring the presentation of a petition to congress asking that body to take such action as will cause the immediate suspension of the further purchase and coinage of silver.

WILL NOT RE-ORGANIZE.

The Central Committee Abandons the Plan.

NEW YORK, July 15.—The attempt to reorganize the Georgia Central railroad is to be abandoned. A circular to that effect signed by the reorganization committee is to be sent out to the security holders. The old plan of reorganization was based on an expected net earning of \$1,800,000 actual net earnings. The earnings for past years were considerably below that amount. Opposition to the plan came from the holders of tripartite bonds. They are afraid to secure an order for sale in the foreclosure of the South Western railroad, upon which they claim their bonds are a first lien.

The floating debt of the company aggregates five million dollars, most of which is carried by members of the reorganization committee, who say in their report that they have reached the conclusion that it was best for all concerned that the property should remain in the hands of the court until its earnings approximate an amount calculated on in the abandoned plan.

ANY KIND OF O.

Negroes of Virginia Discuss the Question of How to Split Negroes.

RICHMOND, Va., July 14.—The negro Press Association of Virginia closed its session here today in a very novel discussion.

The subject was a resolution providing for the commencement of the word negro with a capital N. It heated the meeting, and many warm speeches favored its introduction.

C. D. Cooley, a preacher, of Newport News, was bitterly opposed to the resolution. He said: "Mr. President, I object to any such resolution going on paper from this body. We put too much importance upon the name by which we are called. Let us improve ourselves and allow people to spell our names with a little 'n', big 'n', or any kind of 'n' they wish to."

The resolution was overwhelmingly defeated.

BASE BALL.

Standing of Clubs in the Southern League for the Week Ending July 15th.

The following table shows the number of games won and lost by Southern league clubs so far this season:

Club	Played	Won	Per Cent
Macon	9	5	55.5
Memphis	9	5	55.5
Montgomery	9	5	55.5
Birmingham	9	5	55.5
Chattanooga	9	5	55.5
Atlanta	9	4	44.4
Mobile	9	4	44.4
New Orleans	9	3	33.3
Savannah	9	3	33.3

A Fever-Laden Brig.

NORFOLK, Va., July 15.—Signal Officer Sherry at Cape Henry reported a signal brig from the British brig Darna, bound from Havana to Saint John's, N. S., had come in the capes and anchored off the quarantine station. Fishman's island thirty miles east from Hampton roads, reporting that she had lost her captain who died with yellow fever, and that three of the crew are down with the disease.

Two Brothers Shot Down.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., July 16.—Near Clinton, Anderson county, yesterday, Freeman and Mose Cox, brothers, were shot and mortally wounded by George Beets. No cause can be assigned for the double murder. A posse is searching for Beets.

The President Burned in Emig.