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OUTLINES

Congress vesterday-The new Senator from Georgia sworn in; discussion of the tariff queation; nothing of importance in the House. --- Cotton spots and futures. --- Chicago grain and provision market. ---- Pollard-Breckinridge-Second month of the trial; arguments begun; Mr. Carlisle the first to speak. - Admiral Da Gama, with 23 of his followers, have left the Portuguese war vessel, and landed at Buenos Ayers. ---- Judge Simonton refuses to postpone the sale of the South Carolina Railroad. --- Washington news-Nominations sent to the Senate; lager beer not a spirituous liquor. ---Base ball games played yesterday. ---N.Y. markets: Money on call has been easy at 1 per cent.; cotton dull; middling guli 8 cents; middling uplands 7% cts; Southern flour dull but steady; common to fair extra \$3.00@8.00; good to choice do. \$3.10@4.20; wheat dull and easier, closing firm; No. 2 red in store and at elevator 64 1 @65 cents; afloat 66 1 @ 661 cents; corn fairly active and low; No. 2 at elevator 44 cents; afloat 44% cents; spirits turpentine scarce and firm at 30@80% cents; rosin quiet but firm; strained common to good, \$1.15@1.20.

day.

again in a few days.

river, bave returned.

improving last night.

rivals in the city yesterday.

Knights of Pythias.

Pythias in this city.

ber, 7.90.

been confined to his home by sickness

since Saturday alternoon, was reported

Owen B. Wightman who have been in

- Miss Sue Stedman and Mr.

Col. Breckinridge was suspended five years ago from the Masonic lodge in Kentucky to which he belonged for non-payment of dues.

A Lynchburg, Va., judge recently fined a juror \$10 for talking to outsiders pending the trial. The juror should have talked through his hat.

The New York Tribune is so stuck on the pension business that it proposes to pension ex-Queen Lilioukalini, at the rate of \$20,000 a year. and then annex her and the islands.

The Atlanta Constitution says there is a big difference between Governor Waite, of Colorado, and Governor Tillman, of South Carolina. Yes, there is. One has two eyes and can't see anything and the other has only one eye and sees lots of things that don't happen.

turned to Fayetteville. Sam Small takes issue with the

THE MORNING S' WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1894. VOL. LIV.---NO. 15.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HEINSBERGER-Marcella. FENNELL, FORE & CO.-Top to bottom MASONIC-Meeting St. John's Lodge.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS. last Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

- Mr. W. J. Crosswell returned to the city yesterday.

- Mr. W. H. Butters left for Hub yesterday alternoon.

-- Mr. Thos. D. Meares has gone to Asheville on business. - Mr. T. H. Harlee, of Florence, arrived in the city yesterday.

- Mr. Geo. S. Baker, of Columbia, S. C., arrived in the city yesterday. - Mr. C. H. Dock and daughter,

of Maxwell, arrived in the city yester-

- Mr. Jno. F. Littleton, who was painfully hurt a short time ago, was able to be out yesterday. - Messrs. W. J. Emmett, C. R.

Waters and H. L. Paylor, of Newbern, were in the city yesterday.

- Mr. J. W. Furlong is at Fort Caswell assisting in building the new life saving station at that point.

- Mr. Lorenzo Webb, of Bertie county, has a position in Bunting's pharmacy as soda fountain clerk. the crop.

resident of Wilmington, is here for a few days visiting Mr. W. A. French. - Mr. J. J. Crosswell, of Fayetteville, route agent of Southern Express State Association. Company, was in the city yesterday.

- Dr. Marcus, who has been quite sick at the Purcell House several days, expects to be in attendance at his office

attend the meeting.

Gales, evangelists.

rnestly requested to hurry forward

SOUTH CAROLINA.

WHAT A FORMER TILLMAN SUP-

PORTER SAYS OF THE OUTLOOK. The Governor Playing a Desperate Game

last and all the time. He is a dema--The Men Forming the Constabulary Ruffishe and Desperadoes-The Darlington Affair Only One Move on the Chess Board.

gave the following as the result of an interview with a gentlemen who, while his picture may seem somewhat overdrawn, evidently knows what he is talking about :

"This Darlington tragedy is not the end of the matter in South Carolina. It is the beginning. It is not merely an obstinate effort on the part of Governor Tillman to enforce his obnoxious dispensary law; it is a deep-laid political scheme, with Winchester rifles back of it, and the election of Tillman to Senator Butler's seat next fall as its object. There are bad times in store for the "Palmetto State."

This is the prophecy of Mr. E, Motz, made last night to a Sun reporter, regarding the condition of affairs in South Carolina. Mr. Motz, who has lived in South Carolina for fifteen years, is half owner of the Brewer gold mine, having been a partner of Senator Hearst, of Calfornia, who had an interest in the mine, He is also the postmaster of Brewer do so with the knowledge that Winches-Mine, and a Republican in politics, alter rifles and pistols were loaded for him. though he voted for Tillman when the I tell you Tillman will stop at nothing. latter first ran for Governor. Mr. Motz But unless I have read the people of arrived in the city yesterday, having South Carolina wrong, he will be decome up from his home at Brewer Mine, feated, even it every voter has to fight in the northeast of South Carolina. He his way to the ballot box." has studied the political situation carefully, and can see little but trouble in the Special Services at the Seamen's Bethel. future.

"In this fight," said he, "we are not combatting the dispensary law, although the services at the Seamen's Bethel Sun-God knows that is obnoxious enough. I day afternoon worthy of special notice. is the way that it is carried out, the con-The pecular and animated appearance comitant outrages that we are fighting. The dispensary law originally was a sop at the Bethel at the appointto the Prohibitionists who elected Tilled hour was caused by the presence of man. They were not satisfied with the the Wilmington Light Infantry, the way it worked, and when the Governor's company numbering about fifty men, in first term was over he made a plea for re-nomination on the ground that full uniform. Rev. Dr. Carmichael inhe hadn't had a chance to try the vited the Rev. Mr. Black, late Senior law fairly. He was re-elected, and then Captain of the Second N. C. State he got his Legislature, which was merely Guard, to deliver the sermon. The rea pocket edition of a law-making mamarks of the soldier preacher were based chine that he carried in his pistol pocket to pass amendments to the law, one of on the text: "Keep thy heart with all which gave him the power to appoint diligence, for out of it are the issues special armed constables to an unlimited of life." The heart was repreextent at \$2 a day and expenses. Then came the law giving right of search in sented as a citadel, requiring the private houses without warrant. These guarding of the out-posts, which were the two things combined formed the basis eyes, ears, mouth, hands and feet. If of the worst kind of outrages by the the outposts were guarded the heart constabulary.

"The men that formed the constabuwere ruffians and desperadoes. their orders for the Stoddard Portfolios. They were appointed because they were The work is now complete. Those who known to have killed their men. Now see what they proceeded to do. They have not ordered all of the Sixteen went ahead to search private houses and Series should do so at once. The entire private property in the hope of finding work may be had now for sixteen coupons what we call 'blind tigers.' A 'blind tiger' is where liquor is sold clandestinely. There are none in private houses; they are in drug stores or small notion stores. But Tillman sent his spies-every one calls them spies there-All the Series, from One to Sixteen, Now to search private houses. There were Beady-Send Orders Before the Offer Is scores of outrages committed by these spies. Here are a couple of cases in

WHOLE NO. 8,410

RATTLING RAILROAD RACE. A Thousand Mile Bace Between Trains

Over the Atlantic Coast Line and the Richmond and Danville Route.

The Florida Times-Union of Saturday is a Populist, but he is for Tillman first, gives the annexed report of an exciting railroad race between rival lines. It appears that the R. & D. claims a victory; but, read by the light of THE MORNING STAR, it seems from the accounts given by both sides that it was the "other fellows" who won:

When the Savannah, Florida and Western and Atlantic Coast Line and ed his standard. His one ambition in the Florida Central and Peninsular and life is to be elected to Senator Butler's the Richmond and Danville announced seat next tall. To do this he is contemsome days ago that each would run a plating a little private force bill of his through hotel help train from Jacksonown, with his dispensary spice for intimville to New York, leaving on Thursday idators at the polls. It is his only chance. Wherever he establishes a new and at the same hour and within a few minutes of each other, all the railroad dispensary there is a new electioneering men in Jacksonville and along the two post for Tillman's candidates. Now, he lines clear to the destination, knew that understands the temper of South Caroit was going to be a race, a race for a inians. He knows that they will not thousand miles and a race for blood. endure his armed spies searching their Just before the race there flashed out houses, and he will goad them into reorders from the dispatcher's office in sistance. You will find him causing upboth railroads to have the track cleared, rising first in this place. then in that. to sidetrack everything for the hotel Then by Fall, when election comes, and help specials, and they did it, and the

when the people are thoroughly exastwo trains went through screaming. perated, he will make some move that The F. C. & P. and R. & D. had the will cause an uprising. There is his chance. Martial law will be declared. advantage of a line thirty-eight miles shorter than the S., F. & W. and Atlan-Tillman's dispensary spies will be at the tic Coast Line and saved twelve miles polls, and either Tillman's men will be more by not running into Savannah. elected or there will be a bloody tragedy. having an engine in waiting at the junc-"The newspapers there know this, but tion. The S., F. & W. put in to Savanthe editor who would publish it would nah and spent filteen minutes there for dinner.

The two trains were neck and neck all the way up to Washington. Thursday night a special from Washington said "S., F. & W. arrived at 9.15 and left at 9.29. R. & D. arrived at 9.19 and left at 9.48

Yesterday afternoon another special came from New York with the announcement that the Savannah, Florida and Western arrived at 3.20 and the Richmond and Danville 3t 8.45. The time of leaving of the Savannah, Florida and Western train from this city was 10.15 and tye Florida Central and Peninsular left at 10.36. The time of the Savannah-Florida and Western between this city and New York was twenty-eight hours and twenty minutes, and that of the Richmond and Danville and Florida Central and Peninsular twenty-eight hours and twenty-four minutes. There were just four minutes difference in the time spent on the road between the two trains, and that was in favor of the Savannah, Florida and Western, considering the thirty-eight miles longer haul was greater than that of its rival. It was a close race, and one of the most exciting ever run in the world. The actual running time of the trains was over forty miles an hour.

Both railroads run help trains out on the 11th, and it is whispered around would be safe from the attacks of the that it is to be another race for more

and Danville arrived in New York at 3.45 p. m.; S., F. & W. arrived at 3.20 p.

m. This is a difference on the road of

only one minute. The Richmond and

Danville claims a beat of over a half

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED

At the Closing Session of the Y. M. C. A

Convention.

the committee, was adopted

railroad men into right living,

The following resolution, reported by

WHEREAS, railroad men who form so

large a body in themselves are not only

absent from their home and home influ

ences most of the time, but at the same

time are surrounded by all manner of

strong temptations; and whereas, rail-

road men have been blessed in leading

Be it resolved, That the State Com-

mittee be urged to extend their work

among railroad men as soon as the way

associations that have railroad men as

meetings especially for railroad men.

Second. That the officers of the city

Resolutions were also adopted thank-

ing the citizens of Wilmington for

cordial greeting and hospitable enter-

tainment, and pastors and members of

churches for the use of churches and for

hearty assistance and co-operation.

Also, to the president and general

secretary of the Wilmington Associa-

tion; to the Ladies' Auxiliary; to the

railroad companies for reduced rates to

delegates; and to the newspapers for

THE WEATHER.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,)

WILMINGTON, N. C., April 10.

hours ending at 8 p. m. last night:

Maximum temperature 56°;

WEATHER BUREAU.

Meteorological data for twenty-four

Rainfall for the day, .03. Rain-

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

North Carolina, threatening

fall for the month up to date .32 inches.

weather and rain; warmer; southeast

dwelling with all its contents, and a new

house which he had just completed.

mini

valuable services rendered.

mum temperature 47°.

For

winds.

hour.

is clear.

e One Day.... Two Days... Three Days ... Four Days ... Five Days ... One Week... Two Weeks ... Three Weeks ... Three Weeks ... Three Weets ... Three Weeks ... Three Weeks ... Three Manths Six Months... One Year,... Contract Advertisements taken at proportion tely low rates.

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HERE'S SOMETHING ELSE.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.

Another Coupon Offer-" Famous Paint ings of the World" Will Soon Be Ready. Having conducted the Stoddard "Trip

Around the World" successfully, to the delight of thousands, the STAR has made arrangements with the publishers to supply its readers with the "Famous Paintings of the World," being a collection of Photographic Reproductions of Great Modern Materpieces, embracing 320 of the finest specimens of American, French, English, German, Austrian, Italian, Scandinavian and Russian Art, from the principal public galleries, famous private collections, and studios of eminent artists.

"Famous Paintings of the World" will comprise Twenty Portfolios of 16 Photographic Productions each. It has been carefully examined, and the STAR unhesitatingly recommends it as one of the most attractive and valuable schemes ever offered to the public.

Full particulars as to terms will be announced in a few days.

In the meantime, the Stoddard Art Series will be continued for a short time in order that those who have not done so may complete their Series.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M. REGULAR Monthly Communication at St. Johns' Hall this (Toesday) evening, at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. WM. M. POISSON ap 10 1t

Marcella,

Sceretary

By Mrs. Humphrey Ward, author of "David Grieve," "Robert Elsmere," &c., wtih a new portrait. In two volumes, 12mo., in box, bound in polished buckram. Price \$2.00. Second supply received at

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Rob't R. Bellamy & Co.,

WILMINGTGN, N.C.

Wholesale Druggists and Seedsmen,

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted. - There were fifteen penitents at Fifth street M. E. Church Sunday night

- The city authorities began the work of improving North Fourth street yesterday. - The British steamship Torgorm

LOCAL DOTS

arrived here yesterday, to load cotton at the Champion Compress. - St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F.

and A. Masons, will hold its regular monthly communication to night. - Capt. Wm. Black held services last night at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, which were largely attended.

-- A burning brush-heap on Ninth street near Dock caused an alarm of fire vesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock. - Capt. Nelson and Mr. Jim

very fine fat oysters from Buzzard's Bay in market yesterday. - The Rector of St. James desires to give notice that he will begin his

Rectory this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

- Mr. A. H. Neff, formerly

and 8 o'clock p. m.

- Messrs. E. Van Wagner, J. D, Hume and Capt. A. C. Neilson, who have been fishing and hunting down the - Postmaster Morton, who has

sermons of Revs. I. W. Lee and W. R.

Huse, of the sloop Louise, had some

confirmation lectures for ladies at the

- The Newbern Journal reports shipments of strawberries from that sec-

truckers, it says, is about two-thirds of

- Rev. Wm. Black, evangelist, is conducting a series of meetings for Rev. A. D. McClure at St. Andrew's Church,

- The annual meeting of the Pro-

- There were very large congregations in attendance at Grace Methodist Church on Sunday morning and night to hear the able and impressive

the city for the last two weeks, have re-

tion. The average loss on this crop by

- The place and time of meeting of the next State convention of Y. M. C. Associations will be announced in June

by the Executive Committee of the

in this city. The services are held at 4

duce Exchange will be held to-day at noon. A cordial invitation is extended to all merchants and business men to

- Readers of the STAR are

gogue, and therefor a liar. He is also a bully, and, like all bullies, something of a coward; but he has the pertinacity of a bull-dog. How, here is his programme as I and many others in South Carolina The New York Sun of the 6th instant believe it to be: "His political chances are dwindling. The Prohibitionists have fallen away from him. The mechanics have desert-

President on the seigniorage question. The President is the senior of Sam. We do not know whether Sam is now in evangelist work or not but if he will convert Mr. Cleveland and bring him around we will forgive Samuel for a good deal of his wobbling in and out.

Mrs. Roll, of New Jersey, could stand the eccentricities of her husband, who was a milk-man, but when he persisted in running an alarm clock at the head of her bed, which disturbed the baby's morning nap, she concluded it was time to kick and apply for a divorce. Babies have rights that even a milk-man ought to respect.

In distributing hair nature seems to have been partial to the fairhaired mortal, to whom, according to a German hairologist who has been doing the counting, she has given 140,000 to cover his scalp, to the 109,000 she gave the brown-haired. 103,000 to the black-haired. while the red head has to scuffle along with a beggarly 90,000.

The Goldsboro Argus celebrated its ninth anniversary last Saturday and for the occasion put on a brand new suit. There is no paper in the State which stands more steadfastly by the people than the Argus, which -has and should have a strong hold on the good will of the people of the expressed themselves as well pleased section in which it is published, and for whose advancement it zealously labors.

The Sanitary Conference in Paris has drafted a plan of joint action by European Governments to prevent the spread of cholera from Asia, by confining it to its breeding grounds. The European powers should demand that the countries in which cholera originates and from which it is wafted into Europe should do something to prevent breeding it. It is easier to prevent it than to fight it.

The city of New Orleans is about to inaugurate a mosquito war. Taking the hint from the success of a Washington man who wiped out the mosquitoes in his neighborhood by spraying a millpond and some adjacent swamps with crude petroleum, which is death to the embryo 'skeeter, it is proposed to kerosene the swamps around that town. It remains to be seen what this kerosene scheme on such an extensive plan will result in.

Mr. A. A. Marshall, Deputy Supreme Governor and manager of the Progressive Endowment Guild of America, was a visitor at the STAR office last night.

- The STAR regrets to learn that and \$1.92. Mr. Newton Gilligan's condition has not much improved. He was a former resi-STODDARD WORK COMPLETE. dent of the city but for several years past has been a resident of Georgia. He returned here nearly three months ago Withdrawn. for the benefit of his health, which had

The Four Series, 18 to 16, to complete been impaired by la grippe, but no imhe Stoddard Art Album are now ready, provement has taken place. and orders should be sent in at once, as - Messrs. J. M. Fairley, Monroe; the offer will soon be withdrawn. John D. Shaw, Jr., Laurinburg; Bruce To facilitate the work of closing up Williams, Burgaw; D. D. DeVann, Winthe Stoddard Portfolio scheme, to make ston; H. Butters, Hub; J. L Autrey, way for something else, but one Coupon Autreyville; J. W. Hoyt, Charleston; and Twelve Cents will now be required D. H. Wallace, Wallace; J. E. Royal,

for each Series. Clinton; John M. Matthews, Newbern; Many persons have been waiting to F. T. Mills, Whiteville; E. Porter, order the entire Sixteen Series at one Whiteville; S. Bryan, Newbern; T. G. time. They can now have orders filled Gilmer, Whiteville, were among the arby sending \$1.92 and sixteen coupons. Do not delay, as the time is limited. Save enough coupons to complete the

A new lodge of the order of Knights few of the numbers should not neglect of Pythias, was instituted last night with a to order the others.

work. Those who have only ordered a

membership of thirty, and under the The State Treasurer Sues. most flattering auspices. The following A summons was received yesterday Knights acted in the respective offices: from Wake county by Sheriff Stedman, I. L. Greenwald, of Stonewall, G. C.; J. to be served on the former Directors of G. L. Gieschen, of Germania, G. V. C .: the late Bank of New Hanover. The Walker Taylor, of Clarendon, G. P.; J. suit on which the summons issued is D. Nutt, of Clarendon, G. M. of W.; W. brought by S. McD. Tate, as State S. Wishart, of Stonewall, G. M. of A.; Treasurer, against those who were Washington Catlett, G. K. of R. and S. Directors at the time of the failure of The new lodge is composed of some the bank, though they are not sued as of the best young men of the city, and Directors, but as individuals, according all who have taken the second degree to the verbiage of the summons. There is nothing in the process to show the with the teachings as far as they have basis of the civil action; but it is pregone. With this new lodge, there are sumed the object is to hold those who now over four hundred Knights of were Directors individually liable for the State's deposit in the Bank of New Hanover when it failed. The defendants

COTTON FACTS AND FIGURES are summoned to appear at the next - Receipts here yesterday 82 bales; term of Wake Superior Court, to begin same day last year, 27. April 28d.

- Spot cotton dull in New York at Reduced Bates via S. A. L. 7% cents for middling.

To Charlotte, N. C., on account of - New York futures closed barely annual meeting Grand Chapel Royal steady; April, 7.62; May, 7.65; June, 7.71; Arch Masons of North Carolina, May July, 7.77; August, 7.83; September, 7.78; 8th and 9th, 1894. Henderson, \$7.90; October, 7.80; November, 7.83; Decem-Maxton, \$4 65; Raleigh, \$7.30; Weldon,

\$10.65; Wilson, \$7.75. Tickets on sale - Boston Commercial Bulletin, April May 6th, 7th and 8th; good till May 7th: In actual cotton there has been 12th, 1894. more doing both on spot and for ship-To Goldsboro, N. C., on account of ment from the South. Spinners both meeting Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of great and small have been buying. Some North Carolina, May 8th, 1894. Charmills are reported as having taken 2,000 otte, \$9.00; Henderson, 4.75; Maxton, or 8,000 bales. The market is firmer. \$5.95; Sanford, \$4.75. Tickets on sale Strict middling upland could not be May 7th, 8th and 9th; good till May landed under 8 cents or less than 81% 15th, 1894. cents for gulf. Stocks are being steadily

New York Truck Market. reduced and the export buying continues. The probabilities that there Palmer, Rivenburg & Co. report prices

will be a pinch in the Summer are beyesterday by wire to the STAR : coming more prominent. It is notice-Strawberries, 15 to 80 cents per quart; able that where the supply is largest, asparagus, \$3.00 to \$5.00 per dozen Liverpool, is where the strongest confidence prevails in the future of the market,

point : in Charleston they broke into a room where a woman was in confinement, notwithstanding the protests of the nurse. They ransacked the room,

turned everything inside out, and finally departed, having found noth-The fright occasioned by their ing. breaking in caused serious complications, and the sick woman was for a long

time on the point of death. Another case not so serious, but just as senseless, was in Sumter, where a Charleston woman was visiting some friends. She drove to their house from the station, leaving her trunk at the station to be sent on afterward. Some one told a spy that the trunk contained whiskey. He broke it open, tossed out all the clothes, turned things upside down; then, having found no whiskey, dumped the clothing, all muddled, back in. stamped it down and

closed the trunk. The lady, who had previously sympathized with the Governor, is now strongly anti-Tillman. "Now, in regard to the Darlington

tragedy, the trouble arose over a man named Floyd, whose brother is the dispensary clerk there. Floyd himself kept blind tiger, but he turned informant. When the twenty spies arrived they were met by the mayor and the chief of police, who counselled them not to exercise the right of searching private houses, assuring them that there were no blind tigers in the houses. The spies then raided the blind tigers, one of them being at the hotel where a man named Rogers was clerk. When the spies went back to the station Rogers went with them and called Floyd a rascal and a traitor. There was a fight and McLendon, the spy, interferred. Rogers went up town and meeting the Norment brothers, returned with them. He and Floyd fought again and Chief of Police Dargan arrested them. In the course of his explanation to the chief, Rogers said that McLendon had interferred to help Floyd. Frank Norment, who was sitting on a

barrel said: "That's right, Rogers would have used him up only for that.

" 'You're a liar,' said McLedon to Norment.

" 'You're a liar yourself,' retorted Norment, jumping down from the barrel, and as he spoke McLendon drew a pistol, thrust it between the chief and Rogers, and shot Norment dead, the point of his pistol being within four feet of his haart, McLendon yelled: "Let her roll, boys," and the fight followed. All this was told me by an eye-witness, who was one of the few men on that platform who wasn't hurt, and it is the correct account of the affair.

"Now, the people were not fighting Tillman's dispensary law there. They are not fighting it anywhere. They will not fight it. It is the outrageous and unconstitutional actions of the constables that we are fighting, and will continue to fight. This Darlington affair is only one move on the chess board and Till-

enemy. So earnest and instructive was

the preacher that a deep and lasting impression was the result. The music was very inspiring. Miss Belle Anderson presided at the organ and Mrs. McFarland, Mrs. Muse, Capt. Metts and Mr. Woodward sang "Rock of Ages," and with the aid of Miss Everett and Miss Horne led the congregation in singing "Hold the Fort." "Onward Go" and 'All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." The Bethel was filled to its full ca-

There were two or three features in

and we shall see them later. He is play-

ing a desperate game and staking every-thing on his chances of winning. One must understand Tillman to under-

stand the situation. Tillman's politics

are simply Populistic Tillmainsm. He

pacity, and it was decidedly one of the best meetings ever held there.

Bunday Meetings of the Y. M. C. A.

The Sunday meetings of the Y. M. C. A. were carried out in accordance with the programme.

The Consecration meeting at 9.30 a. m., was not largely attended, but was a pleasant and spirited occasion to those present. The meeting for the railroad men, conducted at 2.80 p. m., by Capt. Morris (conductor on the R. & D. R. R.) was not large but resulted in the conversion of four persons before the close of the meeting.

At 4.45 there was a very large attendance of men to hear the address of Evangelist Rev. W. R. Gales on the topic 'The Unsolved Problem." This meeting on account of its size, had to be held in the auditorium. The evangelist presented his subject in such an earnest and impressive manner that a number of those present manifested and expressed a desire to become Christians.

Adjourned.

The State Convention of the Y, M, C. A. adjourned on Sunday night at 10.30 o'clock and the delegates have returned to their homes. The different Congregations of the city assembled in the First Baptist church at 9.30 o'clock to witness the closing services which were very impressive, especially when the delegates, members of the Wilmington association, and ministers, formed the Circle of Fraternity and joined hands all around the four inner sides of the

The STAR learns that about 250 crates of strawberries were shipped from points on the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad yesterday. Dr, Porter, of Rocky Point, has been shipping several days, and realizing about forty cents per quart for berries that were by no means first-class. In consequence of the untavorable weather, the berries shipped thus far have generally been of interior quality.

The Wilmington STAR has entered upon its 54th semi-annual volume, and the Sunday edition has been enlarged and improved. The STAR is one of our most valued exchanges and we wish for it and its talented owner many more

R. & D. CLAIMS A BEAT,

The Richmond and Danville says that C. G. FENNELL, C. H. FORE, JAS. L. YOPP. the Atlantic Coast Line failed to go into the Broad street station in Philadelphia, but went around the city, thus saving Fennell, thirty minutes. The Florida Central and Penninsular also says it was compelled to wait twenty minutes for a drawbridge on Fore & Co. the Satilla river. The Richmond and Danville figures out that its train occupied only one minute less on the road that the train of the Atlantic Coast Line. From Top to Bottom. taking into consideration its delay at the Satilla and in entering Philadelphia. It gives the following figures. Richmond and Danville left Jacksonville 10.86 a. Our store stocked with Bargains in m.: S., F. & W. left at 10.12. Richmond

mar 18 tf

New Goods. Necessity knows no law. Did it ever occur to you when to buy Dry Goods?

Now!Now!Now!

There never was a time in the history of the dry goods business that prices were as low as we will open with Monday, and keep them going all the week.

The low prices this week on Dress Goods, &c., should distribute them widely. So far as protecting the wearer from wind or sun, last year's Dress Goods are very likely as good as this year's, but so far as style and fashion are concerned they are mostly of as little use as last years' bird nests.

500 yds Finest Shirting Prints, 5c yd 700 yds Percale, entirely new line, at 124c yard.

600 yds Dimities, 15 to 30c a yard. 800 yds fine white Lawns from 6 to 40c a yard.

members be urged to hold accasional 800 yds Outing Flannels, checks and stripes, latest designs, 10 to 15c. 15 pieces of fine bleached or un-

bleached Damask, from 50c to \$1.00 per yard. 20 doz Bath Towels, 121 to 50c each

25 doz Huckaback Towels, 10 to 35c 15 doz Damask Towels, 10 to 75c. 35 doz Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests,

10c quality, this week 5c. 10 doz Gents' Fine Laundered Per-

cale and Pique Shirts, newest colors 20 doz Men's Unlaundered Dres Shirts, worth 50c, only 371c.

15 doz men's Imported Balbriggan Shirts & Drawers, 25 to 75c each 500 Umbrellas, from 75c to \$3 50.

Exquisite designs and figures in Imported China Silks, great Values, from 50 to 85c a yard. New shades in Moire Silks.

Superb assortment in Dress Goods. igures, Brocades, Fancies, &c.

Complete line of Black Goods. Ladies and gentlemen, we are your friends. Come to see us, and we will sell you a better quality of goods for less money than any house in Wilmington.



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LOCAL FORECAST To-day: Warmer; rain probable; light northeast winds shifting to southerly. Fire at Clarkton. A correspondent of the STAR writes from Clarkton, Bladen county, that a fire there Saturday night, between 8 and 9 o'clock, destroyed Mr. J. W. Hester's

The loss is estimated at \$750.

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