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ent Tip, former price \$3, cost \$2.20. Ladies' Fine Dongola Button Shoe, common sense Opera Toe and Patent Tip,former price \$2.50,cost \$1.87

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\$1.25, cost 88c. Misses' Patent Tip Spring Heel Button Shoes, former price \$1.00

cost 65c. Child's Dongola Spring Heel But ton Shoes, Patent Tip, former price \$1.25, cost 83c.

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Child's Dongola Patent Tip spring Heel Button Shoes, former price 75c, cost 55c.

Child's Grain Spring Heel School Shoes, former price 75c, cost 55c. Infant Shoes, former price 75c,

cost 66c. Shoes, former price 50c, Infant

Boys' Calf Shoes, Lace, former price \$1.75, cost 1.37.

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WILMINGTON, N. C., TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 1895.

Gov. McKinley says "the Presidency is an office that no man should

be a candidate for." It is understood, however, that there is nothing in this declaration to estop Gov. Mc-Kinley's friends from boosting him all the same as if he hadn't chirped. Protracted drought and ravenous locusts have caused a wide spread famine in Eastern Equatorial Africa, where the people are in such distress | N. C. that many of them are selling them-

A member of the Kansas Legislature has got himself into an "on pleasantness" by kissing female lunatics in the State asylum. Even the lunatic females objected to being

selves and familes into slavery to ob-

The late millionaire Fair, of Nevada, must have consumed a good deal of time in writing wills, new ones showing up semi-occasionally. The last one found suits the heirs

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

IAS. D. NUTT-Bedbug interceptic. W. B. COOPER-Potatoes and eggs. NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

PER WEEK-\$25.00 to \$50.00. MADAM BROWN-Fortune-teller. LOCAL DOTS

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

- The STAR lost one subscriber Saturday.

- The Clyde steamer Onesda arafloat 571/2 cents; spirits turpentine quiet rived from Charleston and cleared yesand steady at 36@361/2 cents; rosin dull terday for New York.

> - State Senator J. J. Long died at his home in Columbus county, of pneumonia, last Thursday.

- There is a big freshet in Black river. The water in the Cape Fear river at Fayetteville is falling. - The alarm of fire about

o'clock yesterday morning was caused by the burning of an outhouse in a lot on Fourth street near Castle. - The Norwegian barque Biskop Brun cleared vesterday for Manchester.

Eng., by the S. P. Shotter Co., with 4,791 barrels rosin, valued at \$6,768.50. - The Russian schooner Betania cleared vesterday for Hemburg with 4,067 barrels rosin, valued at \$5,224.

Cargo by Paterson, Downing & Co.; vessel by E. Peschau & Co. -The small schooner Chief, owned by Mr. Louis Skinner, sunk at her wharf at Capt. Skinner's ship-yard Saturday night. She was formerly owned by

pilots at Georgetown, S. C. - Persons wanting the American Encyclorædic Dictionary are notified that they must order the entire work (49 Parts) at once, as the business will be closed up at the end of the present

- Ten members were received into the membership of Grace Methodist Church last Sunday night. So far there have been about thirty conversions in the series of meetings now being held in this church.

- A special term of the Superior Court has been ordered for Davidson county for the trial of Baxter Shemwell, charged with the murder of Dr. R. L. Payne, Sr. The term will begin on the first Monday in July, and Judge E. T. Boykin will preside.

- The donation of tobacco made by Col. Julian S. Carr, of Durham, in aid of the fund for the purchase of the Sprunt property for the Catharine Kennedy Home, has been placed on sale at Boatwright, S. W. Sanders, J. C. Everett and A. H. Holmes.

THE WEATHER.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU. WILMINGTON, N. C., Mar. 26. Meteorological data for yesterday :

Temperature: 8 a. m., 55°; 8 p.'m., 59° maximum, 71°; minimum, 46°; mean, 58°. Rainfall for the day 00; rainfall for the month up to date 2 94 inches. FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina: Generally fair; westerly winds; slightly colder in northern and western portions. For South Carolina and Georgia: Generally fair: variable winds; slightly colder in extreme northern portions.

COTTON FACTS AND FIGURES. - Receipts here yesterday, 486 bales; same day last year, 88 bales.

- Spot cotton quiet in New York at 636c for middling; quiet in Wilmington

- New York futures closed barely steady and 7 to 9 points higher than closing prices Saturday. Sales, 85,700 bales. March and April, 6.18; May, 6.28; June, 6 20; July 6 22; August, 6 24; September, 6 26; October, 6.80; November, 6.84; December, 6 40; January, 6.44;

BY RIVER AND RAIL. Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton

Wilmington & Weldon R. R .-- 52 bales cotton, 19 casks spirits turpentine, 28 bbls tar.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.-812 bales cotton, 19 casks spirits turpentine, 94 bbls rosin, 42 bbls tar.

C. F. & Y. V. R. R .- 97 bales cotton, 122 bbls rosin, 43 bbls tar. Stmr Frank Sessoms-2 bales cotton. 8 casks spirits turpentine, 46 bbls rosin,

Total receipts. - Cotton, 468 bales, spirits turpentine, 46 casks; rosin, 301

bbls; tar, 188 bbls. Everything guaranteed as advertised at A. D. Brown's.

You can save money by buying the 'Oriole" brand roasted coffee.

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

- Dr. Hussey, of Warsaw, was welcome visitor in the city yesterday. - Mr. Harry Hill has entirely recovered and is able to be at work again. - Miss Annie Stolter is spending a few weeks with friends at Whiteville,

- Mrs. E. P. Boatwright is vistting her father, Mr. Greer Baughman, in Richmond - Miss Minnie McKay, of Dunn,

N. C., is in the city, visiting her brother, Mr. Malcom McKay. - Mr. Jno. E. Graves, of the Parmele Eccleson Lumber Co., of Jack

sonville, is here on a visit. - Mr. Jas. Robinson, of Goldsboro, formerly residing in Wilmington,

is here on a visit to friends.

- We are glad to learn that Mr. loe M. Cronly, who has been sick for the past few days, is improving. - The STAR regrets to learn that

Mr. J. W. Perdew and Mr. M. M. Hankins of this city are on the sick list. - Messrs. J. S. Anders, Ivanhoe Melvin Andrews, Raleigh; T. F. Lyman, Fairfield, were among the visitors in the

city yesterday. - Mr. Thos. A. McIntyre, president of the W., N. and N. R. R. Co., passed through Wilmington Sunday en route to his farm on New River.

- The venerable Capt. F. M. James is seriously ill at his home in this city. He is 77 years of age and has been sick several months. His daughter, Mrs. G. W. Hardwicke, of Fall River, Mass., has been telegraphed for.

- Messrs. H. R. Foreman, Lynchbury; J. S. Hartsell, Goldsboro; E. W. Kerr, F. B. Lewis, N. C.; J. H. Lewis, Hamlet; F. H. Newkirk, Whiteville; Bruce Williams, Burgaw; J. J. Crosswell, Favetteville; Frank D. Jones, Glendon; H. Butters, Hub; R. Lee Ellis, Jno. H. Miller, Geo. H. Cox, Winston; W. L. Norwood, Waynesville, were among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Jurors for the Federal Court. The following is a list of the jurors drawn to attend the Spring term of the U. S. District Court at Wilmington, on

Tuesday, April 30th, 1895, viz: New Hanover county-Owen Fennell, James H. Chadbourn, Daniel Howard, Victor Grainger, John J. Hewlett; G. Barrentine, B. F. Penny, David

Columbus county-Willard F. Owen, Snoden Singletary, Council Meares, F. M. Smith. Cumberland county-W. C. Troy,

Datus D. Jones, W. G. Perry, J. F. Musselwhite, A. F. Hobbs. Robeson county-Thomas R. Smith, Shaw, W. D. Sampson, John McI. Brown, Calvin Britt, Giles Floyd.

Sampson county-Henry F. Jackson, D. F. Dameran, L. L. Dameran, Ir., Wiley B. Jackson, Henry Godwin. Onslow county-J. E. Foy, G. W. Murphy, John Gurganus, Geo. Rhodes,

Edmund French Duplin county-S. H. Colwell, A. D. Johnson, J. F. Wallace, J. T. Rivenbark,

Brunswick county-Rufus Galloway, Robert King, J. D. Robbins, S. M.

Pender county-Robert Atkinson, Wesley Jones, J. F. Moore, D. J. Nixon. Bladen county-J. J. E. Lucas, Wm. McHorrell, A. S Blue, H. H. Barnhill, An Old Document.

We have been shown by Mr. W. M. Poisson an old indenture, made on the second day of March 1797, being a deed given by David Swain for the consideration of twenty-five pounds to John Wescoat for a piece or parcel of land lying the stores of Holmes & Watters, J. H. in Brunswick county, on the east side of "Dutchman's Creek." This old document is now the property of Mr. M. M. Hankins, of this city. It has been carefully preserved, is in good condition and every letter easily distinguished, although it is nearly 100 years old. It has flourishes to adorn it and is also peculiarly trimmed at the top. "It bears the signature of David Swain, and has a seal wafer with a white piece of paper attached as the seal. Robert Bell and Richard Dosher are the subscribing witnesses. It was proven before John Cains as clerk and enrolled in the register's office of Brunswick county, in book D, by John Gause, Jr., for William Gause, Registrar.

> outhport to the Front. New life will be infused into the fine old town of Southport this year. There will be no reopening of Carolina Beach to the public, and the "sad sea waves" will be the only disturbers of the "quiet that now reigns all around" that once

popular resort. The Hotel Brunswick will be reopened, and the present outlook is for a

It is a settled fact that the "Summer girl" will be in evidence at Southport, and the boys will not forget what Ruth said unto Naomi: "Where'er thou goest thither will I go."

With the steamer Wilmington, the Hotel Brunswick and Miss Kate Stuart's always favorite resort, Southport may count on a pleasant and profitable addition to her population during the coming

Schooner A. H. Cross. Capt. S. W. Skinner has completed arrangements preparatory to floating the schooner A. H. Cross, which was beached near Fort Caswell during the severe storm in October last, and upon which a wrecking company of Norfolk, Va., spent considerable time and money and finally threw up their contract. Capt. Skinner expects to float the vessel when the Spring tides arrive.

Satin and China Calicoes at 7 cents per yard. Beautifol line of French Organdies at 85 cents per yard, at A. D. D. Brown's.

GRIFFO AND M'AULIFFE

Matched to Fight Next October-The Stake to Be Ten Thousand Dellars a Side-The Club Offering the Largest Purse Will Have the Match.

The New York Herald says: "Jack"

McAuliffe and Young Griffo have at last agreed to settle their differences in the roped arena. Hugh Behan, representing the Australian, and "Jack" Mc-Auliffe and J. B. McCormick, the latter acting as spokesman for the Brooklynite, met at the Illustrated News office yesterday and arranged a match between the pugilists. The men agreed to fight to a inish for the largest purse offered by a responsible club, \$10,000 a side and the light weight championship of the world next October. A long wrangle took place in regard to the size of the gloves. Behan wanted the gloves to be worn to weigh three ounces at the outside. While agreeable to this, McAuliffe said he did not think a club could guarantee to pull off a contest in which the gloves worn were so light. To show that he had no objections to fighting Griffo with small gloves, McAuliffe offered to make the match with skintight gloves in private for the side bet, each man to have a limited number of friends present. Behan, however, refused to agree to this, and the Australian's manager finally gained his point. The articles of agreement signed by both

It is hereby agreed between Jack Mc-Auliffe, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Albert Griffiths, commonly called "Young Griffo,' of Australia, to fight to a finish before the club offering the largest purse and a private stake of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) a side; the fight to be for the light weight championship of the world, each to weigh, stripped, at the ring side, one hundred and thirty five 135) pounds or less; the boxing gloves to be used by each man not to exceed three ounces in weight; the fight to take place on or about October 10, 1895; the referee to be mutually agreed upon one month before the date of the fight. The one thousand dollars (\$1,000)-

men are as follows:-

five hundred dollars on behalf of Jack McAuliffe and the five hundred on behalf of Albert Griffiths ("Young Griffo") -now on deposit with Arthur T. Lumley, of the New York Illustrated News, are to be turned over by him on June 1. 1895, to Al Smith, who is hereby agreed upon as stakeholder of the match. On the same date (June 1, 1895) a further deposit of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) a side is to be made with said Al Smith. The subsequent deposits to be made with the said Al Smith, as follows: July 1, 1895, twenty-five hundred dollars (5,000) a side: August 1, 1895, twentyfive hundred dollars (\$2,500) a side; September 3, 1895, twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500) a side, making the sum total of ten thousand dollars (\$19,000)

RALEIGH'S ROYAL RUMPUS. Victor Dockery Came Very Near Killing a Wilmington Man-But He Was Not

Victor Dockery When the Fight Was The Raleigh Press gives the following account of a "scrimmage" in that city

that has excited much curiosity and comment in Wilmington: Last night a tragic scene was enacted n the lobby of one of our prominent hotels. This and the meeting of the Arrington Tribunal were going on at the same time. The affair was kept quiet

all day, and only got on the streets this It seems that a party of gentlemen were sitting in the lobby talking about matters of a general nature. The occurrence arose from a discussion of letters of credit. Mr. Dockery was not a member of the party in conversation, but it seems that he disputed the statement of a prominent gentleman from Wilming-

ton, and used some offensive language. It also seems that Mr. Dockery pulled out a pistol from his hip-pocket, swung t around carelessly placing it against the gentleman's ear and pulled the trigger. Fortunately the pistol snapped and the missile of death was cut short before it started on its career. The gentleman who so narrowly es-

caped was not aware of the fact that Dockery had a pistol until it was snapped. The pistol was taken away from Mr. Dockery and the aforesaid gentleman pitched into him, and those present state that Mr. Dockery came out second

This is the story of the affair as told us by responsible parties. We have not heard Mr. Dockery's side, though we have made several efforts to do so. The cartridge was a 88, and it would certainly have resulted in death. Mr. Dockery's action can not be accounted for, as the gentlemen were in a private conversation and no cause was given him for an assault. The matter is now in the hands of the police.

A DANGER SIGNAL.

United States from Cubs.

Yellow Fever May Be Brought to the

WASHINGTON, March 24.-The insurrection in Cuba may be of much moment in affecting the interests and welfare of the United States in a direction to which public attention has not been heretofore directed. It has, however, not escaped the vigilance of the officials of the Marine Hospital Service, who are much concerned over the aspect of the matter. Said Surgeon General Wyman to-day: "The prospects for the coming season, in a sanitary point of view, are most encouraging. We shall probably go through the Summer without experiencing an epidemic of any kind. The only point of danger is Cuba. If Spain sends 8,000 unacclimated troops to that island, as the dispatches indicate may be done, then we shall have to look out for yellow fever. It will mevitably strike among those raw troops, and the disease will rage with unusual virulence in Havana. From there to the United States is not a night's ride, and only the most vig-

City Court. William Williams, colored, drunk and disorderly and resisting the officer who arrested him, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$10 or work thirty days on the streets Becky Claridy, colored, disorderly, was sentenced to pay a fine of \$20 or be

orous precautions and the exercise of

the utmost vigilance will keep it from

imprisoned twenty days, Three negro wenches charged with being drunk and disorderly were held for examination to-day.

The Spring opening of Capt. A. D. Brown will take place next Thursday night, on which occasion an unusually fine display of new goods suited to the season will be made. Capt. Brown's new stock is now coming in, and elaborate preparations are being made for a hand-

AN INSURANCE COMPLICATION. The Southeastern Tariff Association and the

Southern Stock Mutual of North Carc-The following appears as an editorial in the Charlotte Observer of the 23d

The Southern Stock Mutual Insurance Company of North Carolina was chartered by act of the lately adjourned Legislature, with a number of the strongest men in the State named as incorporators, and began business with its central office at Greensboro and agencies all over the State. A number of its agents were the agents also of companies embraced in the Southeastern Tariff Association, and as the Southern Stock Mutual did not propose to cut rates but to conduct itself upon a plan of amity with all other companies, it proposed to the Southeastern Tariff Association to pro rate certain local expenses with it and the proposition was accepted. A little later, however, it received notice from the Tariff Association that it had reconsidered its purpose. the letter from the secretary going on to say that in view of the rebate clause in the scheme of the Southern Stock Mutual it had been resolved not to co-operate with it. This was followed by notices to its agents throughout the State that they must not act as agents of he Southern Stock Mutual.

All this has but one meaning, and that is that a North Carolina company must not compete with the Southeastern Tariff Association for North Carolina business under penalty of its boycott. Its agents are to be coerced, if possible, and it only remains to be seen how many of them, who are agents for both, will submit to the coercion. The method adopted of holding the North Carolina business for itself and driving the home competitors out of the competition, is a thoroughly characteristic trust proceeding, and it will be a sur-prise to those who think they know them well if the people of North Carolina do not take this matter up and resent this arrogance as it deserves.

INMAN ON COTTON.

He Thinks the Next Crop Cannot Possibly Exceed 7,750,000 Bales. In a recent interview on the outlook

for cotton, John H. Inman said:

"The main strength of cotton lies in the inability of the South to make the next crop equal to the last under existing circumstances. Can this be done? The acreage of the 1893-'94 crop and that of 1894, were about the same, and still the crops of the two seasons show a difference of 2,000,000 to 2,220,000 bales in favor of the latter. This great difference is wholly attributed to the phenomenal season of '94 '95, the like of which was never before known, and is not again likely to be repeated. Assuming then that the acreage this year be the same as the last two years, "I am of the opinion that the next crop cannot under any conditions exceed that of 93-94, which was 7,750,000. As regards condition of planters, I may state that they are so greatly discouraged that their mental and physical condition is much run down. Then stock is not in such good condition as last year and the financial situation, the shipment of mules for farming purposes to the South this year, will not exceed 20,000, whereas the shipments last year were 30,000. Regarding the consumption of fertilizers, do not attach much importance to this matter. American spinners have stocked us very largely and are in good condition in this relowed in a measure and are still buying large amounts of cotton. But at Manchester the stocks held by spinners are small while at Liverpool there is an average stock which, however, does not belong to English spinners, but is controlled, to a considerable extent, by people who have bought for investment, for the rise in silver and prospects of an early termination of hostilities between China and Japan. Manchester will not

hesitate to supply herself more freely with cotton, Buy No Others. All persons are hereby cautioned against buying copies of the STAR offered for sale on the streets unless, in every case, the words "For Transient Sale" are stamped on the margin of the paper, Should any newsboy or carrier offer for sale a copy of the STAR not so stamped he should be promptly reported at this

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By W. K. WILKINSON, Auctioneer,

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UNDER and by virtue of an order granted by the Court of Ordinary of Chatnam county, I will sell at public outcry before the court house door in Chatham county, during the legal hours of sale, ex the first Tuesday, being the 2d day of April, 1895, the the first Tuesday, being the 2d day of April, 1895, the following real estate and improvements belonging to the estate of the late Francis M. Jones, to-wit All those three (3) certain water or wharf lots situate, lying a d being on Hutchinson's Island, in said county of Chatham and State aforesaid, and known as wharf lots numbers twenty-one (21), twenty two (2:) and twenty-hree (23), with all improvements on said three lots of land, said improvements consisting of a marine railway and the engines, b ilers and machinery necessary and is cident to the operation of said railway, together with engine, boiler and tool house now erected on said land.

Also at the same time and place the following personal property belonging to said estate, to wit—One dismounced pile driver engine, and hammer, one dismounted engine in house on lower wharf; three lighters and the interest of the estate in the tug Leon.

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Black Dress Goods. 85c all wool Henriettas \$1 all wool Henriettas, \$1.40 all wool Henriettas, \$1 a yard, 50c all wool Serge, 40c yd. 75c all wool French Serge, 50c yd. \$1.25 all wool French Serge, 85c yd. \$1.50 all wool Royalene, \$1.25 yd.

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OUTLINES. Affairs in the East-peace negotiations between China and Japan; alliance between Russia and Japan; attempt to assassinate Li Hung Chang, the Chinese Peace Commissioner. - Whiskey affairs. - Oil mill in Missouri destroyed by fire. - A newspaper man in California shot by a tramp. - A great victory won by revolutionists in Cuba. — Washington news-a silver service presented to Josephus Daniels; condition of national banks in Virginia and North Carolina; appointments by the President. - Cotton damaged by fire at Savannah. - A big fire in Kansas City-large packing-house destroyed. Spanish troops arriving in Cuba. --Another investigating committee from Boston. -- Catholic Church dedicated

at Southern Pines, N. C. - Women voters on the increase in Kansas towns. - Death of W. H. Pike, Superintentendent of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad. -- Charged with conspiracy -a Savannah postoffice clerk suspended. -- Seaboard Air line affairs. -- New York City police magistrates bill passed. - Departure of Gov. McKinley, for Florida again postponed on account of

near being mobbed in Memphis. --Base ball games played yesterday. ---Chicago grain and provision market. —€otton spots and futures. — New York markets: Money on call has been easy at 2@21/2 per cent., last loan at 21/4 per cent., closing offered at 21/2 per cent; cotton quiet; middling gulf 65 cents; middling uplands 6% cents; Southern flour quiet and firm; common to fair extra \$1.90@2.75; good to choice do. \$2 80@3.25; wheat dull and firmer; No. red in store and at elevator 601/40

but steady; strained common to good \$1.57%@1 62%.

estate when the trade was made.

scratch like a hen with a brood of chickens if she agrees to pay it to England as indemnity for the rudeness shown her Mr. Hatch. From a business standpoint, would pay Spain to trade Cuba off for a yellow dog and then kill the

The Governor of Rhode Island gets a salary of \$1,000 a year and then has to sit up nights to earn his

"A mysterious woman in black" has been creating a sensation in Washington by attempting to burn Catholic churches. The police think she is some weak minded person, a member of the female annex of the

A Republican exchange asks: "Is lying ever justifiable?" From a Republican standpoint that depends on what side the lying is done. Whether justifiable or not, there are few Republican organs which have not dis-

There is a rumor current in Atlanta that the National Republican Committee will spend \$40,000 in organizing the Republican party in Georgia. We don't believe it. After the experience the National Republican Committee has had in sending money into the South for organizing or election purposes it would discredit its intelligence to dump that much currency

who during a stav in England was much admired by a subject of the Queen, who proposed but was relish admirer over there in London, He dined, enjoyed his dinner, and next day started for home, having travelled six thousand miles to show

that he couldn't be outdone in cour-

tesy by the girl who kicked him. commissioners refused to allow him no more dead people until they pay up for all the work he has charged up clared to be legally dead until that

missioners and not charge a cent.

Everybody that has tried the "Oriole'

brand roasted coffee pronounce it the

kissed by a Kansas solon.

his health. -- Ex-priest Slattery came 60% cents; afloat 62@6214 cents; corn dull and firmer; No. 2 at elevator 56 cts;

The United States bought Alaska for less than half a cent an acre, but there wasn't any boom in Alaska real

Seventy five thousand dollars isn't

great deal of money in these days,

but they say it will make Nicaragua

dog. It is said that the frequent insurrections in that island have cost

Spain the lives of 8,000 officers, 200,-

000 private soldiers and \$200,000,000.

wages. What they lack in salary they make up in honor in presiding over a sovereignty which covers 1,306 square miles and runs two

A. P. A. probably, who is fired up by fanaticism.

covered that it is frequently necessary, and robust lying, too.

A story is told of a New York girl jected. The girl had a fellow on this side whom she shortly afterwards married. One day she concluded to give a dinner, and thought it would be a nice courtesy to invite her Engwhich she accordingly did and forgot all about it until he put in an appearance at the appointed time to dine.

The coroner of Williamsport, Pa. has gone on a protracted strike. The his fees in a case in which they said his services were not necessary and now he declares that he will sit on to the county. This coroner seems to have the advantage of the commissioners, for in certain cases a deceased person cannot be officially decoroner's jury pronounces upon it. Our impression is that the coroner would suspend the strike long enough to sit on that board of com-