The Weekly Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD

Editor and Proprietor.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY. - - . April 30, 1897.

In writing to change your address always wrmer direction as well as full particulars as w on wish your puper to be sent hereafter. Unless a both changes can not be made.

In change chi wer to induce. Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Re-Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as rry advertisements, but only half rates when paid ictly in advance. At this rate 60 cents will pay imple announcement of Marriage or Death.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order or Registered Letter. Postmas-ters will register letters when desired, Only such remittances will be at the risk of the

EF Specimen copies forwarded when desired.

Bill Nye

Often spoke his witticisms laden with the greatest truths. Among the most noticeable, most Nyeish and most apropos is the following:

A man may use a wart on the back of his neck for a collar button; ride on the back coach of a train to save interest on his money until the conductor comes around; stop his watch at night to save the wear and tear; leave his "i" and "t" without a dot or cross to save ink; pasture his mother's grave to save corn: but a man of this kind is a gentleman and a scholar compared to a fellow who will take a newspaper, and when asked to pay for it, puts it into the post-office and has it marked, "Refused."

THEY COULD IF THEY WOULD.

have been any monetary agitation, In his speech at the dinner of the there never would have been any de-Reform Club, in New York, ex-Presimand for tree coinage. The people dent Cleveland vehemently upraided never agitate when they are prosperthe Republican party for its sin of ous, nor unless they have some commission and omission, its sin of cause for agitation. commission consisting in its persist-This agitation will continue until ence in launching a new tariff upon the cause is removed, and the cause the country, and its sin of omission in will not be removed until some steps failing to address itself to the are taken to provide the States problem of currency reform, for the which are short of money with the former of which the ex-President can currency they need. If the leaders see no decent excuse, and for the of the Republican party had the salatter of which he sees an imperative gacity to see it, they would at once necessity. The large majority of the repeal the State bank tax. That Democrats in the country will agree would relieve the pressure, put the with him in both, although they may money question in the hands of the question the good grace of either people of the States who would soon complaint coming from a man who provide the ways to furnish all the gave the Republican party so much arrency they needed, and the nee aid and comfort during the campaign and contributed so materially to putting it in power again. The complaint on the tariff does not come with good grace because the Republican campaign managers sure way to do it. did not relegate the tariff but made it an issue and kept it an issue until the day of election. They shrewdly The decision of the Supreme Court played the "sound money" game to catch the Democratic sound money in sustaining the decision of Judge Adams in the Insane Asylum cases gudgeons, but they never directly or blocks the game of Republican Popindirectly agreed to abandon their ulist combine to billet upon these in contemplated work on the tariff. I stitutions some of the hungry hench is a mere gratuitous assumption on men. The State is to be congratuthe part of Mr. Cleveland that they in any way became obligated to re lated upon this action of the courts. linquish the tariff in recognition of for it means that these institutions are not to be used as party spoils Democratic aid received during the campaign and at the poils. That and made conveniences to reward aid was voluntarily tendered without partisan claimants regardless of the interests of the institutions or the any agreement or stipulation for welfare of those who find refuge anything in return, the motive being there. These decisions apply to the in tendering it to defeat Bryan, beasylums in which the test case was cause Bryan didn't stand with Grover made, but in as much as the Supreme Cleveland & Co. on the money ques-Court holds that an office is as much tion. That is all. They didn't like a man's property as his horse or McKinley, but they saw no hope for the two fossils from Illinois and house and lot, it seems to us that the decision covers all cases where Kentucky, and they simply used Mcthe appointment or selection is for a Kinley as an instrument to defeat Bryan, McKinley knows this, the stated period. It is both equitable and in the public interest that this Republican party managers know it. and therefore they feel under no obshould be so, for the person ap ligations to the "sound money" pointed may resign a lucrative posi-Democrats who deserted their own tion to accept such office in the beparty and voted with the Republilieve that it is to hold at least for the time of appointment if not cans. Nor was the Republican party longer, and he may also incur considerable expenses incident to the pledged to any such currency reform acceptance of the trust. It is due to as Mr. Cleveland and they who stand him that there should be some with him would like to see. They would like to see the Treasury notes stability of tenure, and that he do and Sherman notes retired and denot hold his peace subject to the stroyed. The Republican party was caprice of the appointing power, or not committed to that. They would of succeeding appointing powers like to see the single gold standard It is also conducive to more effi established and made perpetual. The ciency when the incumbent feels Republican party was not commitsecure and has no apprehension of ted to that. They would like to see being removed on summary notice. The asylums, at least, are institu silver permanently shelved and used for nothing but fractional currency. tions that should not be made party The Republican party was not property, nor be used as stowing pledged to that. How then could the away places for party strikers. In Republican party inaugurate a systhese the proper qualifications are of tem of currency reform that would the greatest importance, and when be acceptable to men who believe in these are found changes should not the single gold standard, who would be made, unless the removed be replaced by persons of superior qualidestroy all Government notes, and fications. would limit silver money to half dollars, quarters and dimes? In view The framers of the new Canadian of the fact that the Republican party tariff took the precaution to guard is not pledged to any of these things, against trusts and combines and inthe complaint by Mr. Cleveland that corporated in their tariff the follow-It has failed to address itself to curing clause : rency reform is about reasonable "Whenever it shall appear to the satas his complaint that the Repubisfaction of the Governor-in-Council that, respecting any article of commerce lican statesmen persist in giving the there exists any trusts, any combination country a new protective tariff. association or agreement of any kind among the manufacturers of such arti-Both the Republican managers cles or the dealers therein or any and Mr. Cleveland and the so called tion of them, to enhance the price of Democrats who are voiced by him in such article, or in any other way to unthat speech are pursuing the wrong duly promote the advantage of such manufacturers at the expense of the lines. Although they differ matericonsumers, and that such disadvantage ally in some essentials they are both to the consumers is facilitated by the wrong. The Republicans are wrong customs duty imposed on a like article when imported, then the Governor-in-Council shall place such article on the in trying to force prosperity on the country by means of a tariff which list, or so reduce the duty on it as to give will impose heavier burdens upon the to the public the benefit of reasonable competition in such article." people, and wrong again in dallying A clause substantially the same as with the silver coinage question, this was suggested to be incoporated which they are playing for politics; in the Dingley tariff, giving the and the gold Democrats who wor-President the authority to suspend ship at the Cleveland shrine are the duty on such articles as he bewrong in trying to force gold upon came satisfied were controlled by the country as its only money. Thus trusts and combines, but the Ways they are both, while apparently pulland Means Committee paid no attening against each other, combining to tion to it, and the bill passed the keep the silver question an issue and House of Representatives without to make it the main issue in the next any such protective clause. The campaign. reason probably was that the com-It was in the power of the Cleve- mittee, or at least that portion of it and Market streets.

and administration to have settled which framed this bill, were more nterested in the trusts than they the silver agitation if it had gone were in the people. Possibly, howabout it in the right way before it ever, some Senator who thinks more committed itself so irretrievably to of the people than of the trusts may the yellow coin. It is in the power of the Republican party to do it now move for and insist that something of this kind be incorporated in the without whispering a syllable against bill before it passes the Senate. If silver or showing the faintest semadopted and carried out in good faith, blance of hostility to it. The free as this Canadian clause doubtless silver sentiment was strong enough will be by the Canadlan authorities, n twenty two out of the forty five it would be a great protection to the States to give Wm. J. Bryan a mapeople. It would, at least, have jority in those States. It was so some restraining influence on the strong in some of the other twentythree that McKinley's majority was | trusts.

very small. Out of the more than The war cable dispatches look 12,000,000 votes cast, McKinley's bad for the Greeks in the field and plurality over Bryan was 600,000. for the Greeks at home, where in-What gave Wm. J. Bryan 6,500,stead of the valiant, defiant cry for 000 votes, the largest number ever war a few weeks ago we hear the received by a defeated candidate?? wall of disappointment and chagrin Look at the States he carried and and the howl of the fickle, restless the question is answered. They are mob. in all of which the modern all agricultural States, depressed and suffering from a scarcity of money. Athenians exhibit the characteristics of their ancestors of 2,500 years ago, That is what gave edge to the free who worshipped heroes one day and silver agitation. Eight voters out banished them the next. This fire in of ten in these States didn't care a the rear is worse and more to be continental about free coinage, or dreaded than the foe in the front, any other coinage. What they wanted was some monetary sysfor it demoralizes and fearfully tem that would provide the. handicaps the Government in plannecessary volume of currency and rening for resistance in what now lieve the pressure from which they seems to be an almost hopeless were suffering. They supported the fight. But even with co-operation demand for free silver because they and unity of sentiment in Athens felt that it was the only way to get end would doubtless have the the money they needed. That was been the defeat of the Greeks, the inspiration of their support and who had probably counted on the ground of their action. If money assistance from other quarters, had been plentiful there never would which has failed to come to them. Left to themselves they had not only

to fight the Turks with their superior numbers, better officered and better equipped armies, but they had virtually to fight the six Powers and the money lenders of Europe too,

who were looking after their Turkish loans, and lending more money to make them more secure. It was a learfully unequal contest from the beginning, rashly challenged and quickly ended. But the chivalry of the world sympathizes with Greece, and regrets that her valor was not better rewarded.

> If the South River, N. J., minister who introduced a phonograph in his church and made it play a violin solo,

CRIMINAL COURT.

Edward Sharpless on Trial for Rilling Sam Register-Cate Against Ben Hmith and Dan Parker for Murder Continued to Next Term.

In the Criminal Court yesterday Edward Snarpless, colored, was arraigned for the killing of Sam Register, colored in Cape Fear township on the 17th o March last. The defendant, through his counsel, Bellamy & Bellamy, plead guilty of manslaughter, and the jury acting on instructions brought in a verdict to that effect. Tae witnesses in the case were then examined, Judge Sutton stating if the evidence in the case war-

ranted it, he would strike out the plea of manslaughter and let the defendant stand trial for murder. Several witnesses were examined, the testimony of which was published in full in the STAR of March 20 and 21. After hearing all the evidence Judge Sutton reserved his decision,

Other cases were disposed of during the day as follows :

R. F. Holmes, colored, assault and battery with a deadly weapon. Contiqued until next term whether regular or special.

Julia Hart, colored, assault and battery. Judgment suspended upon payment of costs, and delendant discharged as insolvent.

Mary Cole, colored, larceny. Nol pros. Eugene Pugh, colore i. carrying concealed deadly weapon. Verdict guilty. Henry Johnson, colored, larceny. Sentenced to twelve months imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Wm. James, colored. larceny. Defendant submitted and was sentenced to tweive moaths imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Annie Graham, colored larceny. Six months in the county house of correction

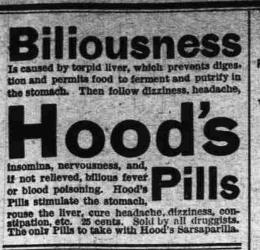
cealed weapon. Defendant submitted and judgment was suspended upon payment of costs.

tenced to twelve months imprisonment

cealed weapon. Defendant submitted and was sentenced to six months imprisonment in the county house of cor-

At 6 10 o'clock court took a recess until 10 o'clock this morning.

During the afternoon session the grand ury came into court and presented a true bill against Ben Smith and Dan Parker, both colored, charged with murdering a white sailor in "Dross Neck" a t time ago. The case was con until next term. Judge Satton appointed Jao. Gore, Eig. and D. B. Satton, Esq., to delead the defendant Smith. A capias was issued for Parker, who is at large, although it is said he is still in the city. Patal Acoldent to a Young White Man. be it resolved: some congregations got used to that A very distressing accident occurred Tuesday at Heading Bluff, a landing on Black river about twenty-two miles from the city. A. S. Hufbam, a young white man aged 20 years, was cutting down a tres. As the tree fell it lodged in some way so as to cause the part next the stump to fly up and strike Mr. Hufbam on the head. And, besides, the unfortunate man received another blow in the head from the aze which was knocked from his grasp by the falling tree. This happened about 11 o'clock in the norning. The young man was carried to his home and the best of medical attention provided, but he grew steadily free this country from Federal oppresworse and died at 10 o'clock Tuesday sion. night. He was a son of the late A. J. Hufnam, of Heading Bluff, and a nephew of Mr. M. C. Benson, of this city.



A STATE DIVISION

OF THE UNITED DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY Organized by the Vations Chapters in

North Carolina-Officers Elected-Oonstitution and By-Laws Adeped-To Meet Again in Wilmington in October Mext.

A State division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy was organized in this city yesterday. The convention. which organized the division. was composed of delegates from the different State chapters, and was called by the charten chapter, Cape Fear, of this city. The meeting was called to order yesterday morning at 11 o'clock in the Wilmington Light Infantry armory by Mrs. Wm. M Parsley, President of Cape Fear Chapter. An election of temporary officers resulted in Mrs. Parsley being elected President, and Miss Mary F. Sanders, corresponding secretary of

Cape Fear Chapter, secretary, The President appointed Mrs. Jas. Carmichael and Miss Sanders as a comnittee to examine credentials. The committee reported two credentials received from Pamlico Chapter, of Washngton, and one from the Asheville Chapter. A telegram was received from Asheville requesting Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley to represent the chapter of that city in the convention. The delegates present were Mrs. Louise N. Blount and Miss Annie Bragaw, of Pamlico Chapter, Washington, and Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley, Mrs. Jas. Carmichael and Miss mington.

Mary F. Sanders, of Cape Fear Chapter, this city. The chapters of Raleigh, Salisbury and Asheville were not represented by delegates. The following communication from

the Raleigh Chapter was received : RALEIGH, N. C., April 29, 1897.

At a meeting of the Raleigh Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy held April 18th, an article was read from the Baltimore Sun showing that the G. A. R. and other similar organizations in



Disbursing

Will Probably Make His Home in W mington-Judge Adams Befuses to Medify His Order Concerning the A. & N. C. B. B.-The Asy lum Cases in the Supreme Court-Municipal Election Monday. [Special Star Correspondence.]

RALEIGH, N. C. April 36 Ex-Senator Westmoreland, of David son county, who has been commissioned janitor of the Supreme Court building by Rev. Bemis, the keeper of the Capitol, says that only two Justices of the Supreme Court have protested against his appointment. He says they are Justices Clark and Montgomery, and that the three Republican Judges have not taken any stand in the matter. Westmoreland expects to begin his career as 'spittoonist" the latter part of the week.

Next Monday the municipal election occurs. The regular Democracy is gain ng daily and is certain to win. The Supreme Court will very likely hand down an opinion in the asylum cases Tuesday evening. It is generally expected that Judge Adams' decision will be sustained by the higher court. The Portsmouth Dramatic Cinh will

come to Raleigh this week and will present the opera, "Princess Bonnie." Yesterday was the warmest day of the leason and Summer outfits were much in evidence.

The change in schedule on the Southern Railway system which goes into effect at an early date, slightly affects the present schedule of the North Carolina division.

Dr. Cyrus Thompson, Secretary of State, yesterday took the superintendency of the Central Methodist Church Sunday school.

The State Pharmaceutical convention meets here May 18th. Applicants to practice pharmacy will be examined. The Secretary of State has received rom the public printer the first copy of the journal of the Legislature. It is an enormous and bulky document.

[Special Star Telegram.] Thos. R. Parnell, who was appointed udge to-day, will probably make his

nome in Wilmington. Judge Parnell expects to hold his first court in Wil-

Judge Adams refused to-day to grant motion modifying the restraining order issued by him Friday, prohibiting private stockholders of the A. & N. C. railroad having a meeting. The motion was made by counsel for W. R. Tucker,

Drowned in Cape Fear River.

The body of Jesse Roberts, a white isherman who lived at Phoenix, Brunswick county, was found in the Cape Fear about ten miles from the city on Saturday evening last. He was last

No department at Washington just | spring has tempted scores of incompetent persons, schemers and clerks, with now so absorbs the attention of the only a dangerous smattering of medical people as the splendidly-growing, forknowledge, to venture to concoct to. midable navy. It is not to the goldcalled spring remedies.

THE NAVY DEPT.

Celery Compound.

Officer Glad to Recommend Paine's

laced Annapolis graduates that the brunt of the responsible work falls, but to the able Department officials, of whom Disbursing Officer F. H. Stickney is one. A letter from him save:

"Having taken Paine's celery com pound for the last few weeks, I have found it a perfect spring remedy, and have been much benefited by it."

Spring is the decisive time in the life of every person out of health. Ic is an assured fact that stubborn disorders become quickly curable in the spring. This is especially true of such persistent troubles as rheumatism, neuralgia and obstinate kidney diseases. No one, sick or well, can afford to

A BULL RUN AFFAIR,

THE BATTLE OF MATI.

Terrible Sosne-Vivid Picture of Disast

and Fear-Men, Woman and Children

Killed by the Frightened Soldiers

-Another Panie on the Aban-

donment of Lariesr.

[Copyright 1997 by the Associated Press.]

interest. While soldiers, villagers, wu-

men and children were marching along.

all hopelessly mixed up and the soldiers

anathematizing their officers, a dozen

horsemen and as many riderless horses

appeared. The cry went up "The Turks

are upon us," and the stampede began.

The frightened soldiers and villager

commenced to fire in every direction

and the terror of the animals added to

the confusion. The correspondent, who

narrowly escaped being shot by irregu-

lars, says the mad firing kept up for hall

"The scene was terrible. Men. women

boxes, broken

and children were killed. The way was

carts and furniture, the bedding of sol-

diers, blankets and tin pannikans. The

latter rattled under the horses' feet.

"Guns and ammunition, wagons and

the drivers to mount the horses at-

tached to them and seek safety in

the fugitives for the possession of the

ror-stricken as the soldiery. One brave

officer tried to bring his men to their

"General Mavromichaelis, who had

"Two miles from the Larissa road is

"There were many struggles between

strewn with ammunition

an hour.

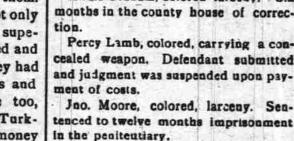
light,

"try" uncertain remedies in spring, any other time.

In sharp contrast with these risky preparations is the one valuable Spring remedy worthy the name in the estimation of competent persons and medical authorities, Paine's celery compound,

This widely praised and widely prized remedy really does not make people well. It is as far removed, in the minds. of judicious men and women, from all other remedies purporting to accomplish equal results, as the North is from the South. Clear-headed professional men business men and the great body of hard working brain workers all over the country, believe heartily, and with good reason, in Paine's celery compound.

Paine's celery compound gets its ndorsement from physician and scientific men who were led to The dishonesty of many self-named verify its claims because of its disspring remedies becomes startlingly apcoverer, the distinguished Dartmouth parent when their results are compared college professor, Edward E. Phelps with the results obtained from this ac-M. D., LL. D. curate, scientific preparation, Paine's Nothing will pull a tired-out, nervous, celery compound. The general practice "run-down" man or woman out of the among careful people of purifying the quagmire of sinking health so promptly blood and toning up the nerves in the and firmly as Paine's celery compound



Sam Maraball, colored, carrying conrection.

sing the offertory and pronounce the supplied there would be no longer benediction, had just supplied it with necessity or cause for agitation. If a sermon, he might have demonstrathey would settle the money quested to his congregation how easy it tion and bring peace and prosperity would be to get along without a pasto the country that is the short and tor, when the pastor wants to take his Summer vacation. But then after

MINOR MENTION.

kind of thing they might stick to the phonograph and dispense with the minister.

The old brick business is on a boom in New York, where hustling fakirs have driven a profitable trade by selling at fancy prices old bricks as souvenirs from Gen. Grant's tomb. Enough of them have been sold to build several tombs, and enough of the buyers were sold to fill several cemeteries.

The x ray exposed a whistle that a little boy in Atlanta swallowed and it was taken out. If the x ray could be instrumental in taking the whistle out of the colored boys who perambulate these streets at all hours of the night the city authorities ought to employ a lot of them.

The appointment of young Mr. Sewall as U.S. Minister to Hawaii is considered as a pointer to Mr. Mc-Kinley's views on the question of annexation. When Mr. Sewall was there before as Consul he was in it. with the "Revolutionists."

That Michigan United States udge who decided that bank directors who fall to direct are as responsible for the shortcomings of bank officials as they are, doesn't look apon the position of director as simply an ornamental position.

Ex-Secretary Carlisle finds fault with the present administration for coquetting with the silverites. If Mr. Carlisle is as busy as he is reported to be he will have as much as he can attend to without trying to run this administration.

> The Philadelphia Times calls the New York Reform Club dinner a pointed admonition." Pshaw. It was simply a stuffing of food and a discharge of oratory, that nobody outside paid any special attention to.

in 1898. Nothing like encouraging people when times are hard and the

It is said that April and May are the suicide months, there being more suicides in these two months than in any other two months in the ve couple left on the 9 o'clock train for a No reason is given for this. Northern tour. Changes in the Neval Stores Market. Barn Barned. The naval stores market was more Mr. B. F. Penny's barn on Myrtle than usually active yesterday. Spirits Branch, with its contents of corn and changed from steady at 2614 and 25% farming utensils, was burned to the ground some time during Sunday night. cents per gallon, to firm at 27 and 2616 t is not known how the fire originated cents. Tar was quoted at \$1.05, an increase of 5 cents per barrel over the quotations of the day before. Both grades of rosin were 5 cents per barrel lower. Relief in Six Hours. Distressing Kidney and Bladder dis-ases relieved in six hours by the "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidney, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain. In passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure, this is your remedy. Sold by R. R. Bellamy, Drug-gist, Wilmington, N. C., corner of Front

Reduced Rates on the 8 A. L.

On account of the Women's Exposition of the Carolinas at Charlotte, N. C., in May, the Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets to that point at reduced rates, based on one first class fare. Rate from Wilmington, \$6 05. For tickets on sale May 19th and 20th (good for three days from date of sale) a lower rate has been named which from Wilmington is \$3 90 for the round trip.

A rate of one first class fare for the ound trip has been named to Charlotte on account of the Presbyterian Church General Assembly; also, for I. O. O. F. of North Carolina.

Reduced rates are also authorized by the Seaboard Air Line to Winston-Salem, N. C., and return, on account of the Annual Commencement of the Salem Female Academy, May 25th. Rate from Wilmington, \$7.25. Tickets on sale May 18th to 25th; final limit May 29th. Marriages Yesterday.

At 9 15 last night Mr. John Bailey Farmer and Miss Estelle A. Burnett were united in marriage. The happy event was solemnized at the residence of the bride's uncle, Mr. Geo. T. Riley, in the presence of a number of invited guests, Rev. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, officiating. Mr. B. C. Moore was best man and the bride was given away by her father, Mr. J. J. Burnett, After the ceremony a very enjoyable reception was tendered the happy young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Farmer will make their home with Mr. Geo. T. Riley, corner of

Mr. James C. Stewart and Miss Ida E Thompson were married yesterday morning at 8.15 o'clock at the residence of the bride's mother on Campbell street near Fourth. Rev. A. D. Mc-Clure officiated. Mr. Stewart is the

chief engineer at the Champion Compress, and the bride is a popular and

lady.

The

Vilmington.

vacancies.

be Northern States into the schools a partisan history. in which all Southerners who took part in the Civil War are to be branded as rebels and insurrectionists, Gen. R. E. Lee being especially named as one to be so regarded; and that Prof. McMasters, who has been employed to write such a history, is now engaged upon it; therefore

First, that the Releigh Chapter. No 96, of the Daughters of the Confederacy ask the Cape Fear Chapter to take this matter into serious consideration; to present it at the meeting of the chapters of the U. D. C. of North Carolina, to be held at Wilmington on the \$8th proximo and to cause it to be presented to the United Order Daughters of the Confederacy at the first suitable opportunity, so that action may be taken to meet this proposition of the G. A. R., either by endorsing the best history already written or by appointing a historian who shall prepare a school history, giving a truthful account of the causes and motives which led to secession, and of the characters and actions of the men who en gaged in the vain but glorious effort to

Second, that this chapter pledge self, after raising fifty dollars for th President Davis monument fund, to de vote all other funds that it may raise to the expense of preparing such history. Third, that the Raleigh Chapter requests that the various chapters of the U. C. D. which shall meet in Wilming. ton on the 28th proximo, shall lay these facts before the cimps of veterans o their respective homes and ask that these camps take prompt action in regard to this most important matter, and hat the question in its entirety be presented to the United Camps of Veterans which will meet in Nashville on the 28d of June next [Signed.] KATE MACKIMMON.

KATE A OLDS.

ANNIE LANE DEVEREUX. The above was heartily endorsed and Cape Fear Camp United Confederate Veterans will be requested to present the communication for action at their reunion in Nashville, Tenn., June 22d. A constitution and by-laws for the division being presented, the same was carefully read and discussed. The constitution was adopted with several amendments, and the by-laws were dopted as a whole.

Mrs. Jas. Carmichael of Cape Fear Chapter, and Miss Annie Bragaw, of Pamlico Chapter, were appointed a committee to nominate the permanent officers for the division. The committee after consultation recommended the following list of officers, all of whom were unanimously elected :

President-Mrs. Wm. M. Parsley, of

First Vice President-Miss Lida T. Rodman, of Washington. Second Vice President-Mrs. John S. Henderson, of Salisbury.

Third Vice President-Mrs. Hinsdale, of Raleigh, Fourth Vice President-Miss T. L. Patton, of Asheville

> Corresponding Secretary-Mrs. A. A. Vatson, of Wilmington,

Historian-Mrs. Fannie Fisher Tiers nan of Salisbury. Registrar-Miss Annie T. Bragaw, of

Washington. Treasurer-Mrs. Gaston Meares, of

brother William Roberts he was in a small skiff in tow of the steamer E. A. Hawes. He must have fallen from the skiff, though neither his brother nor any of the crew of the Hawes witnessed the accident. Both men had been drinking when they left the city.

PURNELL'S BIG LUCK.

Is Secures the United States Judgeship It is a Soft Place, With a Salary of Five Thousand Dollars.

The nomination of Thomas R. Purell, to be United States Judge for the Eastern District of North Carolina, was sent to the Senate yesterday. The following sketch, sent out from Washing ton several days since, will be read with interest in Wilmington :

"Thomas Richard Parnell was born bout 50 years ago in the old Governor Dudley mansion in Wilmington. He is grandson of Governor Dudley, Governor of North Carolina from 1886 to 1841, and is the son of Thomas R. Purnell, of Halifas county. He served as civil engineer in the Southern army. After the war he worked as a sign painter n Wilmington. He graduated from Trinity College in 1869; studied law with Colonel Strange in Wilmington; removed to Baltimore; studied law there under Theophilus Horwitz; practiced law in Baltimore, and later returned to North Carolina, locating in Winston-Salem, where he married Miss Zevely, of Salem, piece of Colonel Zevev, who was Assistant Postmaster General during the war, and up to the second term of Grant's administration; was appointed State Librariau in 1878, when he removed to Raleigh; resigned in 1876; was twice elected to the Legislature from Wake county; was a Harrison elector in 1888; was Republican candidate for Attorney General in 1899, and since 1879, when he cast his first vote for Grant, has been an active and prominent Republican in the State. The Judgeship secured by Mr Pur-

blankets became entangled in them and ell is about the most desirable North the horses, frantic with alarm, gal Carolina position within the gift of the loped about among the flying crowds President. It is a life appointment, the many of them riderless and deserted. salary is \$5,000, and there is just about work enough to keep the lacumbeat carts added to the obstruction. Their from forgetting that he is a Judge. traces had been cut in order to enable

FAYETTEVILLE'S MAYOR. Col. W. S. Cook Again Nominated by

elamation to Succeed Etmself. [Special Star Telegram.]

horses. In this manner the affrighted crowds struggled on for several miles, FAVETTEVILLE, April 27.-At the ward meetings to-night for nomination presenting a most vivid picture of dis aster and fear. Some of the Greek offi of candidates for Mayor, Col. W.S. Cook cers, it is true, did their duty. They orwas again nominated by acclamation to dered the buglers and trumpeters to succeed himself, making the third time sound 'cease firing,' and rode about callthat this gentleman has been nominated ng upon the fleeing soldiers to halt, by acclamation for Mayor of this city. But others of the Greek officers lost their heads and pushed onward as ter-A. O. L. Consolidation

The Columbia State, of yesterday SAVS :

senses by presenting a revolver at them and shouting: 'Stop, stop,' but he "The test case to determine whether might as well have called upon a whirlor not any of the railroads now operated by the Atlantic Coast Line Company are wind to stay in its course. parallel or competing was heard yester day morning before Judge Aldrich and evidently reached Larissa some time bea verdict returned in favor of the roads. ore, rode back some distance in order Attorney General Barber represented the o arrest the stampede. Railroad Commission, and Mr. J. T. Barituated an embankment, where the ron the railroad. Only the officials of the Atlantic Coast Line and Chairman W. D. general succeeded in inducing half a Evans, of the Railroad Commission, were company of foot sore soldiers to fall in, but thousands continued the pell mell witnesses.

"The last Legislature granted a charter consolidating the railroads constituting the Atlantic Coast Line Company provided that none of such roads were parallel or competing in the me the Constitution. To determine if any

scattered troops and sending them to Pharsalos. The troops continued the march without any refreshment and it is RETREAT OF THE GREEKS AFTER alleged that many of them had not tasted food since Friday morning. When it became known that Larina was to be abandoned there was another panic. The women and even the children went about drawing their hands across their throats, showing what they expected of the Turks, and in an incredibly short time the roads leading to Pharsalos and Volo were crowded with ATHENS, April 28 .- The retreat of the people, vehicles and animals, the latter bearing all kinds of household effects. Greeks, after the battle of Mati, devel-"A special train of trucks took to Volo oped into a rout before many miles had about three thousand people of every been covered. The Larissa corresponddegree, the passengers hanging on to the ent of the Associated Press, who was roofs and platforms like a swarm of bees; but the majority trudged along on with the retreating troops, has arrived here and his story of the fight is full of

foot and many of the refugees threw anxious looks back at Larissa and the vale of Pempe, fearing every moment a rush from the Circassian cavalry. "By 1 30 p m. Larissa was emplied.

Instead of following the troops to Pharsalos the correspondent, in order to get off his dispatches pushed on to Volo. where there was a panic almost equaling the one witnessed at Larissa. Fugitives were arriving at Volo every few minutes, and they spread a rumor that the Turks would enter the place in a lew hours. In the absence of steamers there was general rush for caiques, on board of which the well-to do classes went to Euboe, or other islands. Your correspondent hired a calque and went on board of it with a newspaper company ion, Mr. Holdall. In a minute there was a great commotion, crowds of people shouting to us to come out of the boat. Then a number of men made a rush on board of her, threw Mr. Holdall out and pushed the correspondent ashore. It eems that the lower classes, panicstricken, determined that if they could not escare from Volo no one else should do so, and they cried, 'We all must die together.

"To such an extent did this felling of panic spread that a Government steamer which was embarking wounded soldiers for the Piraeus was obliged to leave Volo harbor, owing to the fact that the frantic populaion threatened to make a rush on board the steamship, which would probably have resulted in great loss of life. As it was, the wounded soldiers were taken on board the steamer in small boats and the vessel sailed for the Piræus in a hurry, leaving two English nurses and six wounded Greek soldiers on the quay. The nurses and the wounded men were taken to the British consulate. "The excitement continued all day

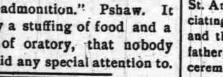
Sunday. I secured a caique on the following day and proceeded to the sland of Euboe, whence, by caiquing and driving, I reached Athens to day, having been five days without taking my shoes or clothing off."

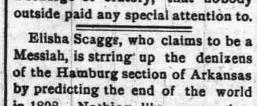
There Is Nothing So Good.

rush for Larissa. "There was a block at the bridge There is nothing just as good as Dr. cross Salambra river at the entrance of King's New Discovery for Consumption Larissa. Another terrible scene was Coughs and Colds, so demand it and do there presented, guns, men an rmit the de struggling in a fearful mass. substitute. He will not claim there is "In the streets of Larissa there was anything better, but in order to make indescribable confusion. Troops of all more profit he may claim something arms were mixed together and threw else to be just as good. You want Dr. themselves down in utter exhaustion, King's New Discovery because you heedless of the calls of the trumpets and know it to be safe and reliable, and guarbugles summoning them to fall in. The anteed to do good or money refunded. For Coughs, Colas, Consumption and inhabitants rushing about the streets, intensified the confusion. The mere for all affections of Throat, Chest and mention of the Turks was sufficient to Lungs, there is nothing so good as is create a frenzied rush. Dr. King's New Discovery. Trial bol-

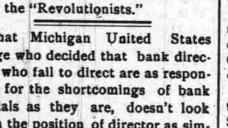
Wilmington.

Sixth and Nun streets.





water high.



resident of this State. be elected Presi-People living near by knew nothing of there being a fire in the vicinity until dent of the division, but she was not elithey saw yesterday morning a heap of gible, not being a member of any chapashes where the barn was on the night before. Mr. Penny estimates his loss as ter of the Daughters of the Confederacy. between \$850 and \$400. He held insur-ance to the amount of \$280. It was ordered that a letter be addressed For Over Fifty Years MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used/for over filty years by mil-lions of mothers for their children while of members. teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cutes wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the journed. poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure

and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing saparilla. It is economy to buy Syrup," and take no other kind." + Hood's.

of the roads were parallel or competing Recording Secretary-Miss Kate Mcthe case had to be taken to the courts Kimmon, of Raleigh. On motion, the President was empow-

and left to a jury to say after the facts had been laid before it. This was the ered, in cases of declination, to fill such test case tried yesterday."

Under the terms of the act the Com-missioners appointed are to soliciti sub-It was suggested that Mrs. Jackson, scriptions to the stock of the new comwidow of the late "Stonewall" Jackson, a pany, and then a meeting of the stock-holders is to be called to elect officers. There will be no unnecessary delay in the organization.

Did You Ever

Try Electric Bitters as a remedy for to Mrs. Jackson informing her of the reyour troubles? If not, get a bottle now and get relief. This medicine has been membrance and requesting her to permit Cape Fear Chapter, the charter chapter, found to be peculiarly adapted to the relief and cure of all Female Comto place her name on their honorary list. plaints, exerting a wonderful direct in-It was decided to hold the next confluence in giving strength and tone to the organs. If you have have Loss of vention on the second Wednesday in October, 1897, in this city. Appetite, Constipation, Headache, About 2 o'clock the meeting ad-Fainting Spells, or are Nervous, Sleepless, Excitable, Melancholy or troubled with Dizzy Spells, Electric Bitters is the medicine you need. Health and Strength are guaranteed by itsuse Fifty cents and \$1.00 at R. R. BELLAMY'S Drug Store.

"When the moon rose and the neightles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S Drug borhood of the town could be made out Store. with some distinctness, matters became calmer and at dawn the excitement had The Seaboard Air Line announces that been reduced to a restless movement commencing May 1st, Pullman sleep ing cars will be operated between all from street to street, and an anxious discussion of the future.

seen may wagons bearing the dead to

"The five newspaper correspondents

"The first hours'of daylight were spent by the Greek officers in assembling their

Larissa.

lous escapes from death.

points on the system and Nashville Tenn., in order to accommodate the "Some estimates of the number of deaths which occurred during the stamtravel to and from the Tennessee cenpede and indiscriminate firring say that from five hundred to six hundred pertennial, May 1st to October 30th. sons were killed. But your correspon-dent thinks these figures are exagger-Bucklen's Arnica Salve. ated, though people declare they have

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers; Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Bruptions and positively cures Piles of who were in the stampede all had miracu- no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money re-funded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by R. R. BELLAMY.

One Hundred Doses One Dollar is peculiar to and true only of Hood's Sar-