their grip on life. They seem like monuments of At this crisis which will xourish and build up the

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It's the subtle touch of a woman' When death is hovering nigh, That reaches down from somewhere

And grapples a man with the hooks of drags him back from the shadowy strand-And will not let him die.

It's not that a man isn't good at Or kind in the way of a man; And ready to give of his brawn and But it isn't his knack to doctor a pain, Because he wasn't cut out for that

part In the cast of the Infinite plan. It's something a man can't under

stand, An art that he can't acquire; When the molten tide of the fever's Scorches his marrow and withers his

It's the cooling touch of a woman's That plucks him out of the fire,

And pulls him together and sets him straight, And gives him a place to stand; Oh, there isn't a salve on this ball of

That will ease the smart of a man that's hurt, And woo him back from the jaws of

Like the touch of a woman's hand. And if there isn't a city of gold, Or bliss in a better land,

It wouldn't be cause for a great regret. Since God has tempered the toil and And give us heaven to have and to In the touch of a woman's hand.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

### - The most useful is the greatest.

- As much of heaven is visible we have eyes to see. - William Win-- When our hatred is too bitter it

- The hour that is gone I cannot recall, but to-morrow I will do better than the yesterday. Let us "leave behind our low yaulted past."-Dyer.

There are many things in Christianity we do not understand. Neither do our pastors. Christianity is a vast scheme. Are we doing what we do understand?

- Genuine good taste consists in saying much in few words, in choosing among our thoughts, in having order and arrangements in what we say, and in speaking with composure.-Fene-- Overcoming the world implies

overcoming a state of wordly anxiety. Worldly men are almost incessantly in a fever of anxiety lest their worldly schemes should fail. But a man who gets above the world gets above this state of ceaseless and corroding anxiety.—Charles G. Finney. - Christ's words are the only

tender ones about flowers in the Bi ble. There are many allusions that the sublime aspects and grand objects of nature—to the mountains and trees -but hardly anything is said of the lowly things that grow on the bosom and light up the shadow of the other. The purest lives I have known

have not been those carefully screened from the world, but which, coming up in it, have kept themselves unspotted. The sweetest and truest have grown and ripened under conditions, you you would say, most hostile, but which have been wrought into the means of a grandly elevated and faithful life.—

- Goldsboro Argus: The death of Mr. I. Newton Brown occurred at his home in this city to-day (Friday). While his death was not altogether sudden, still it was unexpected at this time, notwithstanding the fact that he had been in feeble health for some



At the Caucus of the Board of Agriculture Held in Raleigh.

THERI SALARIES ADJUSTED.

State Guard Encampment to be Held This Year at Morehead City-The Public Printers-Abbott's Case Against Beddingfield-Craig Bill.

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., June 1. The Adjutant General announces this morning that the State Guard encampment this year will be held at Morehead City. They will go into

camp in July by regiments. The Second regiment will go first, followed ten days later by the Third. The First will, next Fall, go on a practice march in the western part of the State. The time and place will be designated by Col. Armfield. Tax listers in this county began list ng taxes this morning.

The ninety days allowed the public rinters in which to deliver the bound copies of the laws and documents to the Secretary of State expire on June 6th. After this date a forfeiture of \$50 a day shall be made by the public printers until the delivery of the laws and documents is completed. The documents, Senate Journal and part of the public laws have already been delivered. The balance of the Public Laws, all the Private Laws and the Iouse Journal are still to be delivered.

Abbott's Case Against Beddingfield. In the case of D. H. Abbott against E. C. Beddingfield, for the office of Corporation Commissioner, Judge Robinson yesterday ordered that the defendant Beddingfield give an additional undertaking in the sum of \$1,500, pursuant to the statute, but this order shall be of no force or effect until the defendant is permitted to

of Corporation Commissioner. The American Telephone and Tele graph Company to day complied with the provisions of the Craig bill and became a North Carolina corporation. Yesterday twenty-one insurance com-

papers to day. All the railroads in the State to which the Jim-Crow car law applies, to-day put on separate cars for the

There is very great pressure for offices in the Agricultural Department.
The number of candidates is larger than has ever before been known. There are more than a hundred appli-

[Special Star Telegram.] At a caucus of the Board of Agriculture to-night officers were elected and salaries fixed. The commissioner's salary was reduced from \$1,800 to

\$1,650; the secretary's salary was left at \$1,500. John W. Thompson, of Raleigh, was elected Assistant Commissioner of

Agriculture, at a salary of \$1,250. B. W. Kilgore, formerly assistant chemist here, now State chemist of Alabama, was elected State Chemist;

salary \$2,500. Five assistants to the State chemist

were chosen It was decided to abolish the two regular fertilizer inspectors and employ fifteen special inspectors at a sal-

ted clerk in the chemical department; salary \$600. W. A. Graham, Jr., MacPellah,

registering clerk; salary \$900. Miss Annie Lewis, Rocky Mount, usher in museum; \$40 per month. Miss Lucy Reeves, Rocky Mount, stenographer; \$50 per month.

Wadesboro; C. B. Williams, Elizabeth City; S. E. Asbury, Gastonia; Grimes Haywood, Raleigh; Fred C. places us below those we hate.-La Lamb, Elizabeth City.

First district, J. C. Davis, of Martin, and H. T. King, of Pitt; Second, H. P. Dortch, Wayne, Hill J. Reed, Perquimans, Wiley Barnes, Wilson; Third, W. L. Williams, Cumberland: Fourth, F. J. Brown, Johnston, E. W. Morris, Franklinton; Fifth, R. G. Russell, Durham, J. C. Kennett, Guilford; Sixth, J. F. McKoy; Seventh, S. Morris; Eighth, Hugh W. Lindsay; Ninth, J. S. Bell and M. L. Reed. Janitors, Gaston Broughton, Wake,

neer, C. C. Lee, Wake.

morrow to confirm these selections.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

Closing Exercises-Address by Mr. Henry Blount-A Delighted Audience. [Star Correspondence.]

fine school of Elder A. J. Moore, of this place, closed a successful session on Friday last. Under the admirable management of Capt. Moore and his accomplished daughter, Miss Minnie, the school has steadily grown in popular fayor and usefulness, for the pupils here receive the most thorough training. The exercises Friday evening were unusually attractive. The speaker for the occasion was Henry Blount, the peerless orator, and he was very gracefully and felicitously presented to the audience by Miss Minnie Moore in one of the neatest speeches this writer has ever heard, The audience was carried away with his fine oratory, and enchanted with his eloquence.

On Sunday evening the Methodist Church was a scene of great loveliness and beauty. It was beautifully decorated and filled to its utmost capacity with the very elete of the town and country. This occasion was Children's Day. Motto, "Battle for Life." The children seemed to be perfectly at home and recited their little pieces and sang their sweet little songs perfectly and showed that they had been thoroughly trained. Miss Lena Taylor presided at the organ. Miss Mamie Battle led the choir. The music was good and to them great honor is due for this magnificent en-

# OFFICERS ELECTED. NEWS FROM RALEIGH. LATE ADVICES

White Republican Convicted of Murdering a Negro Pardoned by the Governor.

THE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

Crops Seriously Damaged by Hail and Wind Storms-Insurance Companies Licensed-Arduous Work of Auditing Penitentiary Claims.

[Special Star Correspondence.] RALEIGH, N. C., June 3. The Governor has pardoned James A. Moore, son of Ex Sheriff Moore, (Republican), of Franklin county. He was convicted of murder in the second degree for killing a negro and sent up for fifteen years. The homicide occurred at a political barbecue near Franklinton while Russell was a candidate for Governor. He had served three years of his sentence. The pardon was granted yesterday but has not been announced at the executive office. Asked yesterday if there was any reason assigned for the pardon Private Secretary Cade said there was, but he was not authorized

Crops Damaged. Great damage has been done to crops in this county by the recent hail and wind storm. In some places the tobacco crop has been ruined and the cotton crop has been twice replanted. There have been three hail storms in the county this week, accompanied by severe winds. They occurred Mon-day, Wednesday and Thursday.

Board of Agriculture.

number of things yesterday. All the officers and employes agreed on by the caucus the night before and published in Friday's STAR were elected in a lump, except that King, the present engineer, was retained. sides these things the board did the following

Loaned \$1,500 to the State Fair. Voted to pay members per diem rom the time they leave home. Awarded the contract for the new useum annex to Itner & Co., of Charlotte, at \$17,500.

The report of the Finance Committee was of a sensational nature, ex-

posing the extravagance of the Fu

Insurance Companies Licensed. business in North Carolina this year. ninety-one have complied with the conditions of the Craig bill by becoming domestic corporations. Thirty-five have failed to comply with the law and their license is therefore useless. Until they become home corporations

they can do no business whatever, under a penalty of \$200 a day. The A. and M. College commence ment begins Monday night with the baccalaureate sermon by Rev. A. J. McKelway, editor of the Presbyterian

It is ruled by the State Tregsurer OUR RELATIONS WITH SPAIN. that a photographer is liable to the license tax of \$5 to the State only once each year; but that \$5 county tax must be paid in every county in which he does business.

the penitentiary is an arduous and difficult one. Already the executive committee of the board of directors have spent two weeks at it and the work is not complete yet. The committee will come back again week after next to finish it up. By that time the State Treasurer will have the money for the bonds recently sold. They will be delivered to the purchaser at the Bankers' convention here next week. An official is here from Washington

city making an inspection with a view to building a fine government road from the city to the Federal cemetery. they were "whipping niggers to make em work harder." He said he "jes nacherly got tired er farm work any way and wanted to come back ter Raleigh." He will be sent back.

ANOTHER GEORGIA OUTRAGE.

Lady Aged 65 Years-The Ravisher in Jail-Lynching Feared.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. ATLANTA, GA., June 3 .- A special to the Constitution, from Cedartown,

rounded at 11 o'clock to-night by a mob of three hundred men clamoring for Grant Bell, a vagabond negro, who was placed there to-day for a brutal assault upon Mrs. J. C. Lumpkin, a widow, 65 years of age, at an early hour this morning. Deputy Sheriff Hogg and his deputies say they will protect the prisoner, and trouble is feared.

Mrs. Lumpkin's husband was the late J. C. Lumpkin, a son of ex-Governor Lumpkin, of Georgia, and she is related to Judge Lumpkin, of Atlanta Bell stoutly denies the charge. He sits crouched in his cell trembling with fear. Several prominent citizens are talking to the mob in an effort to induce them to let the law take its course.

THE HAGUE PEACE CONFERENCE.

tion Agreed to Without Modifcation. By Cable to the Morning Star.

committee of the Peace Conference to day held an important meeting, at which M. De Staal, head of the Russian delegation, Sir Julian Paunce-fote, chief of the British delegation, and Count Nigra, chief of the Italian delegation, were present.
Articles 7 to 12 of the Russian pro-

posal, bearing on arbitration, were agreed to almost without modification, although the American delegates declared that they could not admit the provisions of Article 10, that monetary questions and questions concerning inter-oceanic circles should be compulsorily submitted to an arbitration tribunal.

tion tribunal.

The entire committee on mediation and arbitration will meet to review the work accomplished by the drafting committee. The latter will take up Wednesday the most important of all—Article 13, which deals with the establishment of an arbitration court.

W. G. Englsig, a prosperous farmer, and his wife, living near Austin, Texas, were found murdered at their home. They had been shot through a window during the night. The assassin then entering the house beat their heads to a jelly and rifled the house in search of valuables.

# SPAIN MADE A

The Deposed King Mataafa De- In the Sale to Germany of Her Island Possessions in the Pacific Ocean.

FROM SAMOA.

clares He Will Fight to the

Bitter End.

TANU PUBLICLY CROWNED.

Strengthening Positions and

Manufacturing Cartridges.

By Cable to the Morning Star

Francisco, June 3.)-Since Admiral

Kautz's proclamation of April 23rd.

directing Mataafa and his following

to keep behind certain defined limits

around Apia-the prescribed district

covering an area of twelve miles long

has been no conflict with the rebels.

Huckett, of the London Mission So-

line several times with Mataafan

until the commission had time to act.

that no looting or damage is done by

Declares He We Will Fight.

Mataafa is building forts inland off

the town of Falenta, and his follow-

commission is unanimous against him,

king, and will fight to the bitter end.

the question of the kingship does not

commission. Tanu was publicly

crowned by the American and British

authorities and was saluted with royal honors by the Philadelphia and Tau-

rangua on the occasion of his corona-

tion and on his formal visit to the war-

ships since the armistice has been

in force. His chiefs, and Ta-

masese, the vice king, are carry-

ing on the government in a way

that performs all the functions of

a good and stable government and

they are in possession. Tanu is king

de facto as well as de jure. In addi-

tion, there are now in Apia, 3,500 male

adults, carrying 2,700 rifles, support-

ing him. This means thrt absolutely half of Apia is at present supporting

In the meantime the rebels are

strengthening the positions, sending out

messengers for their sympathizers to

come and join them, and are busily

The Newly Accredited Minister to the

United States Formally Received

by President McKinley.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

Catholic Majesty Alphonso XIII. It

was a notable occasion in the world's

history-the resumption of friendly

relations between two nations which

had been at war and in the brief strug-

gle had changed the map of the world

The speeches of to day were especially

notable. They were plain spoken and devoid of the usual hazy diplomatic

The ceremony was exceedingly

simple. Promptly at 11 o'clock, the

of the new minister. The party was

immediately ushered into the Blue

his coat he wore a scarlet sash and on

his breast sparkled the insignia of half

a dozen orders, the dazzling cross of

the Order of the Catholic being most

conspicuous. He carried his plumed

chapeau on his left hand and the copy

CONDITIONS IN CUBA.

The Situation in Santiago Province As Re-

ported by General Wood-The Peo-

ple Peaceful and Contented.

of his address in his right.

phraseology.

engaged manufacturing cartridges.

Tanu as King.

seem to lie within the scope of the

These assertions may be only talk, but

Malietoa's followers.

APIA, SAMOA, May 19. (via San

THE TERMS AND PRICE PAID.

Saluted With Royal Honors by the British Spain to Retain Coaling Stations in Each and American Warships-The Rebels Group-To be Defended by Germany. Regarded As An Alliance Between the Two Countries.

By Cable to the Morning Star MADRID, June 3 .- Germany, it is announced, pays 25,000,000 pesetas for the Caroline, Palaos and Marianna islands. Spain retains three coaling stations-one in each group-and Germany undertakes to defend these sta-

Germany, in addition, grants Spain and six miles broad-and which was followed by a notification to Mataafa that unless the rebels were outside the prescribed limits in twenty-four hours fire would be opened upon them wherever they could be reached, there Captain Sturdee of H. M. S. Por poise, accompanied by Rev. William iety, as interpreter, paid the rebel marck was unable to do in 1885. camp at Falenia a visit the day following, and in order to avoid mistakes in Opinions in Washington. the future went over the boundary

WASHINGTON, June 3 -The opinion chiefs, who promised to keep the peace The district which the rebels have evacuated is quite large enough to supply food to the Malietoans in Apia and thus one of the great difficulties of the naval authorities has been obviated. Since the rebels went to Folenta a strong patrol of seven hundred or eight hundred men daily make the rounds, seeing that all is quiet and ers stoutly declare that even if the he will never acknowledge Tanu as

or Spain's sake. be of value so far as the mother country is concerned, but of little impor-

tance in respect to the colonies of Ger-It is said at the State Department that our government is not in the way to be advised officially of this transaction until, perhaps, Ambassador White, at Berlin, reports it to the department as an item of information. The reason for this is that the transfer nominally concerns nobody save the

time ago on practically the same terms. Certainly as to the Carolines, we might have had possession of Ualau, the pearl of the group, and perhaps all of the islands, in exchange for \$1,000,000 cash and exceptional trade rights for Spanish trade in Porto Rico and Cuba. During the peace conference at Paris the American commissioners offered the million for Ualan, and the trade was under way when it was broken off through the additional demand by Spain for favored treatment in trading with Cuba and Porto Rico.

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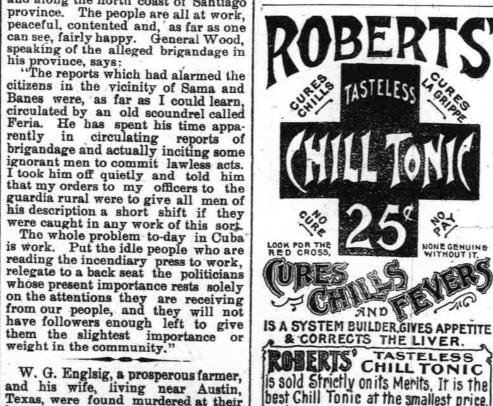
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GOOD BARGAIN.

tions in case of war.

the most favored nation treatment in Germany and in the colonial islands. BERLIN. June 3.-The announcement of the cession of the Caroline and other islands to Germany met with a most favorable reception here. The papers which commented upon i laid stress on the success of German policy, which, it is pointed out, accomplished now what Prince Bis-

here is that Spain has made a very good bargain in the price she obtains for the Pacific islands. The cash compensation is about equal to the sum of \$5,000,000 in United States money, which, it is believed, would alone be full compensation. But in addition, the guarantees afforded by Germany are regarded as extraordinary. The permission to Spain to retain three coaling stations, and above all the undertaking to protect these in time of war, are certainly of great value. In fact, it is said, the undertaking to pro tect the coaling stations for Spain may be regarded as in a sense committing Germany to an alliance with Spain, for it is conceivable, to execute the guarantee, Germany may be placed in position where she must go to war The concession that Spain may en-

oy favorable treatment in trade with dermany and her colonies is said to

two parties to it.

It is said that the United States might have acquired the islands some

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panies were "domesticated," and a large number of others sent in their

cations for the position of fertilizer in

ary of \$75 per month, to be employed only when needed. J. P. Arrington, Nashville, was elec-

Thomas C. Cherry, Edgecombe, watchman, \$50 per month. H. H. Brimley was re-elected curator of the museum; salary, \$1,200. Assistant chemists: Wm. Allen,

Fertilizer inspectors, by districts:

and J. F. Kennedy, Wayne; Engi-The caucus was in session until 11.30. The Board meets at 10 o'clock to-

WHITAKERS, N. C., May 29 .- The

to give it out.

Davidson county this morning settled its 1898 taxes, paying in to the State Treasurer \$8,665.90.

The Board of Agriculture did

Loaned \$5,000 to the Agricultural and Mechanical College for a month

Of the one hundred and twenty-six insurance companies licensed to do

Standard, at Charlotte.

Penitentiary Claims. The work of auditing the claims of WASHINGTON, June 3 .- Diplomatic relations with Spain, broken off April 21st, 1898, were formally resumed at 11 o'clock to day, when President Mc Kinley greeted Duc D'Arcos, the newly accredited minister to the United States, in the Blue parlor of the White House. Simultaneously, in Madrid, if the programme arranged was carried out, Bellamy Storer, the new United States minister to Spain, was being presented to Christiana, the Queen Re gent, during the legal minority of his

The officials at the penitentiary were surprised yesterday to see a negro convick Will Wilkins, walk up to the gate and ask admission. He told them that he has escaped from the rice farm near Wilmington and walked back to the penitentiary. Asked why he had done'so he explained that "it had got too hot down there" for him and then

hour set, the two carriages containing the Duc D'Arcos, Secretary Hay and the secretaries of the new Spanish minister, Senors Riada and Pastor, reached the White House. Quite a crowd had collected to catch aglimpse Brutal Assault by a Negro Upon a Widow parlor. The Duc was attired in his re splendent diplomatic uniform. Across

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Articles of the Russian Proposal on Arbitra-THE HAGUE, June 3.—The drafting

By Telegraph to the Morning Star. Washington, June 3.—The War Department has received a lengthy report from General Wood, at Santiago, in which he says he has just returned from a long trip through the interior and along the north coast of Santiago

can see, fairly happy. General Wood, speaking of the alleged brigandage in

his province, says:
"The reports which had alarmed the citizens in the vicinity of Sama and Sanes were, as far as I could learn circulated by an old scoundrel called Feria. He has spent his time apparently in circulating reports of brigandage and actually inciting some ignorant men to commit lawless acts. I took him off quietly and told him that my orders to my officers to the guardia rural were to give all men of his description a short shift if they were caught in any work of this sort.
The whole problem to-day in Cuba is work. Put the idle people who are reading the incendiary press to work, relegate to a back seat the politicians whose present importance rests solely on the attentions they are receiving from our people, and they will not

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