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The Weekly Star.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	N	TTT		0		SPIRITS TURPENTINE.
		HE	M DD	VIV	NTAT	N Part Viel	- Sanford Express : We learn
WILMINGTON, N. C.,			VV FLFL	NII	DIAR		that oats in some sections were badly damaged by the recent cold spell.
1.00 A YEAR. IN ADVANCE.						U	Wheat was hurt very little. — Aberdeen Telegram: The barn
585858585858585858		8					forage and twelve head of cattle be- longing to Mr. MeI. Kennedy, of E-gle
Atao M 61 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	VOL. XXXI.	W	ILMINGTON, N. C., F	RIDAY, MARCH 16, 190	00.	NO. 21	Springs, was burned last Monday morning it was the work of an incen- diary and the loss is about \$250.
33838888888888888 32888888888888888 3288888888	leave of the islands there is not the slightest doubt that the people are	BIRDS OF A FEATHER, &C. There is an old saying that "birds	A NEW ICE COMPANY.	IN FAVOR OF BELLAMY.	PURE FOOD CONGRESS.	<b>RESUMES OPERATION.</b>	- Statesville Landmark: Rev. JH. Pressly, who is an intense Boer sympathiz-r, has named the latest ad.
3288888842488888888888	fit for a certain kind of self-govern- ment, and, as we have remarked, a	of a feather flock together." Our		Rumored That the House Election Com-	Mr. S. H. Fishblate Attended as Delegate		dition to his family Katherine Cronje —Cropje being in honor of the famous
	very respectable kind, too-a better	correspondent in Washington in- forms us that "Senator Butler is	The Principal Factory and Chief	mittee Will So Report—The Wise- Young Contest Taken Up.	from Wilmington Merchants' Association,	The Castle Haynes Phosphate	Boer general-the Lion of Africa-who recently surrendered to Gen. Roberts.
**************************************	kind, probably, than we will be able to give them for some time to come,	now seen daily seated with Senator	Business of the Corporation			Mines to Be Worked More	- Raleigh News and Observer:
- 323828888888888	after our prolonged attempts to	Pritchard and other Republican Senators, and evidently seems to be	at Hamlet, N. C.	[Special Star Telegram.] WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10.—It	Mr. S. H. Fishblate returned yester- day from a ten days' trip to a number	Extensively.	"The Populists in my section, as sell as the Democrats, are in favor of the Constitutional Amendment," said Mr.
28888888888888888	shoot them into a frame of mind to study and follow our methods.	in their confidence. Every one	CAPITAL STOCK IS \$10,000.	was rumored in the House to day that	of the principal Northern cities and to	MANAGER ARENDELL HERE.	A. T. McCallum, of Red Springs, yes- terday "In fact about everybody
100W [ -0 24000 000010110108882	The General thinks it is quite	about the Senate predicts that the Senator not only wants, but will re-	Other Raleigh News-Asheville Telephone	Election Committee No. 2 would re- port in fayor of Bellamy retaining his	Washington, D. C., where he attended as a delegate from the Wilmington		down there is for getting the negro out of politics."
N N N	natural that people should have	ceive the Republican nomination for	Company and Oakland Manufactur-	seat. Dockery's asking the committee	Merchants' Association the Fure Food Congress of the United States, which	Flifty Convicts Will Begin Mining Rock To-morrow Morning Mr. C. C. Chad-	- Elizabeth City Economist:
(tea	honest differences of opinion as to the wisdom of the methods pursued by	Governor of North Carolina." There is nothing in the world more natu-	ing Company Organized -Ryan's	ened his case in the eyes of the com-	was in session from Wednesday, the	bourn Will Devote His-Time to	Departed this life on Thurday of last week, at his home in Newland Town
	this Government and its military	ral than that dickering Marion	Suit Against the S. A. L.	mittee. The Wise-Young contest from Vir-	7th inst., to the Friday following. There were 300 delegates present from	Management of the Plant.	ship Pasquotank county, Mr. Jishua Jones, aged 63 years. — Two new
	representatives in the Philippines, but that whatever these differences	should flock with the Republicans when he is looking for their help to	[Special Star Telegram.]	ginia was again taken up in the House	every State and Territory in the Union and one from our new possession,	Mr. C. C. Chadbourn, manager of	c tion factories are on the tapis, and are being pushed with energy by en-
stered at the Post Office at similaron, N. C., as Second Class Ma r.]	may be we should be united in seek-	accomplish his schemes.	RALEIOH. N. C., March 8-The Secretary of State to day incorporated	for nearly two hours He said but lit-	Porto Rico. The deliberations of the	the Hanover Land and Improvement Company, in conversation with a rep-	terprising men. — Kinston Free Press: Nearly
	ing the "glory, honor, welfare and prosperity" of our country. He is		the Hamlet Ice Company, with a capi-	tle about the case itself, but dwelt on his great love for the people of the	assembly were presided over by Hon. J. E. Blackburn, of Obio, and amoug	resentative of the STAR said last night	all the truckers around Kinston are increasing the racreage this season.
SUBSCRIPTION P CE. The subscription trice of the We ly Star is as	is right in that, but in this there	"evidently seems to be in their con-	tal stock of \$10 000; Chas. E. Johnson, Alf. A. Thompson and J. Ludiow	South and especially the Tar Heel State. He dwelt at length on what	the delegates in attendance were	inoutie be resultied extensive phosphate	Planting of potatoes is being rapidly pushed, and as soon as favorable
ollows: Single Copy 1 year, portage paid	are differences of opinion for there are millions of honest, thoroughbred	fidence." It may seem so, but these	Skinner, all of Raleigh, are incorpor- ators. The business proposed is the	he termed the bitter and malicious at-	the House of Representatives and quite	Havies which have for control	weather returns our truckers will fin- ish up in putting potatoes in the
	Americans who do not believe that		menufacturing, purchase, and sale of	tacks made on him by the press of his own State. During his speech he was	a number from the Senate, among them being Senators Mason, of Illi-	months been idle on account of the	ground. Estimates as to the damage to the cabbage crop by cold weather,
GENERAL WHEELER ON THE	robbing the Filipinos of their coun-	when they haven't him bound down	ice, refrigerating cars, furnishing cold storage, and the conduct of all other	prompted at times by the contestant,	nois; Cochrane and Clark, of Missouri,	removal of the penitentiary convicts for the gathering of the cotton crop on	places the loss at about 20 per cent. — Raleigh News and Ubserver:
PHILIPPINES. On his arrival at San Francisco	try and appropriating it to our use or benefit is the way to promote the	so that he couldn't crawl out if he took a notion to crawl. Nobody who	business incident to the manufacture	Wise. Seated by his side were Pear- son, of North Carolina, and Wise and	Representatives Atwater, of North Carolins, and Latimer, of South Caro-	the State forms in other pusts of North	Judge Walter Clark's flue brick hotel at Halifax was burned Thursday
from Manila Gen. Wheeler was in-	"glory and honor" of this country,	knows Butler's political gyrations	of and dealing in ice and refrigeration. The principal factory and chief busi-	Walker, of Virginia; all having con-	lina.	Mr. Chadborn has but recently as	morning at about half past two
terviewed on the situation and is thus reported:	but on the contrary the way to cover	and schemings has any confidence in him now. As a confidence man he	ness of the corporation is in Hamlet,	tests before the House. Linney's speech was evidently made for dis-	Mr. Fishblate was appointed a mem- ber of a committee to present to the	sumed the management of the compa ny's interests at the mines and he has	o'clock, and the building and most of the contents are total losses. The
"I believe the people are ready for a	should by all honest and legitimate	played out a good while ago, and	Richmond county, with branch fac- tory and store rooms at any	tribution in North Carolina, and seemed to greatly amuse his Demo	House a bill aimed at food adulteration and was also elected one of the vice	inaugurated new methods and inno-	notel was a splendid three-story brick structure and cost \$14 000 to build it.
certain kind of self government They could be given the power to make	means seek the welfare and pros-		available place in the State. Meetings of the corporation may be	cratic colleagues.	presidents. Other North Carolina	vations, which promise the company large returns. He will spend his en-	Judge Clark did not have a dollar of issurance on it.
laws under such a system of govern- ment as has been adopted for our ter-	perity of our country, but we have no right to seek to promote these		held in Wake county or Richmond	Senator Pritchard to-day introduced a bill to pay P. F. Pescud and Samuel	delegates in attendance upon the meet- ing were Dr. R. H. Lewis and Prof.	tire time at the works, returning to	- Salisbury Sun: Sunday night Mr. Tom Talbyrd, of Carmel, Mont-
ritories The municipal governments are all in the bands of the natives,	of rooming another people of them		county, and financial affairs may be conducted in Raleigh. The contract	Craig, of North Carolina, \$10,209, the	J. Q Holladay, of Raleigh. While in Washington Mr. Fishblate	the city at night and there is every in- dication that the work can be carried	gomery county, was found dead in his own house, his body dangling at the
and they get along without trouble or friction. U der a territorial form the	heritage, especially after those people had confided in us and made		for machinery for this factory has al-	same being for supplies seized by the Federal troops in 1865. Also, a bill to	tells the STAR that he met quite a num	on successfully during the remainder of the year. With the stimulation in	been thrown over a rafter and fastened
islands could be best controlled. "England, Russia, Germany and	issue with us against a common	schemes.	ready been placed. It will have a daily capacity of twenty five tons, and	pension Wm. H. Payne, of North Carolina.	ber of Representatives and Senators of both parties, who spoke quite hope	prices of all grades of phosphate rock	there. Talbyrd was 56 years old and a widower. The rash deed was done
France have braved war and pestilence in efforts to secure a share of the	enemy. We have no more right to do do that than a man would have		a refrigerating capacity of forty tons a day. The building is to be erected by	Carolina.	fully of Mr. Bellamy's chances to re-	and that used for road making and the now general demand for same,	ome time Sunday while he was alone. Property on which there was a mort-
wealth, which will come to them by commercial relations with these peo-	to promote his own welfare and	swer to a question by another Sena-	April first and machinery put in and	THE VANCE MONUMENT.	tain his seat. For a new member Mr. Fishblate says that he has made a very	this industry bids fair to be one of the	gage had been taken away from Tal- byrd and it is thought that this had
ple. The treaty of prace cast upon us the responsibility of sovereignty over	prosperity by robbing his confiding neighbor over whom he had gained		running not later than May 1st. It will be managed by Mr. T. M. Rose, of	It Will Be Ready for Unveiling in May.	favorable impression and is unques	most important in the county. Fifty convicts will begin the work	caused such a depression of spirit as to lead to suicide.
from nine to eleven million people, together with the islands, which they	influence and power by delusive	age of silver at a ratio of 16 to 1, and	Fayetteville. He has had long ex-	The Model Ready for Inspection	tionably the leading member from the State.	to-morrow morning under a lease with the State and while Mr. Chadburn	- Monroe Journal: Mr. Wm. DeLaney, of west Mobroe township,
inhabit, containing an area three times that of our great and prosperous em	promises. Welfare and prosperity are desirable, but they should come		perience in the ice business at Fayette- ville and Norfolk.	March 15th.	DENOCONT BOHOUGD FROM OFFICE	would not make public the prospects	died last Tuesday morning. He had been sick some time with a complica
pire State "Very naturally there may be honest	in an honest, honorable way, and		Other corporations granted to-day	[Special Star Telegram.]	DEMOCRAT REMOVED FROM OFFICE.	of the company in the way of disposi- tion of the material, it is safe to say	tion of troubles beginning with nneu-
difference of opinion as to whether everything has been conducted during	not by the methods of the highway-	it unless on certain conditions,	are: Asheville Telephone Company, with capital of \$80 000, and Oakland	RALEIGH, N. C., March 9The	Mr. T. A Brown, U. S. Gauger, Succeeded	that he has orders ahead sufficient to	Mr. DeLaney was about fifty five years of age Mr. Simon Moser,
the two years in accordance with the best wisdom and most possible judg	man or pirate. Might does not make right whatever the pretences		Manufacturing Company, of Winston, with capital of \$20,000, for manufac-	Vance monument, to be erected here in Capitol Square, will be ready for	by Capt. John Pitzgerald, Rep.	work on full time for several months. Mr. F. B Arendell, manager of the	of Buford township, died last Satur- oay. Just a week before his death he
ment, but there should be no question among the American people, as to the	may be, and successful plunder does	should do like Representative Sibley	ture of furniture.	unveiling in May. The model is being	From thoroughly reliable sources it was learned yesterday that Mr. Thos.	N. C. State prison, spent yesterday in the city and made a visit with Mr. Chad-	han attended the funeral of his brother.
duty and wisdom of now uniting in a determined effort to take the situation	not establish the right nor make the wrong any less detestable or in-		Answers to Thomas F. Rvan's com- plaint in his suit started here in De-	made by Henry J. Ellicott, sculptor, at Washington, and a letter from him	A Brown, United States gauger stationed here with offices in the post	bourn to the camps at Castle Haynes.	was in a short time taken sick him
as it stands, and to so conduct the	famous. The commercial argument	the heputhcan side of the Senate.	cember before Judge Purnell to pre-	to day informs the committee having	office building had been removed and	He also made a tour of inspection to	self, with pneumonia. He was 76 years of age.

affairs of our country as to add the most to its glory, honor, welfare aud prosperity.

Gen. Wheeler believes the people of those islands are ready for a above pelf. "certain kind of self government." In this he differs from a good many of the Republican expansionists, who deny that they are fit for any kind of self-government, and should therefore be governed by military satraps appointed by the President of the United States, as provided for in the bill of Senator Lodge, which practically gives the President absolute control over those islands and their people. That they are fit for a "certain kind of self-government," (to quote Gen. Wneeler) is shown by the fact as stated by him, that "the municipal governments are all in the hands of the natives and they get along without trouble or friction."

But it is shown by another fact, which was not referred to by the General, namely, that the only government which the 10,000,000 of people of those island have had since the overthrow of the Spaniards, was government by the Filipinos themselves, whose authority was recognized by everybody but the soldiers of the United States, who were fighting to overthrow that government. In the government of the islands they seem to have gotten along "without trouble or friction," just as they do in their municipal governments. This should be proof conclusive that those people are fit for "a certain kind of self-government" and a very respectable kind, too. They may not be up to all the kinks of government according to the American fashion, but if they are able to conduct a government that maintains peace and order and makes life and property and liberty safe, we ought to be satisfied if they are, for it is the fillpinos who are to be governed and not us.

If they are now fit for "a certain kind of government," when did they become so? Has Gen. Otis, while sending his men out to chase them and burn their towns and lay waste their homes, been also giving them instruction in the art of self-government? We are told by Gen. Anderson that the Filipino Congress which met to adopt a constitution and es-

tablish a Republic was a remarkably intelligent body of men and one that would compare favorably with any like assembly anywhere. There are some sixty different tribes of people in the Philippines, and yet they all recognized some common au-

famous. The commercial argument applies only to the sordid-souled; the

## GEN. MILES MAKES A FEW REhonest man spurns it as it should be MARKS. spurned by the man who holds honor Ex-President Harrison character-

stitutions is the equality of man in the

enjoyment of life, liberty and the pur-

## PRITCHARD'S CHEEK.

Audacity of utterance is one of

is a very mild way of phrasing his disthe characteristics of the average approval. Gen. Miles also regards it Republican stumper. Senator Pritchas a very serious departure, although ard possesses this characteristic fully he did not make any special referdeveloped. It is the leading f-ature ence to this, when he expressed his of his speeches in the Senate and on sentiments in a letter dated March the stump, where he gives it even the 6th to the Cuban American fuller play than he does in the Sen-League in New York. The part reate, doubtless for the reason- that ferring to Porto Rico reads thus: there is generally no one to reply to Puerto Rico seems to be the storm centre, or, in other words, the place him and he doesn't fear being called where the great problems, what shall to taw. The following extract from

we do with the islands on which our his speech at Newton is a sample of flag has been raised, where 12,000,000 of inhabitants are now looking to the his trifling with the verities and of Government of the Great Republic for justice and protection, is to be solved t seems to me that the soul of our id-

"Under the last Republican administration, no county in North Carolina was under negro rule."

his colossal cheek:

suit of happiness. The pursuit of Did Mr. Pritchard imagine that happiness. of course, implies equality he could fool an average intelligent in the rights of property, the accumu lation of property and the disposition audience with such a barefaced asof the same. It seems to me that there sertion and such arrant rot as this? could be no doubt as to the universa desire of our people-75,000,000-who If there wasn't a county in North have enjoyed such liberty and equal Carolina under negro rule what was ty, to accord the same blessings and all that racket about in 1898? Do immunities to others, who, as Wash ington said, are (or have been) strangthe people of North Carolina perers to liberty, and who are now by mit themselves to become excited force of circumstances dwelling upon over nothing, and work like firedomains controlled by the United States and over which the flag of our men fighting a conflagration to free Government waves either temporarily themselves from something that did or permanently. not exist? What did all those negro

If any man in this country should commissioners, school committeebe, on his own account, thoroughmen, magistrates, constables' and ly disgusted with this outrageous town commissioners in so many breach of faith with the Porto Ricans counties in Eastern North Carolina it is Gen. Miles, who as commander mean? They didn't have them in of the army that invaded Porto Rico, Western counties, for the white in his proclamation, promised those people out there wouldn't stand it, people the same rights, immunities but the people of the Eastern counand opportunities that are enjoyed ties, where the negroes are numeby the people of the States and terrous, knew that they did have ritories over which the United States negro rule, for they saw it and felt flag then waved. . He made this it every day they lived until their pledge in good faith as the military white brethren of other parts of the representative of the United States, State flew to their rescue and the and now he finds it completely ignored and utterly repudiated by the

redemption came in 1898. It is to prevent the possibility of Government in whose name it was a return of this state of affairs in made.

Eastern North Carolina that the constitutional amendment has been It is said that there is no longer submitted to the people and this is necessity for a large army in the why Pritchard and his gang, who Philippines, and consequently a are dependent upon negro votes, are good many soldiers who have served opposing it. long terms, or are weakened by sick-

ness will be sent home. This an-When Miss Hadley, of Philadelnouncement comes about the same phia, went to the theatre in New time that Gen. Otis made a big York a few nights ago she was a older for type writers, which may perfect gemmery. She wore five indicate that he is going to settle pounds of 'em. When she came out the racket with them. she was minus a six ounce chunk,

which some light fingered fellow The hankering for office must be

cember before Judge Purnell to pre vent the consolidation of the Seaboard system were filed to-day with the clerk of the United States Circuit Court.

Separate answers are filed by each of izes the proposed tariff legislation for the following defendants: Seaboard & Roanoke Railroad Company, Ra-Porto Rico as a "most serious deleigh & Gaston Railroad Company. parture from right principles," which John Skelton Williams president. Leigh R. Watts and J. W. Middendorf directors. Answers of the two railrosds are much alike in all material points of the suit. Messrs. Williams and Watts, in their answers, refer to and adopt the answers of these roads and then add some additional material facts bearing upon the case. Mr. Middendorf contents himself with denial of the jurisdiction of the court over him, he being a citizen of Maryland and Rvan a citizen of New York.

SUPERIOR COURT JURORS.

Drawn for Term Which Will Be Convened April 16th -- County Treasurer Green's Monthly Report.

At a called meeting of the Board of County Commissioners held yesterday afternoon at which Col Roger Moore, the chairman, presided, and Messrs. D. McEachern and Gabriel Holmes were present, the following jurors were drawn for the term of New Hanover Superior Court, which will be convened by Judge George H. Browne Jr., on Monday, April 16th.

First Week-J. W. Dixon, H. J. Bierman, Henry B. Jewett, James Thos. E. Davis, J. B. Fales, Berg, Thad F. Tyler, Geo. J. Beach, B A Merritt, Rudolf Harts, Wm. McD. Evans, J. W. Humphrey, R. Hamme, Sol Bear, M. J. Corbett, B. McKenzie, A. M. Pate, C. H. Casteen

Second Week-J. H. Risley, Owen Martindale, W. L. Bissenger, Chas. VonGlahn, D. W. Stevens, J. D. Garrison, Walter S. Craig, C. C Parker, Jr., W. R. Bonham, Jno. L. Corbett, Sol J. Jones. J M. Kermon. Jno. H. Hanby, F. H. Fecht g, W. J. Warren, O F. Corbett, Furney J. Gooding, B. J. King.

After the meeting of the regular board, a session of the finance com mittee was held at which bills for cur rent expenses were examined and ap proved.

The monthly statement of Mr H McL Green, County Treasurer, for the month of February, has been prepared and presented to the committee as

follows:

Receipts-Balance from January account \$8,080; collected during the month, \$4.409.40. Total \$12,489 40. Disbursements-On general fund account, \$56 25; county home, 262 84; public buildir g. \$237 94; city hospital, \$250; superior court, 160.65; criminal court, \$45 10; jail, \$99 10; out door poor, \$362 55; stationery and a ver tising, \$55 78; roads and bridges, \$406 20; attorney, \$35; register of deeds, \$31 49; coroner, \$25; superintendent of health, \$75 63; commission-

the matter in charge that the model will be ready for inspection next Thursday, March 15th. He adds there has been some apparent delay on hispart in getting the model ready, but that this has been due to the fact that he was forming it with the very greatest care, hoping to make it one of the finest pieces of statuary in the South. The committee to make examination consists of R. H. Battle, Joseph G Brown and J. D. Boushall, of Raleigh, and R. H. Speight, of Edgecombe. This committee will inspect the model and suggest any altera-

tions in it. When it is finally approved a plaster cast will be made. This cast will then be sent to the bronze foundry of the Gorham Manufacturing Company, New York.

DEATH OF MAJ. W. F. CAMPBELL

Died at His Home in Payetteville Friday Morning-Aged 56 Years. [Special Star Correspondence.] FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., March 9. Msj. W. F. Campbell passed away at his residence in this city this n orning, after a brief illness, aged about 56 years, and his death has given the whole community deep regret He was an excellent confederate soldier, brave and faithful in all the stirring events of field and camp; was a true and tried Democrat, an able speaker on the hustings and an influential worker in the rank and file of the party. He was an ex-commandant of the Fayetteville Independent Light Infantry, an ad

mirable officer, devoted to the interest of the corps. Maj Campbell leaves a wife and one child, his marriage taking place two or three years since to Miss Loula Glover, daughter of the late Edwin Glover. The deceased was a member of St. John's Episcopal Church, from which the funeral services will take

place to-morrow. crude. 93 barrels AYCOLK IN PITT.

GREENVILLE, N. C., March 10 -Hon. C. B. Aycock, of Goldsboro, addressed a large crowd in the Court House to-day. It was the opening speech of the campaign. It was one of the best delivered here and will do good.

Funeral of Mrs. Strauss.

Yesterday morning at 9 30 o'clock rom the residence of Mr.J.H. Staruss, No 709 North Fourth street, the funeral of Mrs. W. A. Strauss, whose death at Warsaw on Thursday even ing was noted in these columns, was conducted in the presence of a large concourse of friends and relatives by Rev.Dr.Calvin S. Blackwell, pastor of the First Baptist Church, who was assisted by Rev. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. nt was at Oakdala The int

office building had been removed and Capt. John Fitzgerald, republican, plantations, placed in his stead. The emoluments

The Finishing Touches.

Mr J. B. Page, who has been in the

city for some time in the interest of

Messrs. Bowles & Warwick, of Rich

mond. Va., vesterday completed the

work of fitting the steam pipes for the

new Delgado mills, and left for his

home last night. The contract was

one of the largest undertaken by his

finishing touches Delgado is as well

fitted up with steam heating apparatus.

etc., as any cotton mill in the country.

Two large engines and a smaller one

with four pumps for supplying the fire

sprinkling apparatus throughout the

mill were installed, as well as the large

amount of pipe fittings incident to the

other machinery in a cotton mill the

Matters at the new mill are now as

suming a practical basis; the ma

chinery is gradually being put in op-

eration to its full capacity, and the va-

rious buildings and cottages for opera-

tives are receiving the final touches.

Large shipments of cotton are coming

nto the mills and Wilmington is al

ready boasting of her new and very

Referring to the hearing of the

Bellamy-Dockery case in Washington

"There is said to be some prospect of

committee report in favor of Mr.

Bellamy, as the argument has brought

out the fact that the committee can

throw out all of the votes in New

Hanover and Richmond counties

about which there is any reasonable

dispute, and still find a safe majority

for the sitting member. Mr. Bellewy

majority, as was returned, was \$839

The charges about the shooting of

negroes relate to events subsequent to

the election. Two negroes were killed

pror to the election, one in a bar-room

fight and one for reasons political or

otherwise, which are hardly plain,

although they are not connected with

Mr. Bellamy's campaign. The presen-

tation of these matters was made in a

very emphatic and able manner by

the Board of County Commissioners,

upon motiou of Mr. McEachern, the

Mr. Bellamy's attorney.

State Geologist Loming.

size of the Delgado.

mportant industry.

Mr. Bellamy's Favor.

the Post of yesterday says:

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of the office are said to be not over \$400 per year. Mr. Brown is a Democrat and has filled the office with horough satisfaction to all parties concerned for quite a number of years. Capt. Fuzgerald received his comnission from Collector E C. Duncan on Thursday last and will assume immediate control of the affairs of the office

## he Cotton Market.

Mr. D. L. Gore, president of the D L. Gore Company, takes the STAR to task for quoting cotton on the local market Wednesday, March 7th at 9 cents for middling and 97 cents for good middling and says in a card dated March 8th, that he is satisfied that neither of these grades sold this high. "Nine and one half for lots through," Mr. Gore says, "is the best I have heard of, and had it been all good middling I don't think it would have brought more. With the leading futures off at least 50 points in the last two to three days, 9 cents would be all middling would bring this afternoon." The quotations printed in the STAR are corrected daily in the afternoons from the official records at the Produce Exchange. If these be incorrect, the fault lies not in this office.

Cotton and Naval Stores.

The following comparative statement of the weekly and part crop year receipts of cotton and naval stores was posted yesterday at the Produce Exchange.

Werk ending March 9th, 1900-Cotton, 3 847 bales; spirits, 169 casks: rosin, 2 155 barrels: tar, 3,123 barrels;

Week ending March 9th, 1899-Coton.1.513 bales; spirits, 152 casks; rosin, 1,449 barrels; tar, 1,966 barrels; crude, 147 barrels. Crop year to March 9th, 1900 .- Cotton, 259,537 bales; spirits, 29,364 casks; rosin, 160,775 barrels; tar, 74,261 bar-

rels; crude, 11,835 barrels, Crop year to March 9th, 1899 .- Cotton, 286,822 bales; spirits, 27,490 casks; rosin, 153 757 barrels; tar, 67.961 barrels; crude, 10,933 barrels.

## The New Dyeing Establishment.

chairman of the board was instructed Mr. C. E. Eaton, representing C. G. to invite Prof. J. A. Holmes, the State Sargent & Company, of Graniteville, Geologist, to come to Wilmington and Mass., who has been here for the past address them upon the subject of practen days or two weeks placing the tical road building. Col. Moore imdrying machinery for Mr. H. M. Chase mediately communicated with Prof. and others who have recently installed Holmes, and yesterday an acceptance dyeing establishment of large proof the invitation was received, in portions in the old Industrial Manuwhich Prof. Holmessaid that he would facturing Company's building on arrive in Wilmington the middle of Surry street, left last night for his the present week, for the purpose home at Graniteville, having comnamed, which is construed by Col. pleted his work. The machinery in-Moore to mean Wednesday or Thursstalled, Mr. Eaton says, is the most day. extensive of any of its kind in the

years of age. the camps across the river at the rice

- Carthage Blade: Mr. L. T. Seawell is jubilant over the discovery which he has made of rich coal beds on his own land near Parkwood on Hallison branch of the C rthage railroad and near the Durbam & Charlotte railroad. It has been known for many years that the country along Mc-Lendon and Richland creeks is underlaid with thick seams of best grade of coal. Some day this coal will be mined and put on the market and will be a good source of revenue to the owners and furnish employment to the labor of this section. The Cum house, Mr. Page says, and with the mock coal mine is paying now better than ever in its history and the output of coal there is heavy and the demand for it greater than the supply.

- Clinton Democrat: A gentleman who recently spent some time in Yadkin county says he was told while there that all the Democrats and about half the Republicans in that county favor the constitutional amendment. - A curiosity in the way of a partridge almost white in color was received at the Democrat office Satur day. It was caught in a trap on the Killett plantation, four miles south of -Mr. J. J. Barden, of town. Turkey township, lost his dwelling and smoke-house by fire on Tuesday night, the 27th. The fire was discovered about 11 o'clock, when the roof was all ablaze. M st of the meat was saved but very little in the dwell-We understand that there was ing. \$1.000 insurance, which is not sufficient to cover the loss. Mr. Barden was in Wilmington at the time on business.

- Charlotte News: Mr. James Osborne lives at Hickory Grove. He married Miss Little, a daughter of Mr. Alex Little. Mrs. Osborne's sister, Miss Mollie Little, has been visiting them several days. Tuesday night she attempted to commit suicide by taking laudanum. She swallowed the conents of a two ounce bottle, about 12 clock and went to bed. Her heavy breathing attracting the attention of some of the family, and on not being able to arouse they weat in haste for for physicians. Before the physicians -three in number, arrived, the cause of her stupor was explained in the find ing of the empty bottle near the bed. The doctors worked with her all night, and to day at noon she was better Disappointment in love was the cause of her attempting to take her life. She had written a long letter of ten or twelve pages stating why she was gong to ki I herself-because her affections were not returned; she did not care to live, she said. Miss Little is 25 years of age, and is perfectly sane. Her family did not in the least suspect that she was carrying a burden that STAR readers will remember that at would drive her to despreation. Miss the last regular monthly meeting of Little died at 3 o'clock Wednesday fternoon. ---- Tom Kerns, colored. fell from the top of a tram way, a distance of forty feet, at a Charlotte Oil & Fertilizer Works this morning about ten minutes before four o'clock, and broke his neck. ---- While Charlotte has had an abundance of rain today, (Wednesday) Greensboro, just 93 miles north of us, has been in the midst of one of the largest snow storm of the Winter. A passenger who

came in on No. 33 this morning said that a blinding storm was in full sway when the train reached that city this morning. The fall of snow extends as far south as Salisbury.

NEW COTTON MILLS.

Addressed a Large Audience at the Court House in Greenville. [Special Star Telegram.]