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WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY, - - - April 27, 1900 For White Supremacy STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor: CHARLES B. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

Lieutenant-Governor: WILFRED D. TURNER, of Iredell. Secretary of State:

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Superintendent Public Instruction THOMAS F. TOON, of Robeson.

Commissioner of Agriculture: SAMUEL L. PATTERSON, of Caldwell

For Judge of the Tenth District: W. B. COUNCILL, of Watanga.

BUTLER'S STAGE PLAY.

Hon Marion Butler is a big man in playing little tricks. That's his forte. His last attempt in this line was the proposition made to Chairman Simmons Saturday for a joint discussion between the Democratic candidates and his candidates. We say his candidates because these candidates represent only the Butler faction of the Populist party. The object of Butler's proposed joint discussion was to discuss the constitu tional amendment, and other issues after Butler's convention had de clared that the constitutional amend ment was not a party question. But he proposes to make it a party question by making it a subject of joint discussion between his candidates and the Democratic candidates. The meaning of this is that while these Butler partisans are attacking the constitutional amendment from a non-partisan standpoint (isn't that too innocent?) Pritchard and his crowd off where there were no Democrats to reply to them would be attacking it from their standpoint, misrepresenting it before white voters, and whooping the negroes up to vote against it solidly. Chairman Simmons saw through his game and plainly told him that he, Simmons, was not gudgeon enough to bite at the hook baited with such a

He further informed him that when the Populist faction which he leads showed some standing as a party and ceased to be merely an annex of the Republican party, which is working to make negro suffrage a permanent thing in this State, propositions of this kind might meet with some respectful consideration, but while Butler was posing as a Populist and playing in cahoots with Pritchard & Co., his faction was not entitled to recognition as a party in good standing.

transparent bait.

But Butler didn't expect that his proposition would be accepted. If he had he would probably not have made it. His object in making it was to have it declined and then cackle and claim that the Democrats were afraid of a joint discussion with his Goliahs. Butler thinks he is smart, but he doesn't catch Simmons napping.

QUAY RELEGATED.

The anti-Quay faction in Pennsyl vania after a hard and protracted fight, have succeeded in preventing Quay from getting that seat in the Senate to which he was appointed by Governor Stone after the Legislature had failed to elect. They waged the fight against him in the Legislature and having prevented his election carried the fight into the Senate and prevented his getting the seat to which he had been ap-

The fight was made on the right of the Governor to appoint after the Legislature had failed to elect, so that the refusal of the Senate to admit him, is no reflection on Quay, who was not charged with corruption, (as in the case of the Senatorelect from Montana), but was simply a question of law as to whether the Governor had the right to appoint him or any one under the circumstances. It was a close shave though, 33 against to 32 for him, with one Senator, Pettigrew, present and apparently not able to make up his mind as he failed to vote when his name was called.

The action of the Senate is somewhat of a surprise to many outside of the Senate and even to some of the Senators, and doubtless is to Senator Stewart, who sometime ago predicted that Quay would be seated, as Senators "vote to admit" Stomach and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It's positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles and never disappoints. Price thoriting the seated, as Senators "vote to admit" some and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It's positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles and never disappoints. Price the service of th

men they like and to keep out men they do not like." Quay was liked by the Senators generally and very much liked by some of them, some of the Democratic Senators being his warmest personal friends.

Interest hinges on this refusal to seat Quay, because it may involve some politics. The opposition to him was inspired and led by friends of Mr. McKinley, the Philadelphia Press, owned and controlled by Postmaster General Smith, being the special organ of the opposition. Quay naturally, of course, construes this as an administration fight against him, and it remains to be seen whether he will fight back, as it was said some time ago he threatened to do, and use his influence to defeat the renomination of McKinley, or his election if nominated. He might not be able to do either, but a man who has manipulated the machine in Pennsylvania as long and as cleverly as Quay has could make it very interesting for McKinley and Mark Hanna, if he decided to give them a tilt.

LARGER, BUT SLOWER SHIPS. The ocean greyhound idea is giving way to the larger but slower steamers, to run from twelve to fifteen knots an hour instead of twenty to twenty-two. Several of these ships have been built by foreign companies, and they have proved so popular with the travelling public, and so profitable to the owners, as compared with the swift-flying steamers, that a number of others are to be built as early as practicable. Contracts have been made by the American Navigation Company, owners of the St. Louis, St. Paul, New York and Paris, with

the Cramps, of Philadelphia, for two, one of which is now under construction, concerning which the Philadelphia Press says: "They are of a new type entirely-a type made necessary by the changing demand of travel and the tremendous increase of the country's export trade. Nearly 600 feet long, they rate at about 12,500 tons, but when it comes to engines they are content with about 12,000 to 14,000 horse-power, capable of driving them at a twelve or fifteen

"This great increase of size and de rease of engine power sacrifices only one thing, speed, while it compensates by giving an immensely more com-fortable ship for passengers and a very much more profitable one for the

"It was the success of the Kensington and Southwark, of their own line, and the mammoth new ships of the Berman and English lines, that led the International company to prepare to meet the demand of the trade by constructing these two new ships. They will make the passage in from ten to twelve days, and with their great length and broad bilge keels will ride ar easier than the high powered and tremendously driven ships of speed that go in for record smashing to the exclusion of everything else."

President Hill of the Northwestern Railway has also given contracts for several monster ships for the Pacific trade in connection with his road, to ply between our Pacific and Asiatic ports. These are to be mainly for freight. Immense sail vessels are also coming into demand, experience having shown that there is more economy in operation and more profit in the larger but slower moving vessels than in the smaller rapid fliers.

HANNA WAS THE WHOLE THING Whether Mark Hanna has lost prestige with Republicans outside

of Ohio or not he certainly has not with the Republicans of his State, for he holds the party in that State in the hollow of his hand, as shown by the way he manipulated the convention which met at Columbus Tuesday. He was the whole thing, and had the programme cut and dried, and it was carried out accordingly.

This is shown by the fact that in the two "key-note" speeches made there was no reference to issues. which must have been by premeditated understanding, for without this two men could not have made the two "key-note" speeches without referring to some of the issues which are now attracting attention

throughout the country. The inference from this is that Hanna has not yet decided as to the issue that he wants put to the front, and is consequently playing for time to feel his way; therefore, he instructed the speech makers to play mum on the issues and leave that to him. He ran them before the convention, and when that met he ran it. He was the whole thing all through. Great is Mark, a quite remarkable fellow.

Mr. Gates, President of the American steel and wire trust, started a little slumping game last week. He gave several Congressmen the tip, and when he got through tipping they were out of a good deal money, one of them, an Illinois man. who thought he had a dead sure thing on Gates' tips, about \$100,000. Their loss was Gates' gain. There are some ways of stealing not punishable by penitentiary.

Cold Steel Or Death.

"There's but one small chance to save your life and that is through an save your life and that is through an operation," was the awful prospect set before Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., by her doctor after vainly trying to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. He didn't count on the marvelous power of Electric Bitters to cure Stomach and Liver troubles, but she has well of it took seven bettles were

BELLAMY-DOCKERY.

Unlikely That the Case Will Come Up at the Present Session of Congress.

CASE. PEARSON - CRAWFORD

Determined Effort by Ex-Congressman Pearson to Have the Matter Brought Up-Not Likely to Succeed-Bills for War Claims.

[Special Star Telegram.] WASHINGTON, April 24.-Richmond Pearson, was to-day about the House endeavoring to get the leaders on the Republican side to have the Pearson-Crawford contested election case taken up at an early date. It was learned today from reliable authority that Major Moody, who expects to be Mr. Crawford's opponent next Fall. has notified the Republicans in the House that if they unseat Representa tive Crawford it means certain defeat for the entire Republican ticket in the district this Fall, and that if Representative Crawford is allowed to retain his seat the Republican party has a fighting chance. It is believed here that this, coupled with the press of more important measures, and that Representative Driscoll's (the Republican member from New York) decided stand for Representative Crawford will force the matter over until

the short session. House Committee on Elections No to-day notified Representative Bellamy to file his account of expenses in the Dockery Bellamy contest. Nothing has been done by the committee in regard to the contest itself.

[Special Star Correspondence.] WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23 -Ex-Congressman Pearson was about the House to day endeavoring to have the Pearson Crawford case brought up, but it is not believed he will be successful as the Republican floor leader, who desire to adjourn by June 12th, are anxious to first dispose of the appropriation bills now on the calendar. There is nothing new in the Bellamy case and it is unlikely that the matter will come up at this session owing to the press of more important

measures. Senator Pritchard to-day introduced a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay to Samuel T. Carrow tobacco appropriated and used by Federal troops during the civil war. Representative Small is confined to

his home with a bad case of the grippe. Representative Kluttz to day introduced a bill authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay to Geo. W. Fisher, of N. C., \$18,000 for supplies seized by Federal troops during the civi war; also, a similar bill of \$250 for B. Fitzgerald, of N. C., for property used by troops during the civil war.

U. S. COURT JURORS

Drawn for the Term Which Will Be Con vened June 18th as Postponed from April 30th.

The following jurors from the vari ous counties comprising the district have been drawn to serve during the next term of the United States Court. which convenes at Wilmington June 18th, having been postponed to that date from April 30th:

New Hanover-M. W. Divine, Owen Fennell, B. F. Hall, A. C. Warren and John S. Armstrong. Pender-James W. Colvin, Marshal Williams, Robert Atkinson, John Carroll and A. T. Herring.

Brunswick—A. V. Goodman, Benja

min Wescott, Sylvester Dixon, Wade Bryant and George H. Cannon. Richmond—A. H. Leuchlin, T. G Smith, Lock McLaurin and James P. Sampson-W. Usher Newkirk, J

Goodwin, Dave D. Devane, T. E. Owen and J. R. Maxwell. Robeson-Daniel Wilkinson, Chas. Frantham, W. Nash, Jacob Ivey and Royale, Bryan Blackburn, F. F. Mc ouffie and Neal McLoud. Columbus-Ira Lennon, Wootten, Jr., Forney Richardson, C McRacken and John White. Cumberland—John Council, Georg McDougle, Edward Evans, J. McP

Geddie and Edward Kennedy.

Duplin—Ben Smith, L. W. Moore,
John W. Swinson, J. T. Rivenbark

WEATHER AND CROPS.

Situation in North Carolina Reported by U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Farm work is now generally over two weeks later than the average. While a few correspondents report corn all planted, the work is progressing very slowly over most counties. Early planted corn is coming up very nicely. Preparations for cotton have been much delayed; a very small por-tion only of crop to be planted has been put in the ground and none is reported up. Tobacco plants made some growth and a few have been translanted in the eastern portion of the State. Wheat continues very promis ing and is growing fast. Winter oats are very poor and cannot recover a normal condition even under most favorable influences; spring oats are coming up to good stands. Gardens, though still late, are improving. A large portion of the rice crop on the lower Cape Fear river has been planted. An exceptionally large fruit crop is promised.

A correspondent from Davidson College, writing to the Charlotte Observer lamy, of Wilmington, will deliver the annual oration at the commencement of this well known institution of learning. Prof. Alexander Martin, of Columbia, S. C., will address the Phi. Society. Dr. B. F. Wilson, of Spartanburg, the Eu., and Rev. Dr. Reed, of the Columbia Seminary, will preach the sermon before the Y. M. C. A.

Bound Over to Criminal Court. Joe Coaklin, the negro who on Sai urday night shot and severely wounded Elliott Richberg, colored, at the Hilton Lumber Company's yard, was yesterday arraigned in the municipal court and bound over to the Criminal Court in the sum of \$25 justified. which he gave. Coaklin is being held at the police station as a witness and for other reasons known to the authorities and which may be disclosed

AN AFTERNOON MARRIAGE.

Beautiful Wedding at St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church at Half Past Pive O'clock Yesterday.

A beautiful after-Easter marriage was celebrated in St. Paul's Lutheran church vesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock when Mr. George James Mc-Millan, Jr., a popular travelling man of Wilmington, led to the altar Miss Annie Babette Ulrich, a charming young lady, also of this city, and they were happily united in marriage by Rev. Dr. A. G. Voigt, the pastor, according to the beautiful rites of the Lutheran church.

The sacred edifice was thronged with large and fashionable assemblage of friends and acquaintances of the bride and groom and promptly at the hour for the ceremony the ushers, Messrs. H. C. Bear, E. Schulken, L. L. Corbett and E. P. H. Strunck led the bridal procession up the centre aisle be ing followed by the groomsmen Messrs. John Zibelen and I. M. Bear; the groom with his best man, Mr. Levi J. McMillan: the dame of honor, Mrs. E. Schulken and the bridesmaids, Miss Sophie Hines and Miss Annie Stemmerman. Two pretty little flower girls. Misses Katherine Vollers and Lucile Polvogt, hand somely costumed in white silk, next came and led the way for the bride and her maid of honor, Miss Fannie

Arriving at the altar, which was lavishly decorated with a wreath of rare plants tastefully arranged by Mr. Will Render in person, the attendants grouped themselves gracefully about the rail and Dr. Voigt read the beau tiful service, which made the bride and groom man and wife.

The wedding marches were admirably rendered by Miss Cannie Chasten, and the decorations of the church with other surroundings made the scene one beautiful and impressive. Mr. and Mrs. McMillan will reside

in Wilmington.

ARRESTED ON GRAVE CHARGE

Newspaper Clipping and Alert Captain of Police Led Yesterday Morning to a Timely Arrest.

By the means of a news item in the STAR last Wednesday and by a bit of clever and commendable detective work on the part of Captain of Police Jno. J. Furlong, a young white man apparently about 23 years of age and of gentlemanly appearance, is locked up at police headquarters on a serious charge which best appears from a re production of the article, which with the assistance of Captain Furlong led to his arrest.

Extract from the Tarboro South-erner: "Blount Bros., of Bethel, are after a man giving his name as J. W. A. Cohoon. He claimed to be selling school desks. He purchased a suit of clothes from these merchants and gave a check on the Bank of Tarboro, which had no funds belonging to him Messrs. Blount are out their clothing \$11 and something. He gave to F. B Knight, a check on the same bank for \$3 cash. Cohoon, it is said, forged an order on the school fund and went to Greenville to have the superinten dent to approve of it, but in this he failed. He then went to Rocky Mount and hired a horse and buggy and gave a check on the Bank of Windsor for \$8.91, for part of which he received money. This is the last heard of the man, if exception be taken to the information that the Windsor bank, like the Bank of Tar-

boro, never heard of such a man." Capt. Furlong on last Friday discovered the presence of Cohoon in the city and on Saturday he telegraphed the chief of police of Tarboro. The answer came in a letter yesterday morning from Justice S. T. Carson, of Bethel, Pitt county, inclosing a warrant for Cohoon's arrest. Capt. Fur long went immediately to the young man's boarding place on Dock between Front and Second streets and took him into custody. He does not deny his identity and says he came here from Tarboro two weeks ago and was for a time employed in canvassing for the Singer Sewing Machine Company.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Mr. D. McEachern Unanimously Elected Chairman of the Board to Succeed the Late Col. Roger Moore ..

At a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners held at the court house yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, at which all members were present, Mr. Duncan McEachern was elected to the position of chairman of the board to succeed the late Col, Roger Moore. Mr. McEachern was nominated by Mr. Gabriel Holmes, and his election was unanimous.

The death of Col. Moore was an nounced and the board constituted itself into a committee to draft suitable resolutions to his memory and to report same at the next regular meeting. The contract for removing the phos-

phate rock from the cars to the Castle Haynes county road and to distribute it along the said roadway was awarded to Mr. T. A. Watson, who binds himself to remove the material from the railroad crossing or switch to the road bed as far as the two mile post and between the second and fourth mile posts for twenty-five cents per The other bidders were Mr. S. H. Terry at \$2.00 per ton, and Mr. S.

J. Davis at fifty-five cents perton. The meeting adjourned subject to call of the chairman.

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Mr. Robt. W. Haywood, of Wilmington, and Miss Laura Mabel Scott Happily Wedded Yesterday Morning.

MARRIED AT NEWBERN.

| Special Star Correspondence.] NEWBERN, N. C., April 25. - Mr. Robert Whitty Haywood, of Wilmington, N. C., editor of the Evening Dispatch, and Miss Laura Mabel Scott. daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Scott, of this city, were married this morning at 8 30 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, No. 8 Griffith street.

The front parlor of the home in which the ceremony was performed was beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and potted plants. Promptly at the appointed hour the bridal party came in to the music of Mendelsohn's wedding march, played by Mrs. J. A. Meadows, and next came the ushers, Messrs. G. N. Ennett and L. A. Davis, and then the groom leaning upon the arm of his best man, Mr. Jas. H. Tay lor, Jr., of Wilmington. Following these was the maid of honor, Miss Addie Cutlar, of this city, and she preceded the bride leaning upon the arm of her father. The bride joined the groom at the altar improvised of a wealth of palms, ferns and cut flowers, where the officiating minister, Rev. R. B. John, pastor of the Centenary M.

E. Church, pronounced the solemn yows which made them man and wife. The light from many shining candelabra cast a glow upon the beautiful The bride was attired in a handsome

travelling gown of tan cloth, with hat

and gloves to match. She carried lilies of the valley and white carnations. The groom wore conventional The maid of honor was costumed in pastel green silk trimmed with white applique and diamond ornaments. he carried a bouquet of American beauty roses. An informal reception was tendered the bridal party and intimate friends of the couple by the

bride's parents Tuesday evening at The many beautiful and costly pres ents received evinced the popularity o the young couple, many presents and telegrams being received from distant cities. Mr. and Mrs. Haywood left on the nineo'clock train for Pollocksville. N. C., Mr. Haywood's former home. After April 27th they will be at home, No. 517 Dock street, Wilmington. Mr. James H. Taylor returned to his

nome this morning, accompanying the oridal party as far as Pollocksville.

PILGRIMAGE TO ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH Pleasant Event in Anticipation for Next

Tuesday, May 1st-1725-1900. There is every prospect of a most auspicious opening of the season in an excursion to Old Brunswick on the ist day of May under the auspices of

the North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames of America, to celebrate the 175th anniversary of the founding there of St. Philip's church, the ruins of which are most interest-

Many invitations have been issued to out-of-town people, and the citizens of Wilmington are cordially invited. It is to be a basket picnic for adults only, a future day being set apart for the children. The steamer Wilmington will take down the party, the fare being only fifty cents, one-half of which goes to swell the fund which the Dames are endeavoring to raise for the purpose of preserving and in some measure restoring the historic ruins, as well as the graves of the early settlers surrounding them.

An address giving historic facts will be read, the site of the old town pointed out, including Gov. Tryon's mansion, and the lines of the Confederate fortifications in the last war traced, and in other ways the day will be made especially interesting. The object is so laudable, and the prospect so alluring, the STAR hopes that the people will give the event a liberal patronage.

Back Prom Edgecombe. Dr. George F. Lucas returned yeserday from Pender county, where he went to look into the smallpox aspect at Edgecombe. He reports the situation unchanged. One new case has developed, making seven in all. He has been very fortunate in stopping the disease where he has it, and it will require much care and caution to keep

it in hand. Dr. Lucas is doing all that can be done and deserves the thanks of the entire county for his prompt and diligent action. It will be some weeks before the danger is over, and it is den lost consciousness and sank grad hoped that the county will continue to | ually until the end. disease.

Dr. McMillan, of Wilmington, who has accompanied Dr. Lucas on several trips to Edgecombe, speaks very complimentarily of Dr. Lucas' efforts and says that he is one of the most competent and zealous of Pender's authori-

Conductor Married. At the residence of the bride's father,

Mr. Stephen Keyes, of Federal Point township, yesterday afternoon at one o'clock, Miss Mary Catherine Keyes was happily married to Capt. Thomas McGee, the clever conductor on the Carolina Beach railroad. The ceremony was impressively performed by Rev. Jno. H. Hall, paster of Fifth Street M. E. Church of this city, and the couple came up to the city on yesterday afternoon's boat. They will return to Federal Point to day.

81ST ANNIVERSARY

Of Establishment of Odd Fellowship in America Will Be Celebrated

BY THE WILMINGTON LODGES

To-morrow Night is the Time and Hanover Lodge Room the Place-The Official Programme Prepared Yesterday-To Be Private.

Wilmington Odd Fellows have com

pleted, through the committees of the several lodges of the city, all arrangements for the eighty-first celebration of the establishment of the order in America, which will take place in Hanover Lodge room in the MacRae building on to-morrow (Friday) night.

Owing to the size of the hall it has been decided to have the exercises private, confining the attendance exclusively to members of the fraternity and the Daughters of Rebekah, the ladies'

branch of Odd Fellowship. The exercises will begin promptly at 8 o'clock and the joint committee in charge is composed of Messrs. W. H. Yopp, chairman; J. R. Turrentine, Jr., Secretary; Marcus W. Jacobi. Walker Taylor, W. H. Hodges, J. S. Barnes, B. R. Penny and J. J. Hopkins, J. D. Barber, W. H. Howell, E. F. Johnson and C. F. Williams. The following programme will be

observed: Reading of Proclamation Opening Ode.

Prayer-Rev. J. N. Cole Anniversary Ceremony.
"The Bloom is on the Rye," (Bishop) by Cecelia Quartette composed: Miss Carrie L. White, first soprano; Mrs. E. G. Woody, second soprano; Mrs. James D. Smith, first alto; Mrs. F. A. Muse, second alto; Miss Cannie Chas

Addresses by Past Grands M. W Jacobi, of Cape Fear Lodge No. 2; H. O. Craig, of Orion Lodge No. 67, and B. J. Jacobs, of Wilmington Lodge "Rock A Bye" (Neid linger) by Ce

celia Quartette Addresses by Past Grands, E.F. John son of Hanover Lodge No. 145; L. L. Boon of Campbell Encampment No. 1 and W. L. Smith of Letitia Lodge No. B. Daughters of Rebekah. There's one I love dearly" (Haw-

ey) by Cecelia Quartette. Prayer by Rev. J. N. Cole. Benediction by Rev. J. N. Cole. The officers of the occasion will be

as follows: Past Grand-R. J. Jones. Noble Grand-J. E. Silva. R S. to N. G.-T. K. Curtis. Vice Grand-E. N. Penny. R. S. to V. G.-B. W. Durham. L. S. to V. G.-W. C. Smith. Secretary-J. R. Turrentine, Jr. Treasurer—W. H. Howell. Warden—J. B. Fales. Conductor—B. F. King. O. G.—R. H. Northrop. I. G.—A. Robertson R. S. S.-Jas. W. Riley L. S. S.—W. H. Hodges. Chaplain-Rev. J. N. Cole. After the regular exercises a course of refreshments will be served, and a

delightful time is anticipated.

PRESIDENT MCNEILL HERE Had Conference and Arranged Prize List

for Piremen's Tournament. Capt. J. D. McNeill, of Fayetteville, and president of the State Firemen's Association, arrived last evening and had a conference with several of the committees of citizens relative to the coming Inter State Tournament here in July. Capt. McNeill has lost none of his old time enthusiasm, and his conference with the local committees was very beneficial. Work will begin afresh on the preparations for the big event, and great things are expected

within a few days. At the conference a prize list was arranged and the official programme was made up. Both of these will be mailed by Mr. W. C. VonGlahn, the ecretary, in a few days to the fire companies in the territory embraced in the call for an Inter-State tourna ment. The prize list aggregates \$2,000 in cash reward and consists of hand reel races, horse hook and ladder races, horse hose reel races, quick steaming and long distance contests. grab reel races and start to finish contests. Then there will be other contests, which, withal, will make it one of the greatest events of the year.

NIGHT SWEATS, loss of appetite, veak and impoverished blood, colds. la grippe and general weakness are requent results of malaria. ROBERTS TASTELESS CHILL TONIC eliminates the malaria, purifies your blood, restores your appetite and tones up your liver. 25c. per bottle. Insist on having Rob ERTS'. No other "as good." R. R.

- Charlotte Observer: Mrs. J. C. inden died of congestion of the brain luesday night, at the reisdence of Mr. L. Prickard. . Her death was very sudden. In the early morning Mrs. Linden had complained of feeling unwell and said she believed she had grippe. A short while be fore twelve o'clock she went to be but rose and dressed for dinner. two o'clock in the afternoon she be came quite sick and was again forced tion serious. From this time Mrs. Lin-

with a nursing baby has two lives to support. Her flesh, strength and vitality are taxed to the utmost, and must be maintained or both will surely fail.

Scotts Emulsion will keep up the mother's strength and vitality. It also enriches the baby's nourishment, and supplies the elements necessary for proper growth and development of

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Johnston's Sarsaparilla QUART BOTTLES.

THE GREAT SPRING MEDICINE. JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA as a Blood Food and Nerve Energizer, is the greatest SPRING MEDICINE ever discovered. It comes as a rich blessing from heaven to the "worn out," the run down, the overworked and debilitated. That "tired feeling," those "sinking spells," the languor and despondency which arise from badly nourished nerves, from thin, vitiated blood and an underfed body, vanish as if by a marie spell. The weariness, lassitude and nervous prostration which accompany the spring. time and the heat of summer, are conquered and banished at once. For every form of neurasthenia, and all ailments of the brain and narve, insomnia, hysteria and nervousness generally, it is almost a specific. It furnishes the very elements to rebuild worn-out nerve tissues. It feeds brain, nerve centers and nerves, calming and equalizing their action: it makes rich, red, honest blood. Newness of life, new hope, new strength follow its faithful use. It makes the weak strong, and the old young again.

It was the antiquated (but now happily exploded) method in the good old times, to treat Salt Rheum, Scrofula, Cancer and other troublesome disorders arising from BLOOD TAINT with powerful alteratives, such as mercury, arsenic and other minera agents. It was expected by this treatment that the poison could be killed while the blood was left to course through its channels holding in its circulation the specific germs of the disease. But in this way, every part of the body became more or less diseased. Nothing can be more terrible than a horribly destructive blood taint. It not only attacks virulently the different structures of the body, but many times the bones are honey-combed and destroyed. It often seeks out the nerves and spinal cord, and again it will bring decay and death to some vital organ, as the kidneys, liver or stomach. There is only one scientific method for the cure of blood taint. That is, PURIFICATION! Every particle of the blood must be removed through the execretory channels, the lungs, kidneys, bowels, liver and skin. "First pure, then peaceable." The great restorative, reconstructive and vitalizer of the blood, JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA, not only radically and exhaustively removes the taint, but also removes all mercury, calomel and other minerals, and fills the veins and arteries with the ruby, glowing current of vitality. "The blood is the life." Good health means pure blood. The old and reliable remedy, JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA, is universally regarded as the greatest Blood Purifier ever discovered. This fact is now established beyond question or cavil.

BLOOD POISON CURED BY JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA. Byron, Mich., October 31, 1894

Williams, Davis, Brooks & Co., Detroit:

Gentlemen:—In April last I began using JOHNSTON'S SARSAPARILLA for Blood Poison, caused by an amputation of one of my arms. I had SEVEN RUNNING SORES on my legs. I used two bottles and was entirely oured. I know it is what cured me. Yours truly, G. W. LUTHER. MICHIGAN DRUG COMPANY, DETROIT, MICH. For sale by HERBERT L. FENTRESS, Druggist,

BELLEVUE CEMETERY CO.

Annual Meeting Last Night of Stockholders-Directors and Officers · Elected for the Year.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Bellevue Cemetery Company was held last night at the office of Capt. Ed. Wilson Manning,

the secretary and treasurer. A majority of the stock was report ed represented either in person or by proxy and very excellent reports were heard from the officers as to the operations of the company during the past year. The report of Capt. Mauning, as secretary and treasurer, was cessful business. It was duly audited

and ordered on file. The following board of direct chosen to serve for the ensuing year Messrs. H. C. DeCover, G. W. Linder, J. C. Gore, S. G. Hall, S. W. Holden.

W. E. Yopp and G. B. Hudson. After the meeting of stockholders the new board of directors met and made the following election of officers: President-Jno. A. Everett. Vice President-H. McL. Green. Secretary and Treasurer-Capt. Ed

Wilson Manning. Superintendent-J. H. King.

DELGADO SCHOOL MATTERS.

New District Formed in Harnett Township

Which Will Embrace the Mill. The preliminary steps towards the establishment of a school at Delgado village, reference to which has already been made several times in these columns, were taken yesterday morning at a meeting of the Harnett township board of trustees held at the office of Capt. E. W. Manning, County Super-

intendent. Those present besides Capt. Manning were Mr. Oscar Pearsall and Mr. G. W. Westbrook, and the first and most important step was the establishment of a district to be known as I ton Craig. District No. 15, which embraces the Delgado Mills property and has for its western boundary the city limits. The new district is of course created from portions of the old districts in Harnett

A committee for the new district was named and it is composed of Messrs. J. H. Stackhouse, J. C. Reid and J. M. Baar, all residents of Del

gado village. Now that these preliminaries hav been arranged the way is clear for an early beginning on the work of build ing the new house toward which, STAR readers are aware, Mr. E. C. Holt, president of the mill, has already made a very generous donation.

NEW YORK TRUCK MARKET.

Star's Daily Telegram from Messrs. J. G. Lippman, Commission Merchants. [Special Star Telegram.]

NEW YORK, April 25 .- Lettuce is arriving in this market in very poor condition, much of it being "heated" badly. The ruling prices are between \$4 and \$5 per barrel, but some good stock has sold as high as \$6. The berry market continues strong at from thirty to forty cents per quart. Asparagus sold to day at from \$2.50 to \$3.50 per hundred bunches. Green peas are now coming in on this market and the quotation is \$2.50. Cabbage sales today were for the most part at \$4.50. The market continues active with

J. & G. LIPPMAN, Wholesale Produce Commission Merchants, 184 Reade street.

Dr. G. Kirby Collier. The Baltimore Sun of yesterday of

tains a lengthy account of the exercises by the graduating class of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of that city. The STAR notes with pleasure in the first section of graduation the name of Dr. G. Kirby Collier, of Wilmington, who won distinction in his examination for degree last week and who is given in the list of graduates under the head of "those worthy of honorable mention." Dr. Collier was one of nine out of thirtyfive members of the class to deserve this title, as a reward for which he has already been elected a resident physician of the City Hospital.

- The STAR returns thanks to the North Carolina Society of Colonial Dames for an invitation to be present at the service commemorative of the one hundred and seventy-fifth anni-versary of Saint Philip's church at Old Brunswick, Tuesday, May 1st. UNIVERSITY WON THE CUP.

Fleid and Athletic Contests in Oxford Between the N. C. University and Davidson College.

[Special Star Telegram.] OXFORD, N. C., April 25,- The Field and Athletic contest occurred this

evening, the N. C. University winning the cup, making 251 points, Davidson College, 111 points, Trinity not represented. Entries. -Osborne, captain; Elliott, manager: Lucas, Ramser. Hearn, Gudger, Crosswell, Mcl. r. Linville, Thorp Curtiss Faust, Bereley, Oldham, Rankin, Cates, Burgess. Sims, Shull. Huie of Davidson, won very complete and showed a very suc- 111 points and Osborne, of U. N. C. won 111, giving the highest number of points to any man to Huie. The events were as follows: 120 vard hurdle-Curtis, Simpson, Oldham, Mc-Iver-18 seconds, 100 vards dash-Os born, Crosswell, Huie, Ramsey - 11st c One-fourth mile foot race-Gudger, Berkley, Huie, Elliott-1 minute 8 1 5 seconds. One mile foot race-Thorp. Lucas-7 minutes 8 2 5 seconds. Two hundred and twenty yards hurdle race -Oldham, McIver, Sims Curtis-28 3-10 seconds. One half mile for t race-Hearn, Bates, Berkely, Gudger -2 26 1-5 seconds. Two hundred and twenty yards foot race-Osborn, Cross well, Ramsey, McIver-2315 seconds . Running high jump-Linville, Simp son and Huie, tied for second; Od ham, 5 feet 2 inches. Putting 16 pound shot-Faust, Shull, Rankin, McIver-24 feet 5 inches. Throwing 16 pound hammer-Rankin, Elliott, Faust, Hearn -97 feet 8 inches. Running broad jump-Huie, Crosswell, Linville, Old ham-19 3 feet, Pole Vault-Bur gess, Linville, Sims, Crosswell-95

> Berkley, Oldham, Osborn-3 51 1 5 seconds. The cup was presented by Mr. W. P. Stradley. Referee, Prof. R. M. Williams, of Guilford. Time-keepers, C. J. Cooper, Walter Stradley, Bar-

seconds. One mile relay race—Hearn,

New Postage Stamp Idea.

For the public convenience the Post office Department is now furnishing the two cent denomination of postage stamps in small bound books of twelve, twenty-four and forty-eight stamps each, and of the postage value of 24, 48 and 96 cents respectively. They are sold at an advance of one cent over the value of the stamps enclosed in each to cover the cost of manufacture in the new form and will prove quite a convenience to the ordinary users of stamps, who usually carry their stock of these articles in their pockets and who are often provoked to find them stuck together when wanted for use The pages are of six stamps each, interleaved with paraffine paper to prevent premature adhesion, making a book of convenient size to carry in the pocket or pocket book. A supply was received at the Wilmington postoffice some time ago and are proving rapid sellers. Books containing twelve stamps are sold at 25 cents; twenty four stamps for 49 cents; forty eight stamps for 97 cents. No reduction is

made in larger quantities.

Sharple Wrecked. The two masted sharpie M. L., own ed by George Hewett and brothers. enterprising colored men of Supply, Brunswick county, went ashore at Tubbs' Inlet Friday afternoon and on Saturday night she went to pieces, causing a total loss of the little vessel which was laden with lumber and

was valued at about \$300. She had just put to sea with a cargo of 10,000 feet of cross ties and lumber from the late steamer Catherine Whit ing, which recently went ashore in Messrs. George E. Brooks of Co., of Seaside, N. C., to Wilmington. Most of the cargo of lumber, while damaged

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to some extent, can be saved.

For twenty years Dr. J. Newton Hathaway has so successfully treated chronic diseases that he is acknow ledged to day to stand at the head of his profession in this line. His exclusive method of treatment for Varicocle and Stricture without the aid of knife or cautory cures in 90 per cent. of all cases. In the treatment of Loss of Vital Forces, Nervous Disorder, Kidney and Urinary Complaints, Paralysis, Blood Poisoning, Rheumatism, Catarrh and Diseases peculiar to women, he is equally successful. Cases pronounced hopeless by other physicians, readily yield to his treatment. Write him to day fully about your case. day fully about your case. He makes no charge for consultation or advice, either at his office of by mail.

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