WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY, - - JUNE 1, 1900

White Supremacy STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET

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SAMUEL L. PATTERSON, of Caldwell For Judge of the Tenth District: W. B. COUNCILL of Watanga.

ANOTHER PHASE OF THE PROB LEM.

Yesterday we expressed the opinion that while there are several phases of the race problem, the first one which must be solved, and on the solution of which the solution of the others will hinge, is the suffrage problem. Suffrage is the main cause of the friction and the principal impediment to measnegro race. It is pretty generally conceded by white people who have given the race problem serious consideration, and also by thoughtful negroes, that the hope of the race is in industrial training; but there is a difference of opinion as to what this industrial training should consist of.

Booker T. Washington, who in our opinion is the most thoughtful, practical and sensible negro who essays to talk for and to his race, and to counsel it, believes in training the hand with the head, and head to pay quite as much to the hand, that the negroes may become skilled laborers, and learn how to work and to like it. He holds that when a negro makes himself really useful in a community he will begin to command respect, and when he does that he will be on the upgrade. His contention and advice have met with a pretty general response from the white people who take an interest in the improvement of the negro, and they have not only wished Booker T. Washington well in his mission, but have given him

substantial aid. There is as far as we have discovered no difference of opinion among the friends of the negro, white or black, as to the necessity of industrial training, but there is a difference as to what this industrial training should be, whether it should embrace the trades or be confined to the farm and the rising generation of negroes be taught how to farm and how to do it to the best advantage. There are some who contend that farming is the vocation for which the negro is best adapted and the one that suits him best, one of whom is the Rev. Mr. Lilly, of Alabama, who took this position at the recent meeting of Presbyterian Assembly in Atlanta. He contended that while negroes might be taught trades, and might make good tradesmen, it was useless to teach them the mechanic arts because so few of them would stick to the trades they learned after they took their departure from the institutions in which they learned them. The true industrial education for the negro, he maintained, was to learn how to plow and to plant, to take care of stock, to know what he is doing and how to do it with the greatest advantage and the most profit to himself.

Following this idea up a movement has been started in Atlanta for agricultural industrial training schools for negroes. A committee was appointed to go to Washington priation of money to aid this movement. A bill for that purpose was drawn up and is now under considprovides that when seven or more bona fide residents of any of the Southern States raise the sum of \$10,000, or its equivalent in land on which to erect the necessay buildings for such schools, Congress shall apnegro population. Of course there one of the fellows who works for fun.

is no probability of the schools, even if the scheme carried, ever being so numerous or anything like it, but this serves to show what the scheme is, which is now meeting with more or less encouragement from friends of the negro in the North and in the South. Whatever may be their opinion as to the necessity or advisability of taking the negroes out of politics they hold that there is no doubt as to the advisability of taking the negroes out of politics they hold that there is no doubt as to the advisability of taking them out of the cities and the towns and making them identify themselves with the farms, where they naturally belong,

adapted. One of the strong arguments made by the delegation which appeared before the committee was the rapid increase of crime among the negroes and the amazing proportions which it has reached in the past two decades, being out of proportion to the increase in the negro population, and in striking contrast to the crime and increase of crime among the whites. We make an extract from one of the speeches to illustrate this. The speaker, W. M. Walton, of Atlanta, said:

and for which they are naturally best

Number of Criminals in the United States—1860, white 19,086, colored none; 1870, white, 24,845, colored 8,050; 1880, white 41,860. colored 16 748; 1890, white 57,310, colored 25,019.

You will perceive by the above that the criminal record of the colored population in 1860 was so small that it was not classified. The men who now swing from the gallows and work in ball and chain were then deciplined by the whipping post on the great plantation of the south. By 1870 the new generation of the negro begins to come prominently to the front. The increase is startlingly rapid, until in 1890 we find the ratio of black criminals

to white criminals as 25 to 57 throughout our entire republic. In other words, out of a total population of 72,000,000 whites and 8,000,000 blacks, we are surprised to find that about half of the criminal record of the entire republic is furnished by the black race, constituting one-tenth of the Statistics show that at least one-half of the criminals (negroes) are ncarcerated for very serious crimes. When we realize that very nearly the entire black criminal record of the country originates in the south, we get a faint idea of the gravity of the problem in that section. While there are large numbers of illiterate whites alienation between the races, and scattered through the south, we find very few of them figuring in the crimures for the betterment of the convicts of that section are of the ne

It is said that these figures made s strong impression on the committee and well they might for they present a striking object lesson and a strong argument for taking the negro away from the allurements and temptations of the cities where the scuffle for bread is the hardest, and the odds against him the greatest.

ABE TO THE RESCUE.

Chairman Holton, of the Repubican committee, is hard pressed and whether the responsible to the sable clans in the Third district, to his aid to help him run the machine. He arrived at Greensboro Saturday and was duly installed. Our readers have heard of Abe before, but the following from the Greensboro Telegram tells what kind of a rooster Abe is:

"Abe wields a power of influence in the party of which he is one of the leaders, and down in the Third Congressional District, where he resides is looked upon as a sort of demigod So complete is his domination of the Republican party in that section that t has been asserted that he carried the district in his vest pocket.

"Often, in times of dire distress. white-skinned Republicans have turned to the ebony-hued demigod i the Third District, and Abe has never failed to stretch forth the hand of brotherhood and render such assistance as was in his power. Of course he was rewarded for his self-sacrifice and party fealty. In addition to occupying a high seat in the councils of the party, he has been given offices of emuneration. When the fusion ele nent captured the Legislature in 1895 he was made assistant door-Reeper of the House of Representatives, and a right lordly manner did guard the way of ingress of egress to and from th lower house of the General Assembly. It is a matter of history how, on one occasion when the fusionists were exceedingly anxious to rush some legislation through, Abe attempted to arrest two Democratic members of the body to prevent a quorum from being broken. He would have laid violent hands on the Democrats and forced them to remain in the hall of the House. When the same crowd went back to Raleigh in 1897 to legislate Abe's services were remembered and he was again made assistant doorkeeper of the House of Representa-

"In addition to these honors, Abe was for a while a member of the Republican State Executive Committee a large, being displaced only at the late State convention of that party. It was probably to provide for a more gen eral distribution of honors that he was left off the State committee and given an important position with Chairman Holton at headquarters.

"It is not stated what part of the campaign work Abe will direct, though it is probable that to him will be intrusted the work of writing and sending out literature to prove that there has never been negro domination in North Carolina, and that there is now

no danger of such a condition. The probabilities are that Abner has secured the services of Abe beand urge upon Congress the appro- cause he will have need to communi cate frequently with the leaders of the colored cohorts and doubtless thinks he can do this more effeceration by one of the committees of tively through Abe than he could the House of Representatives. It himself, so that Abe will be a sort of middle man between him and the colored contingent, whose services will be needed, and very much needed, at the coming election.

It is quite proper that in this fight against white supremacy and propriate \$50,000 for the erection of the white man Holton should have the buildings and \$100,000 as an a negro for his lieutenant, on whom endowment fund. These schools he can rely to draw the black cohorts are to be under the direction of into line. In consideration of ser-Southern men and apportioned at vices rendered Abe doubtless exthe rate of one to every 100,000 pects something nice, for Abe isn't

HOLDING IT OPEN FOR SPENCER

The Republican Congressional Convention for the Fifth district met at Greensboro Tuesday and after nominating delegates to the Philadalphia convention concluded to postpone the nomination of a candidate for Congress until August 9th, when the job will be done at Durham. This is a somewhat irregular proceeding in view of the fact that this was a Congressional convention, and was called for the special purpose of nominating a candidate for Con-

The opinion is entertained that it was a put up job to keep a place for Spencer B. Adams when he is pulled down from the State ticket and Cyrus B. Thompson, the Pop. figure-head, put up in his place. It is supposed that the dickering will be finished and the arrangements made by the 9th of August when in pursuance of the deal Cyrus will head the mongrel ticket and Spencer will be nominated for Congress. When the swapping arrangements have been perfected the 'probabilities are that we will have a half-and-half tickethalf Pop. half Rep.-and Populists will be expected to vote for the Republicans and the Republicaus for the Populists, and all against the constitutional amendment and white supremacy. How will honest Populists, who believe in principle, like that way of being traded off, and told to walk up and vote with the colored brother against their own race? But that's the size of the job the machine. managers are going to

SUPREME COURT DECIDES AN IMPORTANT MATTER.

Pines Collected by Towns and Cities Must Go Into the Common School Fund. The Marshall Case.

[Special Star Telegram. RALEIGH, N. C., May 29.-In the Supreme Court opinions were handed

down to day as follows: Davidson vs. Land Company, from Granville; affirmed as to the plaintiff's cause of action and reversed as far as it gives defendant judgment on counter claim. Vandyke vs. Farris, from Gaston; error, McCall vs. Webb & Gardner, from Buncombe; affirmed n both cases. Smathers vs. Gilmer, from Haywood; affirmed. State vs. Keith, from Cherokee; error. Mills vs. Callahan, from Rutherford; affirmed. Little vs. Brown, from Mecklenburg; affirmed. Wittkowski vs. Baruch, from Mecklenburg; error. Bradley vs. Railroad, from McDowell. affirmed. Glenn vs. Wray, from Rockingham; affirmed. James vs. Withers, from Stokes; reversed. Dunn vs. Beaman, from Sampson; in Hobbs' appeal, no error. Dunn vs. Beaman, in plaintiff's appeal, error. McMillan vs. Railroad, from Duplin Sampson; new trial. State vs. Smith. from Wayne; affirmed. Brown vs. Town of Louisburg, from Franklin; new trial. Board of Education vs. Town of Henderson, from Vance, two cases; decision against defendant. Cowell vs. Insurance company, from Pamlico; affirmed. McGloughan vs. Mitchell from Hertford; affirmed. Following cases were disposed of by per curiam order, to-wit.: Wilson vs. Foster, from Burke, affirmed; Stewart

vs. Evett's heirs, from Macon, affirmed. The decision of perhaps the greatest public interest and importance among these opinions is that in the case of the Board of Education vs. the Town of Henderson. In this it is decided that all fines collected by towns and cities upon prosecutions for violation of criminal laws of the State must go into the common school fund and not into the treasury of the town; or city. This has not been done heretofore in many towns and cities, and the decision means almost a revolution in the financial management of such operations. They will not only lose from their treasury these fines in future, but many of them will have to refund to

the school fund such money thus colected in the past and turned into the own treasury. The court declined to grant another trial to Tom Smith, the negro who killed one white man near Selma during Christmas of 1898 and came near killing another. This is Smith's second appeal, and second conviction of murder in the first degree. On first appeal

he got a new trial. Though this is refused this time the court makes its opinion a basis for petition for commutation, which will probably be asked and granted by the Governor, Judge Purnell to day overruled the motion for removal of the case against A. J. Marshall, for counterfeiting. from this court to Wilmington. He also declined to allow Marshall to sum-

Baptist Female University.

The first annual commencement of the Baptist-Female University, Raleigh, will be held June 3rd to 6th. The exercises will be opened with a missionary sermon on Sunday evening by Rev. Dr. R. J. Willingham, of Richmond, and on Monday evening an Elocution Recital will be given Tuesday morning the Literary Address will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Edwin M. Poteat, of Philadelphia. and in the afternoon from 4 to o'clock the art reception will be given. Tuesday night the entertainment and reception by the Literary Society will take place and Rev. Dr. F. C. McConael, of Lynchburg, Va., will preach the commencement sermon Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. In the evening the music school will give an annual concert. Among the students of this well known institution from Wilmington is Miss Elizabeth Divine

SUCCESS-WORTH KNOWING.

MARSHALL CASE CONTINUED.

W. T. Old, of Elizabeth City, Commander of the Naval Brigade-Commencement at A. & M. College.

[Special Star Telegram.] RALEIGH, N. C., May 30 .- On motion of counsel for A. J. Marshall Esq., in the Federal Court this morning, his case was postponed till the December term.

The adjutant general to day commissioned W. T. Old, of Elizabeth City, as commander of the naval brigade, to succeed Captain George L. Morton, resigned. Also, J. M. Saunders, of Swansboro, appointed assistant in spector of small arms practice, with rank of major.

Commencement exercises of the A and M. College were held to day. There were twen'y five graduates; two in agriculture, seven in science and sixteen in engineering. One of the graduates in science is Henry Allen Huggins, of Wilmington. The subject of his thesis was "A study of the water supply of Raleigh for industrial pur-

At a meeting of the board of trustees of the college this afternoon it was decided to establish a manual training school, patterned after the one for negroes and Indians at Hampton Sidney, where young men can learn practical trades and become carpenters. plasterers, brick-layers, etc. Such a school would take a boy who might earn fifty cents a day as a laborer and make him worth \$1.50 or \$2.00 a day. Money was appropriated to buy tools and machinery necessary for the school. President Winston was in structed to secure the services of a instruction.

BILLS IN THE HOUSE.

ntroduced by Representative Small-Th Naval Militia-New Postmasters Appointed.

[Special Star Telegram.]

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28.—Representative Small to-day introduced the following bills: Authorizing the Secretary of War to make a survey and estimate of cost to make a navigable water way beginning at Long Bay which runs into Cove sound, thence through Long Bay to Turrengaus Bay to the Neuse river, so as to produce eight feet of water and a channel 100 of the Interior to remove the charge of desertion against John Netherlands, of North Carolina, late of the United States navy. Also, a bill for the payment of forty-six thousand dollars to Daniel Reed, the heirs of E. H. Taft and W. R. Burlsank, of North Carolina, for the proceeds of the cargo of the brig Henry Brooks, seized in 1861 by the United States navy and sold as a prize.

The Secretary of the Navy to-day re ceived notification from the North Carolina naval militia that they would not participate in the annual cruise on the gunboat Prairie. North Carolina sachusetts, Virginia, Maryland and New York having declined some time

The following North Carolina post masters were appointed to-day: Varina, Wake county, Charles W. Seate: Zoar, Union county, I. F. Plyler.

\$18,000 IN REVENUE STAMPS.

This Amount Necessary for An A. C. Paper Piled for Registration at the Court House Yesterday.

Articles of consolidation amalgamat ng the Norfolk and Carolina, Wil mington and Weldon and Southeastern railroad companies, and the A. C. L. Railroad companies of South Carolina and Virginia, into one system known as the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, were yesterday filed for record with the Register of Deeds of New Hanover county.

Details of the consolidation wer given in connection with proceedings of the special meeting of the stockhold ers of the several companies held in this city April 20th, which were published in full in these columns.

The Safe Deposit and Trust Company, of Baltimore, is named as the financial agent of the new company. The most interesting feature of the

record is that \$18,000 in revenue stamps were required to be affixed to the document. These were mostly of the \$100 denomination.

Monument Unveiling at Winchester On Wednesday, June 6th, 1900, in the Stonewall cemetery, Winchester, Va., a monument to the North Carolina dead buried in that cemetery, erected by the Monumental Association of the Ladies of North Carolina will be unveiled. Capt. C. B. Denson, of Raleigh, secretary and treasurer of mon his witnesses at government exthe Confederate Veterans' Association of North Carolina, will deliver the oration. The monument is a very handsome one and bears, the inscriptions: "To Our Confederate Dead, and "North Carolina." At the an nual session of the Confederate Veterans' Association, Mrs. Josh T. James, this city, was appointed one of a committee of eight ladies to represent the State at the ceremonies attending the unveiling. General Julian S. Carr, commanding the State division, U. C. V's., has issued General Order, No. 7, in which he invites each camp of veterans in the State to appoint a delegate or delegates to attend the ceremonies.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Oure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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CHARGED WITH BURGLARY.

Negro Ex-Convict Broke Into Another Colored Man's Dwelling in Southern Section of City-Sent to Jail.

John Hennegan, colored, an ex-

convict, was committed to jail by Mayor pro tem Springer without bond vesterday morning to await trial by the Criminal Court on a charge of burglary of the first degree, to which charge he subsequently confessed when locked in prison. Between the hours of 3 and o'clock yesterday morning, it is set forth in the affidavit, Hennegan entered the house of George W. Robinson, a colored shoemaker, who lives on Second, between Dawson and Wright regular army officer to give military streets. Entrance was gained by breaking the latch of one of the windows of the house, and an exit was made through the front door, which was unlocked from the inside and the

key taken by the burglar. Robinson awoke soon after Henne gan had pillaged about the house and perceiving that the window was open and a light extinguished which had been left burning, he went to in vestigate finding Hennegan in the front yard. He immediately gave chase to the intruder and ran him to Market street where he was joined by Policeman J. S. Bryan, who was hastily acquainted with the circumstances of the burglary. The negro ran to the river front and tried to make his escape on a number of rafts of timber but he was at last captured at the old C. F. & Y. V. railroad shed and locked up at police headquarters.

When brought to trial the negro wore an overcoat and three pair of pants. He said at the session of court that he found the house open and thought he would go inside to sleep. The front door key of Robinson's house was found in Hennegan's pocket. The offence is a capital one and will be tried at the Criminal Court next week.

MILLING COMPANY ORGANIZED

With a Capital Stock of \$30,000 _ Wi

Manufacture Meal, Grits, Etc. spore were men surough the omce of the Clerk of the Superior Court yesterday for the incorporation of the Boney and Harper Milling Company. The capital stock will be \$30,000, with the privilege of increasing it to \$60, 000 if the stockholders so desire. Thirty years is the time asked for the duration of the corporation.

The incorporators named are Capt. J. T. Harper, Mr. G. J. Boney, Mr. Chas. T. Harper and Mr. H. E. Boney. The officers of the company will be president, secretary, general manager and a board of directors. The officers for each ensuing year will be elected on the second Monday in every Jan-

The business proposed is the general milling and grain business, including buying and selling corn and other grain and the manufacturing of meal, grits and other articles of food; also buying and selling hay, oats, peanuts, rice and other produce, and cleaning and preparing the same for market. They will also conduct such a general brokerage business as the directors may deem best. .

A copy of the corporation papers was sent to Raleigh last night for the approval of the Secretary of State.

forth Carolina's Entertainers.

North Carolina is ahead of all other States, it is said, in arrangements for the Tenth National Reunion of the United Confederate Veterans being held at Louisville, Ky. Two estimable Kentuckians have taken entire charge, and one of the most pleasing events in connection with the Confederate Reunion is the entertainment by Mr. Jas. A. Shuttleworth and Col. Bennett H. Young of such veterans from North Carolina as are willing to accept their hospitality. A large proportion of the veterans are entertained at the hotels or boarding. houses, but there are several hundred who desire the freedom of camp life, and all these are being taken care of by these two gentlemen. Col. Young is a Kentuckian. During the war, after escaping from prison, he ran the blockade into Wilmington in 1864, and here received great kindness and hospitality from the people of this city.

Col. Waddell returned to the city vesterday from Louisburg where he delivered the commencement address at the Louisburg Female College. Next week he will begin work in the campaign, speaking in a number of the counties further West. The following is his itinerary as announced thus far by Chairman Simmons: Chatham county, June 5th, at Gulf. Randolph county, June 6th, Liberty, 3.30 P. M. Guilford county, June 7th, Greensboro. Stokes county, June 9th, Albert Boyles' Store, June 8th, Wilson' Store. Surry county, June 11th, Pilot Mountain, June 19th, Copeland. Yadkin county, June 13th, Barnville.

- Contractor W. E. Glenn arrived yesterday from Charlotte and will commence work on the Elks' Temple at once.

Capt. Jas. D. McNelll Writes That Already Forty-eight Fire Companies Have Decided to Be Here.

Mr. W. C. VonGlahn, of the execu tive committee of the Firemen's Tour nament; received a letter from Capt. Jas. D. McNeill yesterday giving a list of the towns in North and South Carolina which have already signified their intention of sending teams here to enter the tournament in July. So far forty-eight teams have been heard from definitely and are coming. Out of that number there are engine companies, reel teams, horse hose wagen

teams, and hook and ladder teams. Capt. McNeill says it will be the greatest event ever held in Wilmington. The city will receive a tremen dous benefit from it and as he ex presses it, "it will be a big go." He says there will be at least twenty men in each company and thinks Wilmington will have as many people in her

People are coming here from sever al adjoining States in very large numbers and the occasion will be a memorable one. Every line of business will be wonderfully benefitted, and when the finance committee calls on the business men they should respond most liberally. The time is drawing nearer and the people should make their subscriptions and thereby settle the financial side of the Tourna ment without any further delay.

The committees have decided on the race course. It will be on the left hand side of Market street going out between Sixth and Eighth. A more desirable track could not have been selected. It is a splendid macadam pavement and perfectly level. It will be well shadd. There is no reason why several records should not be lowered on such a race course. A large grand stand will be built along the plaza and it will prove a valuable adjunct to the races.

Wauts Floral Parade.

Capt. W. P. Monroe is working in-"But over and above all things else

the floral parade distinguished the procession and was easily the first feature cere and universal comment on the parade was: 'It is perfect. And it was perfect. There was not so much of it as to be tiresome and there was enough in it to make it fascinating and complete. Men said: "It is the first thing of its kind ever seen in the South," and their point of view provoked no argument. In beginning and in conclusion it may be stated that all the decorations were good and in excellent taste."

In speaking of the arrangements for the visiting firemen and their apparatus upon the occasion of the tournament, Chief Schnibben said yesterday afternoon that Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son had generously tendered the use of their receiving street at at foot of Red Cross street for the purpose of quartering the horses and protecting the various engines, hose wagons, etc.

EXCURSION TO CAROLINA BEACH.

Will Be Given by Col. Walker Taylor's Boys Brigade June 15th.

Col. Walker Taylor's Boys Brigade

night.

Special Star Telegram. RALEIGH, N. C., May 30 .- Dr. J. B. Shearer to day resigned the presidency of Davidson College, and Dr. Henry Louis Smith was chosen to succeed him. Dr. Shearer has presided over the institution for twelve years. His resignation takes effect one year hence, when he will go to Clarksville, Tenn., to take charge of a school there. Dr. Smith, the new president, is a young man, and is now Professor of Natural Philosophy in Davidson College.

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dustriously for a floral parade to be given during the Fireman's Tourna. ment. In support of his claim that something magnificent and altogether pleasing could be arranged he, submits the following observation of the parade in Charlotte last week by the Observer:

will run an excursion to Carolina Beach on Wednesday, June 13th, and the members of the company and their many friends are looking forward to a day of genuine pleasure at that popular seaside resort. A committee composed of the following members was appointed at a meeting Tuesday night to make arrangements for the occasion: James A. Price, C. C. Loughlin, E. P. Dudley and Joseph Loughlin.

The Sedgeley Hall Club house has been tendered for the use of the brigade, and there will be dancing and other features of entertainment. There will be four boats during the day and evening, which will leave Wilmington at 9.15 o'clock A. M., and 2.45, 5.15, and 7.30 o'clock P. M. The last boat will leave the Beach at 11 o'clock at

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strengthens the lungs, and builds up the entire system. It prevents consumption and cures it in the early stages. のうのうのうのう A Word in private

Women. No one but yourselves know of the suffering you go through. Why do you suffer? It isn't necessary. Don't lose your health and beauty, (for the loss of one is speedily followed by the loss of the other.) Don't feel "weak" and "worn out." Impure blood is at the bottom of all your trouble.

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MAY QUEEN CROWNING.

Brilliant Entertainment Under Auspices of Mengert Mission Circle Last Evening ... The Programme.

One of the most creditable entertainments of the season was the "May Queen and Festival" last night at Luther Memorial Building by the Mengert Mission Circle of St. Paul's Evan gelical Lutheran Church, And it was horoughly enjoyed by the large audience assembled in the auditorium, which was beautifully decorated with

vines, flowers and plants. The entire programme was admirably rendered, and those who participated deserve praise for the excellent man ner in which they acquitted themselves. The costumes were beautiful and appropriate, and added much to the effect of the various scenes. The "Crowning of the May Queen,"

the first part on the programme, was a splendid production. Each character represented crowned the queen with beautiful emblems made of flowers. The tableaux which followed were all very fine and evoked great applause. The committee, composed of Miss

Glameyer (chairman) Mrs. F. A

Bissenger and Miss Hutaff, which had

the entertainment in charge, is to be congratulated upon its complete suc-At the conclusion of the programme, ice cream, cake and other refresh

ments were served The programme as rendered was as

Crowning of the May Queen. Participants-May Queen, Miss Lot tie Haar; Crownbearer, Miss Fred erica Martin; Sceptre Bearer, Christine Hintze; Faith, Miss Katie Fick; Hope, Miss Bertie Hansen Charity, Miss Dora Bornemann Spring, Miss Lucille Banck; Summer. Miss Lillian Stemmerman; Autumn Miss Louise Richter: Winter, Miss Katie Gieschen; Innocence, Miss Louise

Stand First, Miss Florence Wessell second, Miss Caroline Voigt; third Miss Lina Rowell; fourth, Miss Eliza beth Voigt.

Flowers-Queen of Flowers, Mis-Katie Mohr, Bright Eyes, Miss Alms Miller; Forget-me-not, Miss Katherine Vollers; Dew Drop, Miss Annie Tienc ren; Violet, Miss Gesine Haar; Pink Miss Fannie Stolter; Rose, Miss Gesine Mohr; Daisy, Miss Louise Neistlie; Lily, Miss Lucile Polvogt.

Characters-Wisdom, Miss Clara Voigt; Aurora, Miss Ruth Stolter Sunshine, Miss Carlotta Mugge: wilight, Miss Annie Klander; Even ing Star, Miss Lillie Bornemann. After the crowning of the May

Queen a violin solo was rendered by Prof. Miller with piano accompani ment by Miss Bucking, after which the following programme of tableaux was observed to the delight of all present "Tired Out," by Miss Alma Miller. "Sunshine and Showers," by Misses

Lina Rowell, Gesine Haar and Eliza beth Voigt. "Dressed for the Party," by Miss Lucile Polvogt and Master Johnnie "Love Looks not with the Eyes," by

ter, Caroline Voigt, Annie Tiencken Gesine Mohr, Carlotta Mugge, Ruth Stolter and Master Willie Duls. "Putting the Children to Bed," by Miss Florence Wessell. "Courtship and Matrimony," by Miss Fredericka Martins and Mr. Adolph

Misses Catherine Vollers, Fannie Stol-

"Rock of Ages," by Miss Hintze and little Misses Lucile Polvogt and Louise "May Pole," by Misses Katie Fick. Dora and Lillie Bornemann, Louise Richter, Lucile Bancks, Lillian Stemmermann, Bertie Hansen,

Gieschen, Clara Voigt, Louise Vollers,

Katie Mohr and Carlotta Mugge. Story Of A Slave. To be bound hand and foot for years y the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. George D. Williams. of Manchester, Mich., tells how such slave was made free. He says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters, she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, head-ach, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. This miracle working medicine is a godsend to weak, sickly, run down people. Every bottle guaran-teed. Only 50 cents. Sold by R. R.

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BELLAMY, Druggist.

The STAR will take pleasure in actributions that may be sent to this office for the starving and pestilence stricken people of India. It has an offer from a philanthropic citizen of Wilmington to contribute \$10 to the fund when it reaches \$100, and \$25 when the sum shall have increased to \$500. When it is remembered that five cents will preserve a child from starvation for a whole week, the contributions should be many, however

small. The following are acknowledged: Previously acknowledged\$3.00 Mrs. Virginia G. Empie (through Mr. W. M. Cumming)...... 5.00

Total.....\$8.00

Presidentt McKinley left Washing ton last night for the Antietam battle-field where he will take part in the de-dication of the Maryland monument.

Wilmington, N. C. OFFICERS NOMINATED LAST NIGHT Especially interesting Session of Jefferson Lodge, K. of P .- Degrees Conferred At the meeting of Jefferson Lodge No. 61, K. of P., held last night, the following officers were nominated for

Chancellor Commander-R. S. Col Vice Chancellor-H. F. Otten Prelate-W. L. Holden. Master at Arms-Anson Alligood Master of Work-E. H. Munson. Inner Guard-E. F. Jones.

election, to serve for the ensuing term

Outer Guard-C. I. Kline. The joint degree team also at the meeting last night conferred the rank of Knight upon four candidates two of which were from Clarendon Lodge and one each from Stonewall and Jet ferson Lodges.

Tournament Executive Committee.

The meeting of the Executive Committee to arrange for the Firemen's Tournament did not ma terialize last evening as was ex pected, but a conference will be held shortly at which plans for arrang ing the race course and building the grand stand will be perfected. It is proposed to build a stand which will extend along the Market street plaza from Seventh to Eighth streets. There sub committees.

candidate for Lieutenant Governor,

White Supremacy Speakings.

speaks as fellows: Robeson county June 4th, Ashpole: June 4th, Kings dale (night); June 5th, Bellamy. Bla den county, June 7th, Tar Heel; June 8th, Winnie. Cumberland county June 9th, Gedar Creek; June 11th Manchester. Hon. C. B. Aycock will speak in Monroe, Union county, on Wednesday, July 4th, and at Wadesboro, Anson county, on July 5th.

Hon. W. D. Turner, Democratic

Arranging For Opening.

The members of the Carolina Yacht Club are making preparations for an entertainment to be given at their opening Monday night, and also for a series of social functions which they propose to give from time to time du ring the Summer. The club men will spare no efforts to make the coming season one of the most enjoyable in the history of their retreat.

- The June term of the East ern District Criminal Court, Judge Augustus Moore presiding, will be convened here next Monday. There are about 130 cases for trial, the

most important of which are those against C. E. Workman and John Hennegan for burglary. THE MODERN BEAUTY

Thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face blooms with its beauty. her system needs the cleansing action of a laxative remedy, she uses the gen tle and pleasant Syrup of Figs, made by the California Fig Syrup Co. only - Washington Messenger: News

has just been received here of the on last Friday. Mr. Credle, the pro prietor, only saved a few beds. W have been unable to ascertain the ori gin at this writing. — The citizens on the suburbs of the town Thursday afternoon were the witnesses to a fight the cause of which was quite out o ordinary. A colored funeral had been progress, and as the ball bearers were returning from the cemetery a dispute arose which ended in an interesting combat as to which one of the bal bearers toted the heaviest side of the corpse, and it was not many minutes before blows were exchanged.

- Raleigh Post: Pomp Long, of Durham, was yesterday arrested at the instance of Postoffice Inspector Jere Connelly. Pomp is charged with intercepting United States mail. Some days ago the defendant took a letter that was delivered by a carrier to young lady teacher in Durham. He was observed at the time and realizing that he was detected he left the school building and threw the letter into an adjacent lot. Pomp was watched all the while and the letter was soon re-

- Tarboro Southerner: From all parts of the country come amusing in; is connected with the eclipse the colored people, who not understanding looked upon the phenomenom as unnatural and forboding evil. Wherever they were gathered together, unable to endure alone the, to them. mysterious darkening of the light of the universe. At several places they left their mules at the plow.

- Concord Standard: It was a great shock to the many friends of Mr. E. D. Lentz, who owned and lived on the famous Christopher Melchor farm near Mt. Pleasant, to learn that he was found dead in bed at his home (Tuesday) morning. He had been in Mt. Pleasant on Monday and no one, probably, had a thought that he lacked full promise of life.

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Saves nine. Hughes' Tonic new improved, taste pleasant, taken in early Spring and Fall prevents Chills, Dengue and Malarial Feders. Acts on the liver, tones up the system. Better than Quinine. Guaranteed, try it. At Druggists. 50