

him to be incapable of using his giant power like a giant if he deemed it to his advantage to do so. His genius heretofore has been in the line of crushing opposition and amassing money from the ruins, and of squeezing his employes and patrons, and amassing more money from their necessities. Such things, however, he, a pillar of the church, regards as "business" and strictly legitimate. Would he regard any use of his money that promised profits to himself as other than a business matter?

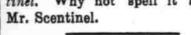
While it cannot be shown that Rockefeller brought about the slump in the stock market, it is known that he has bought largely at the bottom figures reached. Walter Wellman writes to the Chicago Record-Herald from New York that not less than one hundred millions of dollars from the coffers of Rockefeller and his contingent have recently been put into standard stocks at what looked like cheap figures. Wellman says further, on authority of a Wall street man in a position to know that Rockefeller has already virtually obtained control of the New York Central Railroad and that he is to become the dominating influence in it, that he is the power behind George his health. Gould in Missouri-Pacific and Wabash affairs, that; he has a voice in the control of the Baltimore and Ohio and will shortly have a voice in the management of the Pennsylvania. With these mighty systems in his grasp, says Wellman, "he soon will be, if he is not already, the most powerful man in American railways and finance; greater than any Vanderbilt ever was, or Jay Gould, or Morgan, or any of the the beach. men of the golden era of American industrialism."

What does Rockefeller want of all these roads and systems and of his 27th. Everybody is invited to "come hundreds of millions? Why, he wants more power, to make more money, and more money to make more power. It would not be surprising if, within the course of, the next few years, Rockefeller should become a leading consideration in politics.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

New Orleans Picamune: The past week has developed ideal conditions from the standpoint of the agricultural interests of this section. There has been sufficient rain without superabundance, and the temperature has been decidedly higher \$5.70. About 150 tons will be used. and in keeping with the season of - Thos. H. Knight, the colored

Skunks have caused the residents in the vicinity of the center considerable trouble-Rome (Ohio) Sentinel. Why not spell it scenter,



Jeffries got \$32,728 for squelching Corbett. There are several "boys" right here on "Dry Pond" who would have done the trick for half the money.

Concerning those free passes, isn't it strange that Ben. Tillman should admit that any individual or corporation could "force" him to do which had been confided to him. anything?

Mr. Schwab got along finely in the steel trust; but when he begins to sell tailor-made clothes he will

have to be very careful of the trust illustrated by his conduct and speech plan.

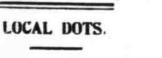
Didn't the national government promise to convert the grounds adjoining the Marine Hospital into a beautiful park ?

The physical ailments of Mr. Schwab justify the conclusion that

he was not in the steel trust for

"Have we learned naught from Prof. Langley has discovered that the silent endurance, the patient time and tide wait for no buzzard of agony, the deathless valor of the Confederate soldier? His life and the artificial brand.

unnoticed and unknown?



the most calamitous bloodshed has - The steamer "City of Fayettetaken place that the recollection of ville" arrived yesterday morning with future ages is chiefly rivetted. It is moral grandeur which produces a over 100 passengers, nearly all of whom came down to spend the day on durable impression. It is patriotic heroism which permanently attracts the admiration of mankind.

- A basket picnic will be given "The day may come when the at E. M. Johnston's grove, near Wilmemory of the fields of Gettysburg lard, Pender county, Thursday, Aug. and Fredericksburg, of Sharpsburg and Chancellorsville, shall be dimmed by the obscurity of revolving and bring well filled baskets." A years, and recollected only as a great time is in store for all who atshadow of ancient days; but even

then the enduring fortitude and - An excursion train of six cars, patriotic valor of the Confederate managed by J. A. Long, arrived at soldier who followed the banner of 6:45 P. M. yesterday over the Seaboard Robert E. Lee will stand forth in undecaying lustre amid the wreck Air Line from Hickory, Lenoir and other points. Partrick Bros., of Clinof time. ton, and Fussell Bros., of Faison, will Maj. Stedman closed his eloquent address as follows:

bring two excursions over the Coast Line to-day. - The contract for supplying the

placed the seal of immortality upon government boats here with Pocahontheir lives. The sacred charge of their tas coal has been awarded to W. E. fame is entrusted to you, my country-Worth & Co. Three bids were receivmen and countrywomen. Guard it ed, as follows: W. E. Worth & Co., devoutly, bravely, justly and truly, \$4,29 per ton; J. A. Springer & Co., that it may remain untarnished in its pristine glory and not alone with this \$4.60; Coal, Cement & Supply Co., generation, but with all those who may come after us until time shall be no more. Let the glorious example left

"Death, which destroys the pomy

and power of this world, has only

uard. Tillman's name was honor tenced by Judge Fred Moore ably mentioned in the orders of the imprisonment and Jabel was sentenced day from brigade headquarters. Soon to be hanged on Friday, Oct. 9th. The thereafter, in front of Petersburg, the jail at Whiteville is regarded as inseregiment became severely engaged cure for desperate criminals and the with the enemy and suffered heavy final order for the removal of the prisloss. The flag several times fell, as oners was received from the Governor its bearers were shot down in quick and Solicitor Tuesday. succession. Tillman seized it and

The prisoners arrived on the 1:45 again carried it to the front. It was P. M. train yesterday and as they were but an instant and he too fell. As one of his comrades stooped to raise the escorted through the streets handflag again the dying soldier touched cuffed together and accompanied him and in tones made weak by the by the officers, they attracted approach of death, said: 'Tell the much attention. The elder Regisgeneral I died with the flag.' The ter carried in his hand, closely tender memories and associations rolled, the current number of connected with his boyhood's home a magazine and neither of the men disfaded from his vision as he rejoiced played any sign of emotion or nerin the consciousness that he had vousness. The elder is gray with age proved himself worthy of the trust and slightly stooped, but walked "Wolfe died upon the heights of steadily and had few words to say-Abraham the death of a hero, and absolutely nothing as to the terrible as his spirit took its flight to ancrime of which he and his son stand other world left as a legacy to his convicted. Returning to the station countrymen words which will foryesterday evening the younger ever live. Nelson, at Trafalgar, Register carried the magazine in the hand around the wrist of which he his supreme sense of duty to Engwas bound, evidently in an effort to land and her glory. The Scotchman who died at Waterloo, with his conceal the fact as far as possible that he and his father were chained. bagpipe in his hand, by the sabre

of the Cuirassier of the Guard Beforel being locked in a cell in while thinking of Ben Lothian and the New Hanover jail, to which they playing an air of his native land, has were taken immediately upon their been immortalized by Victor Hugo. But which of these three, aye, who arrival here, the prisoners had a brief conversation with Donald McRackan, of all those who live in song and Esq., of Whiteville, who has been story is more worthy of the crown here the past two days assisting Hon. of immortality than the humble John D. Bellamy in a preparation of country lad whose grave to-day is the case of the Registers on appeal. The papers will be sent to the attorneys for the prosecution for agreement, and later to Judge Moore at Asheville, who will forward them to the Supreme conduct have taught us the lesson Court. As before stated, the case will over again which history is ever rebe heard upon motion for a new trial peating. It is neither on the greaton October 11th. As October 9th has est fields of battle nor places where been appointed as the day of execution for Jabel, it will now fall to the Governor to appoint another date upon which he will hang, unless the Supreme grants a new trial, of which counsel for the defendants are very

HOSPITAL AMBULANGE HERE

Will be in Commission This Week-Purchased by Ministering Circle.

The ambulance recently purchased through the instrumentality of the Ministering Circle, of Wilmington, for the James Walker Memorial Hospital, arrived Monday night over the Seaboard Air Line and will be placed in commission this week. It will be remembered that the purchase of the ambulance was made possible for the Ministering Circle by a generous lady contributor, who refused to allow her name to become public and that with the funds gathered by the Ministering Circle for the original pur-pose of buying a vehicle, that noble band of women was permitted to buy a horse and equipment for the ambu-The conveyance is one of the latest hospital appliances and was manufac-

tured by J. M. Smith, a carriage builder of Atlanta, Ga. In a few days the vehicle will be taken to the hospital

it is gathered from an interview with the arrangement committee; Mayor Mr. Daugherty vesterday afternoon pro tem. W. H. Yopp and Messrs J. that the young negro has one or more J. Hopkins and J. T. King, whose deconfederates in his robbery of the votion to the order is proverbial. cars and has made several good hauls There were also present the assistant of freight from time to time recently. matron of the institution, Mrs. Brin-Very few, if any, of the goods have son and the Misses Brinson. The been recovered save those taken from sight, when the curtain went up, was the person of the negro by Conductor one to inspire the heart of every true Henry Monday night. Odd Fellow and admirer of the beauti-"Sky-gazer," as the boy is familiarly ful. Past Grand Master M. W. Jacobi

nown in police circles in Wilmingmade a brief introductory speech, in ton, has rather a bad record and has which he outlined the history of the been employed from time to time by orphanage and the work being accom several down-town shop keepers with plished by the order at that institution the result that he was usually dis-In connection therewith he spoke of charged for some petty thievery. the plans for the establishment of a home for aged Odd Fellows, so ably

GREW OF THE NANTUCKET.

Novement on Poot for Reunion of Jolly North Carolina Tars.

city most cordially and presented Su-A movement is on foot for a reunion perintendent Brinson. of the officers and crew of the U.S.S. Mr. Brinson, in behalf of the authori-'Nantucket," upon which upwards of ties and children of the Home, spoke hundred of the North Carolina Naof the great pleasure it gave them to val Brigade saw service during the be present and reassured the Odd Fellate war with Spain. Plans for the lows of Wilmington of their high apevent have not yet been formulated, preciation. There are three great

but it may be safely said that if the events in the lives of the children of reunion is held, it will be at or near the Home, said Mr. Brinson-Thanks-Wilmington and will be a jolly affair. giving, Uhristmas and the annual Nearly half of the "Nantucket's" crew outing at Wilmington and her seawere Wilmingtonians and it is now side resorts. Upon each of these cclittle more than five years since the casions the Wilmington Odd Fellows monitor sailed. The reunion idea is always do something to bind them good one if sufficient enthusiasm in closer to the hearts of the little ones the event can be aroused.

in the Home. The annual outing is a great factor in making more perfect the discipline in the institution. Mr.

Money on The Races. Brinson spoke of the absent children A number of persons in the city are and concluded with an appeal to the reported to have lost recently sums Odd Fellows of the city to subscribe varying from \$50 to \$400 as the result for the paper published by the boys at of investments with the Co-operative Turf Association, of Chicago and New the Home. Not long ago Wilmington headed the list of paid subscribers. Orleans. The business from Wil but now Goldsboro claims the honor. mington was done through the New Mr. Brinson asked that Wilmington Orleans office and the methods were again come to the head of the lis where it numerically belongs.

Divine Burtt.

Mr. Jacobi then announced the numhaving contributed several musical features of a high order. The accompaniments were by Miss Elizabeth

Yesterday was the day upon which To-day the children will be guests the A. C. L. and Southern railways of Capt. Harper at Carolina Beach ran excursions from along their lines and upon that occasion the Daughters to the mountains and seashore, tickets of Rebeach will run an excursion on being good to return until Sept. 2nd. the steamer, which will observe her A party of some 15 or 20 Georgians usual schedule with the exception of and South Carolinians availed themthe last train from the beach which selves of the low rate over the Coast will be at 11 P.M. All Odd Fellows and Line and arrived last night on the others who desire to do so, are urged 11:30 train to spend a while at to go. The round-trip fare will be Wrightsville. From many points, only 25c. notably Oharleston and Savannah

special trains were run to the moun tains and various Summer resorts in **Golored** Excursionist Injured. the A. C. L. territory.

of this city, who started on the Colum-

John Mitchell, a colored carpenter

Suicide Prevented The sufferer who is tired of vain ex-The startling announcement that a preventive of suicide had been dis-

covered will interest many. A run lown system or despondency invarialy precede suicide, and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely At the first thought of self destruc tion take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and uervine will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It is also a great Stom ach. Liver and Kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by

R. R. BELLAMY, druggist.

periments should use Cream Balm. Druggists sell it for 50 cents. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York will mall it. - "I reckon Josh'll make his mark in the world one of these days," said the fond mother.

'Mebbe he will," answered Farmer Corntossel; "but I can't help wishin" could get him to take hold of a hoe an' put a few dints into it by way of practice." - Washington Star.

PUZZLE PICTURE. PICTORIAL PUZZLE.







One of the most prosperous schools in the South, with a high standard of scholarship, located at a very popular Summer Resort.

pick the winners as regularly as before. Excursionists by Coast Line,

unique. Each patron entrusted to the Association a certain amount of money to be invested, presumably on the races, as the Association in its judg-

ment deemed best. Dividends came regularly for a while and the Wilmington patrons were well pleased. Other came in and the company was doing a land office business until the judgment of the Association failed to

bers on the programme each of which was enjoyed highly and warmly ap plauded. The programme was the same as printed yesterday, Mrs. J. D. Edwards, Miss Lillian Stroud, Mr. C. H. Cooper and Mr. A. S. Holden

