



It is said that President McKinley is in favor of legislation allowing him to place Lee and Wheeler on the retired list of the regular army.

There will be one Superior Court Judge elected this year—to fill the place made vacant in the Tenth District by the death of Judge Green. No other election of Judges will be held.—Wilmington Messenger.

Annie Russell, the popular actress, has consented to have all her dresses photographed for reproduction in the March Ladies' Home Journal. Not alone the beautiful costumes worn in her play, "Miss Hobbs," but her dresses for home and social functions will be pictured. An added charm will be given to the illustrations in their showing Miss Russell in her favorite character, and as she is off the stage. The Ladies' Home Journal is published by the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar a year; ten cents a copy.

Dr. Kemp P. Battle, ex President of the State University and now Professor of History there, was asked by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to write for the latter's report sketches of the dead Presidents of the University. Dr. Battle replies that he had decided to undertake no new work until he completed his History of North Carolina, but that he will prepare these sketches and "will begin with David Ker, President Professor, who opened the University in 1795, and who was the entire faculty force for two or three months."

STOOD DEATH OFF.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a gravedigger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Elictric Bitters, and he was soon much better but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Elictric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood, aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at W. A. Hayes' drug store.

Mr. Hitchcock, of the National Department of Agriculture, has issued a statement that during the five years ending with 1898 agricultural products to the value of \$3,317,681,005 were exported by this country. Great Britain took about 50 per cent.

AN EDITOR'S LIFE SAVED BY CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

During the early part of October, 1896, I contracted a bad cold which settled on my lungs and was neglected until I feared that consumption had appeared in an incipient state. I was constantly coughing and trying to expel something which I could not. I became alarmed and after giving the local doctor a trial bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the result was immediate improvement, and after I had used three bottles my lungs were restored to their healthy state.—B. S. Edwards, Publisher of the Review, Wyant, Ill. For sale by W. A. Hayes, Druggist.

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Governor-General Wood has congratulated Gen. Fitzhugh Lee on the "magnificent showing" of Pinar del Rio Province, Cuba, of which Gen. Lee is Governor.

A NIGHT OF TERROR

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Barnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from Pneumonia before morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of Consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her. This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at W. A. Hayes' drug store.

[Wilmington Star.]

It is said that the \$35,000,000 contract given to Mr. McDonald to build that underground railway in New York is the biggest contract ever given to one man in this or any other country.

F. B. Thirkfield, Health Inspector of Chicago, says, "Kodol Dyspepsia Cure cannot be recommended too highly. It cured me of severe dyspepsia." It digests what you eat and cures indigestion, heartburn and all forms of dyspepsia. W. A. Hayes.

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Columbia Latta work poor h	\$ 6 00
Joseph A Harris printing	20 00
Maria McAdo	2 00
George McAdo	4 50
Earl Fancette	1 25
S T Forrest	4 50
Wm Strain	75
Wm Strain	3 45
Henry Andrews sup children	3 00
W H Sparrow officer	4 50
Hillsboro Ex supplies poor h	25 03
Mrs Eliza Scott support	4 00
D M Sykes support Yeargin	10 00
W L Cates support	1 00
Dr T J Wilson coroner	13 00
A J McDade juror	3 00
J D Huskey juror	3 00
Charles Robertson juror	3 00
R A Eubanks juror	3 00
J P Foister juror	3 00
L G Sykes juror	3 00
Teague Cole witness	50
C H Weir witness	50
B F Mebane officer	3 00
J E & S L Henderson coffins	4 18
Henry Ward services	1 00
A Turner support	2 00
Joshua Carlisle work	25
B F Mebane officer	25
J H Hayes	50
R H Whitehead witness	50
George Trice juror	6 10
W W Pickard juror	6 10
A J McDade juror	6 10
L G Sykes juror	6 10
H Purefoy juror	6 10
W T Hearn juror	6 10
D F Crawford election returns	28 58

D F Crawford supplies	11 06
D F Crawford C S C costs sundry cases Nov term '98:	
State vs Will McCracken	9 80
... Mallory Sykes	8 60
... O Couch	3 50
... John Jackson	2 72
... Wm Adams	6 50
... George Vanhook	8 88
... Madison Nunn	6 45
... Joe Sykes	85
John Laws reg bonds &c	39 00
Jno K Hughes work court h	25 50
Jno K Hughes sheriff	173 35
John K Hughes sum jurors &c	183 00
Jos S Latta work	1 00
Dr D C Parris coroner	15 50
Hillsboro Drug Co	70
Hillsboro Drug Co	2 00
W A Maddy commissioner	3 00
James Laws jr commissioner	9 40
J M Monk commissioner	7 00
A Turner support	2 00
D H Hamilton clerk supplies	3 70
W M Sugg jr	4 85
W H Sparrow officer	7 20
Bryant Swift guard	2 20
Bryant Swift witness	1 40
Ben Nevill witness	1 40
John Baldwin support	2 50
Jap Sykes work	4 00
E A Rosemond supplies	12 42
Maria McAdoo work	2 00
Eliza Scott support	5 00
J F Ezzell officer	3 00
Sally Clark support	3 00
A W Jordan super poor h	50 10
Shanklin children support	2 00
John Christmas work	75
Samuel Latta work poor h	5 30
A A Muddoff officer	2 25
George McAdo work	4 80
Pellham Fancette work	6 00
George Pratt bail case poor h	5 00
W A Hayes medicine	2 35
J M Lloyd regis voters	7 75
J T Shaw work sale clerk's office	5 50
J K Hughes jury tickets	35 05
H L Parish	1 35
J W Couch regis voters	1 02
W H Thompson regis voters	2 25
Theo W Burch regis voters	1 24
J K Hughes flour poor house	10 00
W A Maddy commissioner	5 00
J M Monk commissioner	4 80
Jas Laws jr commissioner	5 20
J Laws official reports &c	21 75
Ann Searle support	1 00
W B York bail set treasurer	116 65
D H Hamilton insur court h	99 10
Legrand Burch support	3 00
J K Hughes jur tickets	12 25
S E Cole supplies poor house	21 50
Maria McAdoo work	4 00
T B Bain work	1 20
S J Hall flour poorhouse	11 00
A J Cates flour poor house	11 00
John Laws attend board &c	44 50
Ann Searlett support	1 00
D H Hamilton supplies office	6 05
John McPherson witness	2 15
Kimch Jacobs witness	1 55
W P Riley officer	1 00
Eliza Scott support	5 00
Hillsboro Drug Co medicine	25
R H Weaver witness	3 10
W H Sparrow officer	8 40
Mallory Sparrow officer	6 30
W M Sugg officer	9 20
John Kirkland jr	1 35
J Webb jr & Bro lime	17 85
J Webb jr & Bro sup poor h	3 88
J Webb jr & Bro books &c	2 00
Bettie Ellis coffin	3 35
Dud Latta	25
D M Laws work jail	5 00
W A Maddy commissioner	4 80
J M Monk commissioner	5 00
John Laws	5 00
Maria McAdo work	2 40
S T Forrest supplies poor h	5 10
Geo McAdo work	18 90
Parks & Hedgpeth sup jails &c	1 75
D H Hamilton supplies office	9 00
H Andrews sup insane children	31 50
Dr C D Jones, med account	1 00
John Pickett support child	1 00
J L Merritt work stock tence	2 50

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[Raleigh News Observer.]

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A J Cates flour poor house	14 00
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Mrs J N Freedland interest	8 70
Eliza Scott support	5 00
Hillsboro Drug Co medicine	1 50
Mrs Emily Torian provisions	3 00
Bettie Thomas support	1 00
W J Edwards services	1 00
D M Laws cleaning stove pipe	1 00
J E & S L Henderson coffin	3 00
E A Dickson st county taxes	60 75
W A Maddy commissioner	5 00
J M Monk commissioner	4 80
James Laws jr commissioner	5 20
John Laws clerk	20 01
J H Fowler ser to asylum	10 06
Ann Searlett support	1 00
J F Campton interest	50 00
Jesse Miller foot log	1 00
Walter Nevill witness	2 40
Jesse King witness	2 30
Jim Alston support	4 50
A Turner support	2 00
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