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# THE LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY NORTH CAROLINA DAILY.

## SILVER IS THE WINNER

ILLINOIS DEMOCRATS TO ADOPT A 16 TO 1 PLATFORM TO-MORROW.

#### CONVENTION CALLED IN KANSAS.

The Fight in Illinois Has Been a Bitter and Unrelenting One--Silver Men Will Make all the Trouble Possible for Federal Office-Holders--A Fight to be Made on President Cleveland and His Monetary Policy--Missouri Democrats Aroused.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 3.—Throughout Illinois, especially outside Cook county, the fight has been bitter and unrelenting between the advocates and opponents of free silver coinage within the Democratic party and as the State convention is to be held next Wednesday at Springfield, the preliminary work of the silver men is about completed.

It is admitted by the gold standard men that the convention will put through a 16 to 1 platform with flying colors, and it is said to be the intention of the rank and file who stand for the silver side of the party, to make all the trouble they can for the Federal officeholders other so-called gold bugs. It is and understood to be the programme mapped out by Governor Altgeld, Secretary of State Heinrichsen and other leaders of the Illinois Democracy who have noth-ing to lose thereby, to make an open fight on President Cleveland, Senator Palmer and the big or little Democrats in office who represent the anti silver element.

Numerous Chicago Democrats who ex-pect to be appointed to Federal offices, who are influenced by personal interests, will stay away from the convention on account of the hot weather. The office holders under Altgeld intend to introduce a resolution to the convention condemning the President's monetary policy Eleven counties, ordinarily controlled

by men holding government positions, have defiantly declared for free coinage.

#### **Missouri Democrats Aroused.**

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 3 .- The refusal of the State Democratic committee to issue a call for the convention to discuss the financial question has aroused the indignation of the rank and file of the Democrats throughout the State and telegrams are pouring in to Chairman Farris, of Lebanon county, the home of Hon. R. P. Bland, arging him to call a convention without regard to the action of the State Committee.

Chairman Moffatt and the members of the State Committee, who voted against the convention proposition are being scored by a number of Democratic papers and prominent politicians who declare the committee meeting was of the "Star Chamber" character, inasmuch as it was held behind locked doors, and none but nermitted to mmitt be presen<sup>\*</sup>. The claim is made that the action of the committee is due to the fact that Chairman Moffatt is a capitalist, banker and political intimate of ex-Gov. Francis, who is regarded as the Missouri Lieutenant of President Cleveland, and that his influence on a number of the State committee was such as to control their votes at their adjourned meeting on last Saturday. It is reported here that a State Democratic Convention will be held before July 1st.

#### BASEBALL YESTERDAY. Hawley Pitches a Wonderful Game

Against New York. NEW YORK, June 3.-Hawley pitched a wonderful game against the New Yorks to day letting them down with 3 scattered singles and a string of goose But five New York players eggs. reached first base, none got to second, and only 28 men went to bat. Hawley received powerful support and did some good batting himself. Rusie was also in fine form, two of the seven hits being scratches and three coming in one inning, the seventh, when the visitors scored their only runs of the game. Manager Mack released pitcher Coakley

to-day. New York, 0000000000000 Pittsburg, 000000300-3 Batteries: Rusie and Wilson; Hawley and Sugden.

#### Hits: New York, 3; Pittsburg, 8. Errors: New York, 1; Pittsburg, 0. Cleveland 9: Baltimore 8.

BALTIMORE, Md , June 3 .- The scrap piest game of the year was played here to-day. It required two hours and forty minutes to get a decision. The visitors took the lead in the first and maintained their advantage until the 8th when Kelly and Jennings singled and were sent across the plate by Brodie's hit down the first base foul line. The ball got lost in the long grass and Brodie romped home with the tieing run. In the 9th, the visi-tors scored five times. In the half the Baltimore's made four. Two men were on bases and two out when Manager

Tebeau sent Cuppy to the box. Carri popped up a foul for Zimmer and the 3,500 rooters left the grounds in disgust. O'Connor was sent to the bench by Umpire Betts for too much talk in the eighth. Zimmer going behind the bat. 01000034--8 Baltimore, 1 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 5-9 Cleveland.

#### Batteries: Esper, Hoffer and Clarke; Wallace, O'Connor and Zimmer. Bits: Baltimore 11; Cleveland 9.

Errors: Baltimore 5; Cleveland 2. Chicago 8; Philadelphia 7.

PHILADELPHIA, June 3. - Chicago beat out Philadelphia this afternoon by effective hitting after the home club had the game well in hand. Hutchinson started to pitch for the visitors, but was hit so hard that he was relieved by Terry who pitched a fairly steady game. Anson scored the winning run in the ninth. Weather clear and warm. Attendance 5,834.

 $\begin{array}{c}1&0&3&2&0&0&1&0&0-7\\0&1&0&0&3&2&1&0&1-8\end{array}$ Philadelphia. Chicago, Batteries : Carsey and Clements; Hutchinson, Terry and Donahue. Hits: Philadelphia, 10; Chicago, 13. Errors: Philadelphia, 2; Chicago, 5.

Brooklya 5; St. Louis 2. BROOKLYN, N. Y., June 3.- Connor saved the St. Louis team from a shutout to-day. With two out in the sixth Roger sent a slashing liner to Centre ory. of California, with Mr. Walker, of and followed Miller across the plate. Danville. Gumbert kept the hits scattered with the exception of this one inning. The only

#### Horner's School Commencement Closed With a Brilliant German.

Special to the News and Observer. OXFORD, N. C., June 3. The field day exercises of the Horner Military School took place Thursday in

the presence of a large and fashionable gathering of people. Company A won the baseball game in

FIELD DAY EXERCISES.

the morning over Company B. In the afternoon the exercises began at 4:30. The following was the result One mile bicycle race, won by E. W. ou. One hundred yard dash, won by Pou. T. A. Mann. One hundred yard hurdle race, won by W. H. Carr. Throwing hammer, won by B. S. Herving. Throwing baseball, won by G. D. Vick. Boy race, won by W. L. Kluttz. Three-legged race, won by J. M. Lipscomb and S. McKee.

The tournament was the closing feature of the day. The entries were A. L. Harris, M. D. W. Stevenson, J. M. Lipscomb and N. H. Cannaday. In the grand stand were Misses Mary and Nellie Currin, Carrie Hobgood and Fannie Landis, four of Oxford's representative young ladies, who were the chosen sponsors of the gallant young knights. Cadet Lipscomb was the victor, and he crowned as Queen of the Day Miss Hobgood.

The whole programme was interesting and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent by the large crowd present.

Friday evening the german in the spa-cious hall of the school closed one of the most successful sessions of this renowned school.

Mr. J. C. Biggs led with Miss Cameron, of Concord. Those present and dancing were Miss Britt with Cadet dancing were Miss Britt with Cadet Carr; Miss Mary B. Gregory with Mr. Jordan; Miss Lewis, of Virginia, with Mr. E. G. Landis; Miss Leach, of Lit-tleton, with Cadet Mann; Miss Horner with Cadet Deal; Miss Williams with Cadet Mann; Miss Ida Gregory, of Stovall, with Cadet Williams; Miss M. E. Gregory, of Stovall, with Miss M. E. Gregory, of Stovall, with Mr. C. H. Easton; Miss Kronheimer with Cadet W. Harris; Miss Taylor with Cadet Winborne; Miss Travis, of Halifax, with Cadet Gregory; Miss Currin with Cadet A. Harris; Miss Nellie Currin Outlaw, of Windsor, with Dr. Tarry, of Virginia; Miss Coggeshall with Cadet Holmes; Miss Skinner with Cadet Pollock; Miss Crews with Cadet Rosenthal; Miss Norris, of Raleigh, with Cadet Higgs; Miss Boykin, of Richmond, Va., with Mr. Buell; Mrs. Dusenberry with Mr. Dusenberry; Miss Lorelie Skinner with Cadet Barber; Miss Hawkins, of Henderson, with Cadet Stevenson; Miss Wilcox with Cadet Dail; Miss Newland, of Charlotte, with Cadet Pace; Miss Fannie Landis with Cadet Anderson; Miss Lawrence with Mr. Skinner; Mrs. Greg-

Stags: Graham, Smith, Landis, lowing spirited letter from the Gov-Ingle, Marks and Vick.

# BLOOD ON THE MOON

OUR MAYOR AND OUR GOVERN-**OR EXCHANGE LETTERS--THE** MAYOR MAKES A SHOW

### OF FORCE. TWO COPS STAND OFF THE GUARD.

His Excellency Don't Want Telephone Linemen Looking Down His Rain-Barrel and Summons the Attorney General--The Mayor's Pointed Letter--A Question of Who is Boss of the Side-Walk Around the Manston--War Narrowly Averted.

"You can't play in my back-yard, any nore." This was the song that Govmore." ernor Elias began figuratively to sing some months ago, when one March day the Telephone Company began putting up posts in the side-walk along Jones street, which runs from front to rear of the Governor's Mansion.

But the posts went in.

Then on another March day a meeting took place in the Governor's office, of which the subjoined minutes tell the story

> "STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

RALEIGH, EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS,

BD. PUB. BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS. Regular Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds was held on Tuesday, the 26th day of March. Present, Governor Elias Carr, Secretary of State Octavius Coke, Treasurer W. H. Worth.

"It was moved seconded and carried that the Governor be and hereby is authorized to have posts and other obstructions placed one the sidewalks around the Capitol and Executive Mansion grounds removed.

S. F. TELFAIR, Secretary."

But instead of acting with undue haste upon these authorities, well based or not, his Excellency lived to see not with Cadet Cannady; Miss Nannie only these posts remain, but others also Gregory with Cadet M. H. Carr; Miss go up. Naturally aroused at what he took to be an invasion of his private premises when he saw the audacious and heedless workmen on the poles looking down upon his back yard, a line in stronger voice came forth as follows:

You can't look down my rain-barrel."

Thereupon, yesterday morning, workmen appeared on the scene with Gubernatorial axes about to go to the root of the matter. They were met by two city cops with orders from his Honor Mayor W. M. Russ to spare those posts. This clash between Gubernatorial axe and Municipal acts blought forth the fol-

ernor: STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, RALEIGH, June 3rd, 1895.

"Governor and Chairman Board of BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETS. Public Buildings and Grounds." His Honor, Mayor Russ, not dreaming of possibly how narrow an escape he had The Magistrates, also, Attempt to had from an open engagement with the State Guard, sought at once the City At torney, Mr. J. N. Holding with the re sult that a reply to the Governor went from him enclosing another written by Mr. Holding. Here are the letters:

"RallEigh, N. C., June 3, 1895. "His Excellency Elias Carr, Governor and Chairman Board of Public Grounds and Buildings :

"DEAR SIR-Replying to your favor of this date, I herewith enclose you a copy of the opinion of J. N. Holding, city attorney, to whom the matter was referred. "When your instructions to your men,

to cut down the polls, were reported to this office, I immediately sent officers to prevent it, and instructed them to arrest

any and every man who attempted it. "Very respectfully, "W. M. Russ, Mayor."

"June 3, 1895. "Hon. W. M. Russ, Mayor:

"My Dear Sir:-In reply to your communication relative to the State's rights to exercise control of sidewalks, etc., I beg to state that my construction of the city's authority embraces control of sidewalks as well as streets and that where the city has granted permission to erect poles, not inconsistent with city ordinances, on sidewalks, the State has no right to cut down or remove same.

Very truly, J. N. HOLDING, City Attorney." Upon receipt of this letter, the Governor immediately wired Attorney General Asborne in Charlotte to report here at once for duty, in order that, in the premises, if possible, before things had grown more warlike, peace might yet be had with honor.

When the Governor got his instruc-tions from the Board of Public Works, Attorney General Osborne who is a member, was not present, but the authority conveyed was considered suffi-cient to warrant the following letter

which speaks for itself: "April 8, 1895. "Mr. Geo. Glass, Manager Telephone Exchange, Raleigh, N. C.,

"DEAR SIR: I am instructed by the Board of Public Buildings and Grounds to inform you that at their last meeting to inform you that at their last meeting it was unanimously decided that you had no right to place telephone posts within the bounds of the sidewalk around the Executive Mansion, and that the same must be removed at once. Your chartered rights do not extend to the property owned in this city by the State of North Carolina, as the Commissioners of the city have heretofore held. You will please give this matter your immediate attention.

"Very respectfully yours, "S. F. TELFAIR. "Sec. Board of P. B. and Grounds."

To this letter the Governor yesterday

further per centra, the Governor puts

"The Board of Aldermen of the city

of Raleigh shall have power to grade,

lay out in walks, plant with trees, shrub-

bery and flowers, and otherwise adorn Moore square and Nash square in said

city so as to make the same an ornament

to the city, and to that end they shall

have the general charge and manage-

prove in like manner any of the vacant

lots belonging to the State within the

The last sentence of this section is

looked upon as defining the limits of the

power of the Board of Aldermen, which

imits, it is contended do not include the

Governor's Mansion and Grounds. This

is the argument by exclusion, which, of

course, must he answered by some other

kind of argument from the Mayor, which

will be given its proper technical name

Meantime Let Mayor Russ read this

"In time of war, invasion, rebellion,

insurrection, or riot, or reasonable ap-prehension, thereof, the commander-in-

chief may order out for active service (the

Again consider ! In the place of Cap-

itol Keeper Roberts, who left yesterday,

have been appointed three men: Secretary

Grounds. What mean those preparations?

Do they mean that in the lone moon-

light of last night's watches, Officer of

city limits not otherwise specially appro-

Section 2314 of the Code as follows:

Meet with the County Commissioners, but Fail of a Quorum and no Tax-Collector was Elected. Yesterday the Board of Education for the county of Wake, W. C. Brewer, of Wake Forest, chairman, C. N. Allen, Auburn, and J. E. Ballentine, Varina,

ceased to exist, and the Board of County Commissioners, with W. C. Stronach as chairman and Register of Deeds, J. J. Rogers as Secretary, succeeded to the vacancies.

The retiring board were not the only thing which the first Monday in June turned into history. The County Superintendent of Public In-struction, Mr. H. A. Chappell, of Ral-eigh, joined the line which has already left the county treasurer's pay window. Mr. J. J. Rogers succeeds him as clerk to the commissioners.

The law, as passed by the last General Assembly, creates the office of County Examiner whose duty is simply to exam-ine teachers, and who is appointed by the clerk of the Superior court. Mr. Young did not hesitate a moment, after the commissioners met to appoint to the position Joseph P. Goodwin, of Garner, an ex-Democrat, who lost heart, and became a Populist at the last election.

The law also requires that on the first Monday in June the Commissioners and County Magistrates shall meet in joint session and elect the tax collectors. This would take from Sheriff Page the greater part of the income received from that office, and would make the pay from it very small. Yesterday the Magistrates met here of their own accord. The law designates no place for them to meet and no one to issue the usual call. There was not a quorum present, however, and after a vain attempt to meet with the commissioners they adjourned to meet at the call of a committee, which was given explicit instructions to issue the call for the 1st Monday in August.

"Can the Commissioners be forced to meet with the magistrates?" a reporter asked Register of Deeds Rogers. "Force the commissioners," said he, with em-phasis, "no one can force them, they have the power of the Czar of Russia. The retiring Superintendent of Public Instruction, Mr. Chappell, has made a very efficient officer. He has the esteem of every teacher in the county and his upright and straight forward way in managing the affairs of the office command the respect of all.

During the session of the commission-ers, Mr. W. C. Stronach was taken suddenly ill and had to be driven to his residence in Northeast Raleigh. The board adjourned without further

action than the few changes among the school committeemen.

Superintendent Public Instruction, Scarborough yesterday received ratification of the following appointments of County Examiners: Wake, Joseph P. Goodwin, Gaines, Alamance, H Fleming, Graham, Warren, J. R. Rod-well, Warrenton, Jones, Thomas J.

#### Convention Called in Kansas.

TOPEKA, Kan., June 3.-A. C. Shinn, Vice-President for Kansas of the American Bimetallic League, to-day issued a call for a convention of the advocates of free coinage of silver to meet in Topeka on June 18 to take such action as is decided upon as best calculated to advance the cause of silver. Among other subjects that will be discussed is the advisability of organizing an independent free silver party. Congressmen Sibley and Bryan and President Warner, of the American Bimetallic League, will be present.

#### Carlisle Will Speak at Louisville.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.-Secre-tary Carlisle returned to the city last night and was at the Treasury Depart. ment this morning. He had a long con-ference with the President at the White House at noon. He expects to deliver one speech in Ketucky, the date of which has not been decided upon.

Returned to a Gold Standard. WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3 .- The following dispatch was to-day received by the Chilcan Minister

"SANTIAGO, June 3, 1895.

"Chilean Minister, Washington : "It is very gratifying to me to inform

you that after seventeen years of the regime of paper money Chile has returned with satisfaction and confidence to the gold standard. The law is in force.

#### "FERNDINEZ, "Minister of Finance."

#### Senator George is Not III.

NEW ORLEANS, La., June 3.- Rumors of Senator George's critical illness at his home at Carrollton, Miss., are without foundation. Advices from Carrollton, dated 1 p. m. to-day, state that Senator George was enjoying his usual good health

#### Grover Still at Washington.

W<sub>ASHINGTON</sub>, D. C., June 3-Presi-dent Cleveland does not expect now to be able to get away for Gray Gables before" the middle of the month. Mrs. Cleveland and the children will start for Massachusetts within a day or two, possibly tomorrow.

misplay charged against the Brooklyn's was a base on balls to Cooley. Atteninst the Brooklyn's dance 2 000. Brooklyn,

0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0-2 hall and Miss Horner. St. Louis. Batteries: Gumbert and Grim; Ehret and Poitz.

Hits: Brooklyn 6; St. Louis 8. Errors: Brooklyn 0; St. Louis 2.

Louisville 7; Washington 4.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 3.-Louis-ville defeated the home team to-day through stupid fielding on the part of the locals, who played worse than the score indicates, and the good work of pitcher Cunningham. Five of the hits made off Mercer were scratched. The fielding of Collins, Abbey, Selbach and Preston, and the batting of Clarke were the features. Attendance 1,500. Weather hot.

Score

Washington. 0 0 2 0 2 0 0 0 0 -- 4 12011200 x-7 Louisville, Batteries: Mercer and McGuire; Cunningham and Welch.

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How the Clubs Stand.			
CLUBS.	Won.	Lost.	Pr. Ct.
Pittsburg,	23	12	657
Cincinnati,	20	14	588
Cleveland,	20	14	588
Chicago,	21	15	583
Philadelphia,	18	13	581
Baltimore,	16	12	571
Boston,	16	12	571
New York,	15	17	469
Brooklyn,	14	17	452
Washington,	13	20	393
St. Louis,	12	23	343
Louisville,	6	25	194

THE DISPENSARY LAW AGAIN.

#### It Will Come Before the United States Supreme Court Next October.

WASHINGTON, D. C.. Juge 3 .- The South Carolina dispensary law will again come before the Supreme Court of the United States next October for examination of the relations it bears to the inter-State commerce clause of the constitution.

It will come up on habeas corpus pro-ceedings in behalf of T. C. Beach, a con stable under appointment by Governor Evans, who is in custody of the United States Marshall for contempt of court in the violation of the order of Judge Goff, of the Federal Court, forbidding the officers of the State to seize packages of liquor imported into the State for the personal use of the owner.

Attorney General Barber made application a fortnight ago for leave to file a petition for a writ of habeas corpus, which would bring up the whole ques-tion, and the leave asked for was granted to day. Chief Justice Fuller announced that the case would be heard on the first day of the next term of Court in October.

Patronesses : Mesdames J. H. Horner, J. M. Horner, J. C. Horner, H. G. Cooper, T. J. Drewry, C. S. Skinner, R. O. 1 2 0 0 0 2 0 0 x - 5 Gregory, A. W. Graham, G. A. Cogges-

NORTH CAROLINA COLLEGE.

#### **Commencement Exercises Attracting** a Large Crowd of Visitors.

Special to the News and Observer.

CONCORD, N. C., June 3. The little village of Mount Pleasant is to-day overflowing with visitors who gathered there for the commencement exercises of North Carolina College, which began last night, with an entertainment by the preparatory department. Saturday night at 8 o'clock the calisthenic exercises took place at Mount Amoena Seminary.

Yesterday at 11 o'clock the Baccalaureate seimon was preached by Rev. E. A. Wingard, of Columbia, S. C., one of the grandest and most eloquent pulpit orators the South has yet produced. His sermon was a strong one and is pronounced one of the best discourses ever delivered here.

This morning the medal contest in declamation is taking place at the college.

To morrow morning Hon. Thomas J. Jarvis will address the literary societies.

Tuesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, R. v. A. L. Yount, of Pennsylvania, will make the annual address before the alumni

Tuesday night, at o'clock, the young ladies of Mt. Amœna will render their annual concert.

#### IN THE FIELD OF LABOR.

#### Backbone of the Weavers' Strike at the Farewell Mills Broken.

PAWTUCKET, R I., June 3 .-- When the Farewell mill in Central Falls started up this morning in accordance with the manufacturers' agreement, 15 weavers went in and started their looms. There was no excitement nor objection by the strike leaders, and the proprietors claim that the backbone of the strike is broken here. A full complement of weavers is expected within a few days. The remainder of the mill is running as usual, most of the old help having returned.

#### Work Resumed at Olneyville.

PROVIDENCE, R I., June 3. - About an eighth of the unemployed operatives of Olneyville returned to work this morning when the manufacturers threw open the mill gates. Large crowds assembled at the gates but there was no disorder.

#### Wages Increased 10 per Cent.

BIDDFORD, Me., June 3. -- An increase of 10 per cent. in the wages of operatives the authority of the Pepperell and Laconia Mills went your actions. into effect to-day.

'Hon. W. M. Russ, Mayor of the City of Raleigh:

"Dear Sir .-- I write to call your attention to an apparent conflict between the State authorities and the Municipal authorities of the city of Raleigh.

"The telephone company under the management of Geo. H. Glass of this city have erected telephone posts on the property of the State of North Carolina, to-wit: on the sidewalks of the Governor's Mansion grounds. At the time of the erection of said posts the State authorities protested against the location of them in the State, grounds. Time and time again since their location there, the State authorities have demanded their removal.

Whenever the demand was made, Mr. Glass, the manager, has invariably promised to remove them by specified times. His last promise was made on Saturday evening to remove them by 9 o'clock this (Monday) morning, all of which said promises the said Glass has failed to perform.

"This morning, he, the said Glass, sent ment of said squares. They may ima message to the Superintendent of Public Buildings and Grounds, to the effect that he wou'd not remove the posts at any time. I beg to inform you further that two months ago the State Board of Public Buildings and Grounds in a formal meeting resolved that these posts should be removed from the public grounds, and authorized me as chairman of the board to inform the said Glass of the resolution of the board, and if he still failed or refused to remove the said posts then that I should have the said posts cut down and removed from the said walk. The said Glass was duly in-formed by written notice of the action of the Board. By my authority the Super-intendent of Public Buildings and Grounds ordered his employees at nine o'clock this Monday morning to cut down said posts, and remove them from the side walks. Under that in-struction the said employees promptly at nine o'clock appeared on said side walk for the purpose of carrying out said instructions. They were prevented Hinton, Capital Guard; Palmer Jerman, disbursing officer, and John J. Dunn, Guard of the Governor's Mansion from carrying out said order by two policemen of the city of Raleigh who said they were instructed to arrest anybody who attempted to cut down these posts and they would do so.

the Night, Dunn had his lance at rest, "I have given in detail the circumand visor down in the Mansion grounds. stances connected with this whole matand Mayor Russ's Sancho Panza figure, ter, and to show you that I have not acted with the taller mount of his City Attorrashly in the execution of power vested in me by the Board and the law, I reney, on left-over marshal horses from the unveiling, could have met on midnight ground. Die the thought! But blood was on the moon, and the town is breathspectfully ask if these policemen acted by your authority and that you will give me the authority of law upon which you base less for the arrival of Attorney-General Osborne, the possible D'Israeli of the hour.

"ELIAS CARR,

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when he makes it.

State Guard)!"

extract from the Code

The Governor's argument is that if his Whitaker, Trenton, Wilson, James W. Hays, Elm City, Johnston, Ira T. Tur-lington, Smithfield, Cumberland, H. E. sidewalks can thus be mutilated, there is nothing inconsistent with the same men's tearing a hole through his roof King, Fayetteville. through which to insert a telephone wire. Of course this is the well-known reduction SUCCESSOR OF PROF. MOSES. ad absurdum argument, which is used with deadly effect by every boy in his Legendre days, and which is good in the Mr. L. D. Howell Yesterday Chosen

Unanimously by the Board of Educadomain of reason against mayors or tion -- Mr. Howell Comes Highly Recanybody else. ommended. But Mayor Russ made a savage at-At a meeting yesterday of the Board of Education, Mr. Logan D. Howell, of upon the major premise. saying: those sidewalks are the city's and not yours, your Excellency, and, therefore, logically speaking, we Goldsboro, was unanimously elected Superintendent of the public schools of are not looking down your rain-barree. This statement the Mayor claims is back-Raleigh vice Edward P. Moses, resigned. ed by the city ordinance, against which,

There were present at the meeting, besides Prof. Moses, Messrs. N. B. Broughton, T. H. Briggs, G. Rosenthal, Mayor W. M. Russ and Dr. R. H. Lewis, the only absentees being Mr. A. A. Thompson, who is in Europe, and Mr. R. O. Burton, who is attending court at Halifax.

Mr. Howell is a native, of Goldsboro, and is a son of Mr. R. P. Howell, of that city. He is a brother of Mr. George P. Howell, who last year graduated at West Point, at the head of his class, and who left that institution with one of the finest records for scholarship ever made there.

Mr. Logan D. Howell got his academic training at Davis school, La Grange and is a graduate of the State University. He taught at the Davis school, at Winston, and in the Goldsboro school under the superintendency of Mr. E. A. Alderman. He was later superin-tendent of schools at Tarboro, and is now superintendent of the Goldsboro Graded schools.

Mr. Howell, among a score or more of applicants, came before the Board with the high endorsement of some of the leading educators of the State. Although yet a young man of twenty-seven only, he will conduct this year the department of Latin at the University Summer School; he is secretary of the State Association of City School Superintendents, and was the organizer of the Wayne County Teachers' Association. He will come to Raleigh to take

charge sometime during September. The pay attached to the position is 1,600 a year, the amount received by Prof. Moses when he first took charge of the schools here

#### Hot Weather at Winston.

Special to the News and Observer. WINSTON, N. C., June 3.

All records for heat on June third were smashed by to-day's temperature. The bighest point reached here by the thermometer was from 2 to 4 p. m., when it stood at 101 degrees. This is the warmest weather experienced during any summer for many years.