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KAISER PLEASED BRITISH \$700,099 FOR SCHOOLS.

Friction Between Germany and England Soothed.

since the Kaiser's Visit English People Are

Convinced That Germany Has No Designs Against England.

England.-King Edward was the peacemaker even in his death. The incidents of the splendid soothes the friction between Germany extend this work. and England than could have been

The German Kaiser exhibited a new by his manifestations of keen human the royal family but with the gre. mass of the English people. There are for a purpose and these point to the of \$5,875,780. fact that there was always a feeling It his sympathy was acting for the purpose of winning the public, it was sidered at the meeting perfect, and it accomplished its pur-

It will take more than political speeches in the future to convince the English people that Germany has designs against the English nation. Thubeen greater than the influence c

Now. 3 Years Ago.

tage is nearly a luxury and we can't afford to buy anything but the cheapest of clothing," Mrs. Oliver said.

TO RETURN CAPTURED BONDS by the Federal Troops,

favorable report on a resolution pro- tior. The reductions will become efviding for the return to the state of fective July 15, next, Louisiana and the city of New Orleans of certain bonus captured by

The face value of the bonds captured was \$4,476,980. The securities States treasury. All except \$545,4

ken upon it.

Fred Carpenter Resigns.

Washington, D. C .- Fred W. Carpenter resigned his post as secretary which he succeeds carries a salary of the president was \$6,500.

CLAIMS ENGLISH THRONE.

Procklyn Man Says He is Rightful Heir to English Throne. New York City.-John R. De

after expressing sorrow at the death of the king, the writer says that he, John George Edward Rex of Grea Britain and Ireland, "the legitimate Esfuerzo, which was searched by the and lawful issue of the marriage of Nicaraguan gunboat Venus, was flyhis late Majesty King Edward VII and ing the United States flag at the time the first princess consort was unjust- she was overhauled, as has been rely and unlawfully deprived of his ported, she was carrying the Stars birthright as the first born son of the and Stripes without authority, accordrigatful sovereign."

Hunter Found Guilty.

Savannan, Ga.-Guilty of the atroder, was the verdict the jury returned against J. C. Hunter in Chatham

county superior court. With the court room silence broken Louisville, Ky.—That one-half of the by the sound of the voice of the children in the public schools of

stitutions of Learning.

New York City.-Appropriations of more than \$700,000 were made by the General Education Board for the erdowment of work of various colleges. KING'S DEATH RESPONSIBLE and for work in the south. Amo appropriations to colleges are; and for work in the south. Among the Central University, Danville, Ky. \$75,000; Transylvania University, Lexington, Ky., \$50,000.

in addition to the sum appropriated for Central University a like amount was subscribed at the last meeting of President Deplores Reflection on the South the board.

In addition to these sums, \$113,000 was appropriated for demonstration work in agiculture in the south, under the supervision of Dr. Seaman A. Knapp of the United States departpageant which marked the passage ment of agriculture. This is designed of his body from Westminster to the to supplement the work of the de grave and the deep feeling and tact partment, especially in states outside which were shown by Kaiser Wilhelm the teritory affected by the boll weeduring his visit here did more to vil, to which the department does not gressman Bartlett, President Taft re-

Another appropriation made was accomplished by the wisest statesman- \$31,450 for professors of secondary education in the south. They are members of the faculties of various state sympathy not only with the grief of feeders for the universities. Under sion which was especially distressing will direct the expenditure of \$200,their diection 703 public high schools to me was a suggested renection on 000, which has been devoted for road utations in the tenderloin have fallen placing himself on the same basis have been established in the south southern hospitanty. The intimation improvement. those who declare that the Kaiser within the last few years and 516 new that somewhere in the south board Superintendent Winslow is well acted the role of grief and sympathy buildings have been erected at a cost was charged has no foundation in lac. known throughout the south and is voked.

The general education board has I read the morning paper. In all my of the southern states, if the people of veiled antagonism between the contributed in all to seventy colleges experience, and I have enjoyed the will awaken to the necessity of im- his expenditures are said to be above agement which the enterprise of Keiser and his uncle, the late King. gifts totaling \$5,177,500. Twenty-nine hospitality of many sections and proving their highways, and developapplications for endowments were con- countries of the world, I have never ing intensive tarming and quicken-

PANAMA CANAL PROGRESS.

Rain Causes Much Trouble to Canal Diggers.

Washington, D. C .- The canal digthe influence of Edward dead has gers on the isthmus are having trou- wick were the central figures in the ment of agriculture has issued a bulole, principally owing to the unprece- heated debate in the house, which letin of the tureau of soils, entitled Edward living in bringing about better dented rainfail, which has loosened the feeling between the greatest L. dented rainfail, which has loosened drew from the president his letter to the soil and interfering with engineer. Mr. Tawney. Tawney named Hard-tilizers," by Professor Milton Whith the president has the feeling between the greatest L. val power and the greatest military ing operations. At one place, about wick and Bartlett as two democrats ney, chief of the bureau of soils, in he told both officials that he was anxpower in the world, who have been a mile north of Empire, an old canal who had accepted the presidents which the professor deals with the ious, as a good citizen, to use his almost on the verge of an open breach dug by the French, broke through the hospitality on his southern trip, and subject of commercial fertilizers from wealth and influence to stamp out the more than once since the late King banks into the new cut, flooding seven who are now opposing an appropriation with the cubical steam shovels and raising the water tion for his traveling expenses. It. In dealing with the subject he says here.

55 feet above sea level. It became assertion got a rise out of the Georthat the only method by which the Mr. WOMEN PRESENT STATISTICS necessary to construct a giant flume gians, both of whom stated that they best information about the composiof timber to divert the water of the paid their railroad fare while aboard tion of the different brands of tertil-High Cost of Living Told by Chicago old canal, before operations could be the president's special train. rseumed.

Chicago, III.—Submitting their family account books in an effort to esily account books in an effort to tablish their contention that it is im. tun dam have been sliding in and fiscal year, and the committee on appossible 'to make both ends meet," washed away the trestles, and not propriations sought to meet the un package and vouched for by the im- than any other crusader who ever at children. One died in infancy, two in wives of enginemen here told of the withstanding the greatest efforts on ficiency by making the appropriation partial inspector." "high cost of living" before the arbitration board which is settling the

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The bulletin treats specifically of the engineers, 10,000 to for next year "immediately availtration board which is settling the livethe class of fertilizers sold in Alabama the work he is doing. He will not years, as follows: Stephen, 78; Allie, wase dispute between 27,000 employes peared almost instantaneously into a ly debate. Chairman Tawney offen. and Georgia. The object of the chief, even admit that he is trying to reform great hole that had been washed un- ed several democrats by suggesting or the bureau of soils is to show the Mrs. Marion Oliver of Chicago uer the corners of the dam. However, that the president had made his ex. composition of the different classes of of the vicious hotels and white clavplaced the following comparison of pile drivers were set to work at once tended western and southern trip fertilizers on the market. The bulleprices now with those of three years and the gap was closed within a week, largely upon the urgent solicitation of tin shows that 279 different brands of so that there has been no serious in- democrats of the house, whom Mr. fertilizers were sold in 1907 in Conterruption in the work.

Great progress is being made in the construction of the mammoth locks at ord, and 16.7 per cent of the concrete has been placed.

SOUTHERN RATES CUT.

Reduction of Railroad Rates Ordered by Interstate Commission. Washington, D. C .- Material reductions upon the numbered classes of freight between Cincinnati, Ohio, and the interstate commerce commission, Louisiana Will Get Securities Taken The present rates, which have been Washington, D. C .- The senate com- be unreasonable, even in prevailing mittee on military affairs ordered a conditions of cost of railway opera-

The reductions ordered by the commission on each of the six classes of ries regarding the use of colored un- way men, were run from Detroit to union forces at Shreveport during freight between Cincinnati and Chat derclothing to repel the heat in the Niagara Falls, Ont., without stop, the hundred pounds:

First, 76 to 70; second, 65 to 60; transmitted to the United third, 57 to 53; fourth, 47 to 44; fifth, Philippines. About 18 months ago 5, ond in two hundred and seventeen 40 to 38, and sixth, 30 to 29. These 000 suits of orange red underclothing minutes.

Government Floating Dock Sinks in

Manila, P. I.-Divers began an investigation of the sinking of the floatto the president, and President Taft ing dry dock Dewey, which was towsent his name to the senate for ap- ed to the Philippines from the Atlanpointment as ministers to Morocco. It tic Coast. One report circulated here was announced at the white that the is that her valves were opened malichange was made at Mr. Carpenter's clously while she was preparing to and the tan-colored campaign hat of take kindly to the work and by their request, because of the condition of receive a vessel. It is believed, how the American soldier. The experisorrection to ever, that raising her from the 70 ments were conducted with the great of prey and rodents to give the ranch feet of water where she went down est care, frequent records being made a wide berth. Farmers in other parts action against the prohibition move the Roman Catholic Church, 12,679, to Washington, the most potent force \$10,800. His salary as secretary to will be easy. The naval investigation of blood pressure, of loss of weight of the district say they will try the is expected to develop sensations.

Wireless Station on Pikes Peak. Denver, Colo .- According to information reseived here, Marconi will establish a wireless station on Pike's Peak, to be used as the midway trans-Guelph of Brooklyn, who claims to be mitting and receiving point in an ena son of the late Edward VII of Eng-land, sent a message to both houses of the Pacific coast. The sta-land sent a message to both houses lantic to the Pacific coast. The sta-Of perliament, demanding the Britis. tion will be similar to the one used swept southward. No one was killed. cent. by Marconi at Glace Bay, Canada

Not an American Vessel. Washington, D. C .- If the schooner ing to advices received here.

War is inevitable.

Lima, Peru.—Despite assurances from Washington that Peru and Ecuaclous murder of his wife, Mrs. Maggie dor have accepted the arbitration of Chapter, United Daughters of the Hunter, and aged Mrs. Eliza Gribble the United States, Brazil and Argenand her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Ohlean- tina in their boundary dispute, the opinion is that war is inevitable.

Louisville Children Need Toothbrushes Judge Charlton, the sentence of death Louisville do not and never have used was pronounced, and unless saved by a toothbrush, is the deduction made or by the Columbus chapter and who hysteria and impressionable." Man, begal formalities the aged prisoner by Dr. Grant after an inspection of the recipient of other courtesies the sales behind him. Dr. A tits hands:

THE PRESIDENT DEFENDS SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY

Taft Regrets Acrimonious Criticism in House Debate.

APPRECIATES SOUTH'S RECEPTIONS

Brought Out in Debate Over His

Traveling Expenses. Chairman Tawney of the appropriaand I never heard it intimated until favorably impressed with the future had a more cordial, generous, open ing communication. and lavish welcome than I had in the southern states during my trip, and the slightest mint that puts me in the Fertilizers Are of Many Grades, Says attitude of a critic of that hospitality

gives me pain." Congressmen Bartlett and Haru-

Gatun, according to the Canal Rec- retorts from Representatives Bartlett olina in 1908 there were 1,805 brands and Hardwick of Georgia and others registered for sale; in Alabama in furnishing to the chairman of the appropriation committee the names of tags of over \$93,000. In Georgia there democrats who had figured in the were in 1908 1,822 brands inspected

Chattanooga, Tenn., were ordered by that the appropriation cannot be used country, and in this respect the Unituntil after July 1st.

in effect many years, were held to HEAT THEORIES DISPELLED,

Colored Underwear Does Not Repel

the Heat,

The medical board found that the the law into his own hands. and of general conditions,

CYCLONE IN MISSOURL

People Rushed to Cyclone Cellars and Were Saved. Cyclone cellars saved many families. In each instance the tornado swept partial answer to the question, do the houses from above the cellars co-eds marry? has been given in the

huddled together. is due to the fact that the twister was three hundred and forty-nine married. seen to form by those endangered, and of those three hundred and fortyand thus they had an opportunity to nine, one hundred and forty-four marseek refuge. The cyclone swept a ried men graduates of the same unipath 300 feet wide.

Unique Confederate Flag.

Columbus, Ga.-Lizzie Rutherford Confederacy, has just received a work of a Sioux Indian woman in faroff South Dakota. The flag is the gifawarded the confederate cross of hon-

INSPECTING SOUTH'S ROADS.

Government Superintendent of Roads Finds - Improvement in South.

Athens, Ga. - Mr. D. H. Winslow. United States superintendent of roads construction, is engaged in inspecing the roads of Clarke county for the government, as provided by the department. Mr. Winslow comes to Clarke d.

rectly from a campaign in Alabama, where he has been inspecting the roads in Butier county and has helped to stir up the agitation for good roads which resulted in the issuance of \$100,000 of bonds for road improvement, and has just returned from a campaign through Florida where several counties decided to 15 sue \$1,800,000 of bonds for the road Washington, D. C .- In a letter to work in four counties, while in Alabama, four counties have decided to tion committee, which he made pubissue bonds for the amount of \$550,lic, and in conversation with Con- of road improvement in their section. Good roads are the slogan of the pudiated the reflection upon southern south nowadays, and Superintendent hospitality, which cropped out in the development of the roads and high Winslow is greatly pleased with the Louse debate over the president's ways of Clarke county and the city traveling expenses. Among other He completed the inspection of phase of his many-sided character universities, who under salary from things he says in his letter to Mr. Clarke county roads and will leave white slave dealers, are under indict the board, establish high schools as Tawney: "The feature of the discus- at once for Marion, S. C., where he

FERTILIZER BULLETIN.

Government Bulletin.

Washington, D. C. - The depart-

izers on the market could be reliably Because the president exceeded his placed before the purchaser would be consummate his aims. Being a very family in the world. To W. M. Low-

Tawney denounced for opposing the effort to provide an immediate fund. In Maine there were 209 brands placed This statement called forth angry on the market in 1908; in North Car- it," says the scion of the house of who criticised the white house for 1908 there were 364 brands sold with and analyzed by the state department The point of order made by Mr. Ma. of agriculture and marketed for sale. con against the words "immediately In summing up Professor Whitney available" was sustained and these says: "There is no rational system words were stricken from the bill so of fertilization in general use in this ed States appears to be far behind some of the European countries."

Newsy Paragraphs.

The Michigan Central railway claims a world's record for long dis-Washington, D. C .- Fantastic theo- tance fast running. Two trains of twelve coaches each, filled with railtanooga are as follows in cents per tropics have been dispelled by a re- first train making the two hundred port made by the army board for the and twenty-four miles in two hundred study of the tropical diseases in the and twenty-four minutes and the sec-

were returned by order of the secre- rates, by order of the commission, and a corresponding number of orange That a man has a legal and moral were returned by order of the secretary of war in 1866, but the statute of limitations has run against the remain in effect, beginning on July 15, for at least two years.

It is not only reasonably certain that the roads will contest the commission's order, but also that if the roads will continue in effect, their of congress.

There is now on the senate calendar a measure providing for the return to the state of Louisiana of its original articles of secession, but, owing to the objections made by Senatro Heyburn, no action has been taken upon it.

DOCK DEWEY SINKS.

Tates, by order of the commission, and a corresponding number of orange red hat bands were sent to the Philotopical to the bands were sent to the Philotopical to the state of a company should be the opinion of the Georgia court of appeals in a decision handed down of the sea and rail rates from Atlanta. The case was that of one, Rossi, who had killed one, Harris, for the sea and rail rates from Atlanta or the ordinary white understocked in the ordinary

colored underclothing which, by the John S. Smith, a poultry farmer on way, was unpopular, added material- Placer creek, in the heart of the ly to the burden of heat upon the sys- Coeur d'Alene mining district in tem which is a great cause of tropical northern Idaho, has stationed several deterioration. It is admitted that the talking parrots as policemen on his orange red is a protective against the ranch to drive off hawks and mounchemical rays of the sun, but the tain rats, and raids on his pens are same result is secured by the khaki now things of the past. The parrots

latest large corporation to join the comes from its New York headquar-Pierce City, Mo .- A tornado which ters that all employes receiving less formed northwest of here, struck the than \$300 a month, and this means

where men, women and children were form of statistics covering the period from 1876 to 1900. Of the six hundred That many persons were not killed and seventy-five women graduates,

Dr. Max Baff of Clark College Worcester, makes the statement that from a psychological standpoint woman is no better than the savage of old. He says: "She emulates them by her love of birds, feathers, hanging ornaunique gift in the form of a confed- ments to her ears, wearing braceltes, erate flag beaded on a buckskin, the rings and necklaces and affecting gaudy colors. She arranges her hair in fantastic shapes by artificial methof James A. George, a confederate ods and is partial to a daub from the veteran of Deadwood, S. D., who was powder or paint pot. Like savages powder or paint pot. Like savages. she is color blind, prone to religious

J. D. Rockefeller, Jr., Finds Purging of New York City a Big Job.

Son of Oil Magnate Says the Fight on White Slavery Has Only Begun---Satisfactory Results Being Obtained.

New York City.-The Rockefeller it does, the isolation surrounding this family is used to big undertakings, but the task of purging New York city, line with the activity of its members which young Mr. John D. Rockefeller, throughout the south. More than Jr., has taken upon himself, is one one thousand telephones are installed which has taxed and discouraged re- in the homes of farmers in the south formers of great variety for many every month. Each of these tele-

efforts so far are: Belle Moore, a white slave dealer. is in jail awaiting sentence. Two others, charged with being

Six Raines law hotels of shady rep under police ban and Mayor Gaynor with the business men in the city. will ask that their licenses be re-

And Mr. Rockefeller declares that he has not yet begun to fight. Already \$30,000 in his crusade against vice ir New York. With the practical mind of a trained business man he has ment. gone after crime with businesslive methods. Setting aside a sum of \$.J. 000, which will be replaced with a other \$50,000 and many other sums of the same size if needed, he employed private agents to investigate and report everything found to District Attorney Whitman. Then Mr. Rockevice which has been shown to exist

Mr. Rockefeller was so horrified with the revelations made before th special grand jury, of which he was boasts of a family which for length foreman, that he is determined to of life is said to surpass any other tempted to purge New York.

New York by whiping out the stains

"I am doing just what every good citizen ought to do, and if I happen to have money that is good fortune for it means I can do more work with Rockefeller and the son of the world's richest man.

"WETS" AGGRESSIVE.

Wholesale Liquor Dealers to Fight

Cincinnati, Ohio. - An aggressive ganization.

addresses in which it was agreed One of the objects of the change is that the association members had re- to give more time to vocational trainmained too long on the defense and ing. The shortening of the course that a firm stand should be taken for will be optional, at least for the prestne enactment and enforcement of ent. regulatory statutes by which disrepu-table saloons might be eliminated.

"Whiskey has no friend in public, no enemies in private," was quoted by Emil Nathan, St. Louis, as a "condi-

tion, not a theory." be done to society than by the non- urations on the last Thursday in enforcement of any law on the statute book. To educate the people as to the scope and danger of impending ed by Secretary Dickerson, there will fanatical legislation, this organization be a substantial increase in the corps must call to its aid, openly and witht- of cadets at the West Point military out fear, the best elements of our academy. The decision in substance mercantile, commercial and profes- is that after March 2 next year casional population," A bitter attack was made upon the emy as successors not only of the

Anti-Saloon League by Henry Mains of Rochester, N. Y. "The league has organized a gigantic system of robbery," he declared.
"To carry it out crowds surround and threaten legislatures and parade the streets, demanding the destruction of property and the stifling of commerce. the general rapine, are threatened

with defeat at the polls if they stand for the rights of property." dcors, but Morris Westheimer, presmeeting would plan united national tant bodies reported 20,287,742 and

PLOT KINGS' DEATHS.

Manual of Portugal and Alfonso of Spain Are Marked Men. have been sent to the government of president. Mr. Taft introduced her In the University of Wisconsin a ist plot, for a campaign of terrorism, Mrs. Taft's presence, whereupon the have found that not only are King nation's chief executive took her by Alfonso and King Manuel of Portugai the hand and led her up into the marked for death, but members of speaker's stand. Loud applause greettheir governments as well. It is believed that the conspiracy extends no occasional visit to the theaters and The child drank a good deal from the farther than the Iberian peninsula, one or two gatherings at which only but secret service officials of other governments are co-operating in the Mrs. Taft has not been seen in pubwork of ferreting out the conspiracy.

Pastor Arraigns Taft.

general assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church are discussing the fundamental arraignment of President Taft by Rev. J. F. Gill of California, made before the assembly. "Though he turned down his glass, wife," the California preacher declared in the course of a speech in oppo-President Taft as one of these he would not affiliate with.

PROGRESS OF UNION CITY.

Modern Telephone System Installed --- Members Can Reach Officials By Long

Distance Telephone.

Atlanta, Ga.-Union City, the headquarters of the Farmers' union, is now equipped with a modern telephone exchange and the officers of the union can now communicate by long distance telephone with officials and members in all sections of the south. The telephone plant in Union City is a minature of the modern exchange es operated by the Southern Bell Telephone company in large cities. The exchange was opened last week and was quite an event, removing, as

enterprising community. The enterprise of Union City is in phones is a long distance station so The results of Mr. Rockefeller's that farmers may communicate, by telephone, with Union City or any other point, without leaving their

homes. The telephone development among farmers is one of the interesting events in the evolution of country life in the south. The farmer is rapidly The contributing agencies which are turning the trade from the city back to the farm are the telephones, good Union City gives to the farmer means increased activity in this great move-

LATE NEWS NOTES.

Dispatches from Russia indicate that another attack on the Jews is impending. The czar's officers at Kiev, who have been investigating the status of the Jews in that city, have decided that one hundred and seventy families and possibly .two hundred will be allowed to remain there. The others will be expelled at once by Russian troops and will be sian cities, which will probably be

Randolph county, North Carolina, young womanhood and thirteen reach-80; Annie, 79; Adeline, 70; Reuben, 72; Israel, 72; Wincy, 81; Emsley, 90; Kisey, 88; Alfred, 85; Ransom, 84; Z. H., 71, and Malvina, 67.

By the latest count, sixty-nine American cities have adopted or voted to adopt the Galveston or Des Moines form of government by commission. idly that any enumeration is likely to become obsolete as soon almost as it is made. Twelve states have enacted permissive laws enabling municipalities of certainnn classes to vote on the question of making the experi-

ment. The new syllabus for New York campaign against sumptuary laws was state schools proposes to cut off two planned by the National Wholesale years of the grammar school work Liquor Dealers' Association at a con- and put pupils so much earlier in the ference of state presidents of the or- high schools. This would mean the completion of the grammar course in Previously, delegates to the annual six years, and entrance in the high convention of the body had listened to school at about twelve years of age.

Washington News.

One vote was lacking to make the necessary two-thirds in the house for the adoption of the Henry resolution He added: "No greater harm can to fix the date of presidential inaug-

> As the result of a decision announcdets will be admitted to the acadclass graduating in 1911, but also of the 1912 class, making a total increase of eighty-eight original appointments over the usual number of admissions.

The aggregate number of 32,936,445 communicants or members of all religious denominations in continental The judges sitting in cases involving United States was reported for 1906, according to the United States census of religious bodies for the same year, as detailed in part I of the Unit-The conference was behind closed ed States census bureau's special report on the subject, now in press. Of

Mrs. Taft made her first public apa year ago at one of the sessionns of the world's Sunday School asso-Madrid, Spain. - Secret warnings ciation, whither she accompanied the ed her appearance. Except for an and by his side the bottle of liquor. her intimate friends were present, lic for a twelvemonth.

The bureau of railway men's news and statistics reports that with the Dickson, Tenn.-Delegates. to the year ending June 30, 1909, seventeen American railroad companies completed a six-year term without a passenger killed, ninety-five companies a enty-seven companies a four-year period, two hundred and twenty-eight companies three years, two hundred he danced all night with a mayor's and eighty-seven companies two years, and three hundred and forty-seven sition to church federation. He cited sixty-eight reporting, one-year immu-

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State in Financial Dilemma.

The second bids for the \$3,430,000 refunding forty-year 4 per cent bonds to take up bonds falling due July 1 were opened by the State Treausrer at Raleigh Saturday in the presence of the Governor and members of the Council of State and a large company of its interested citizens in the office of State Treasurer and it was found that there were bids for only \$1,195,-000 of the issue as compared with \$1,765,000 that were bid for on the first date for the bond sale May 18

when all bids were rejected. This time the bids ranged in batches from \$1,000 to \$200,000, whereas there was one \$500,000 bid at the first effort to sell the issue. The \$500,-000 bid was by the New York Life Insurance Company and was not renewed. The Council of State was in executive session all afternoon considering the situation, a number of the prominent bankers and other business men being with them in confidential conference. Late this evening announcement was made that the bids opened today are accepted and that additional bids are on hand running up the sale to \$1,218,850.

The bids in hand today leave \$2,-211,500 of the issue to be taken care of in some extraordinary way. Several methods of extracting the administration from the embarrassing dilemma are being suggested although the Governor and Council of State are not talking. One is the calling of the General Assembly in extra session to either increase the rate of interest above the 4 per cent provided so as to effect the sale in driven, in destitution, to other Rus- the ordinary way, empower the Treasurer to exchange new bonds for the old, or authorize some other means of tiding the State over the difficulty until there can be permanent adjustment at the next regular session in January. Another is to sell all the bonds that are not bid for or for which bids can be secured before July 1 to redeem those bonds that are presented for collection and to borrow money to take care of the rest until the regular session of the Assembly. This is believed to be the policy decided on by the council.

There is a suggestion that the State could get money on railroad bonds the State owns as security or effect other financial arrangements that would save the State the \$25,-000 or more expenses of an extra session of the Legislature.

Big Law Suit at Marion.

The most hotly contested and longdrawn out lawsuit in the history of McDowel county was terminated at Marion Friday. The plaintiff, D. J. McDonald, a sub-contractor was suing MacArthur Bros. Company for \$50,-000. A special term of court was called for the trial of this case and all except one day of the two weeks' term was consumed in the trial of same. Every inch of ground was hotly contested by the most brilliant array of counsel ever seen at that bar. The jury, after remaining out two hours, returned a verdict of \$27,-528.47 in favor of the plaintiff. Both sides have taken an appeal to the

Supreme Court, Representative Page Economizes.

Representative Page saved Uncle Sam \$250,000 Saturday by offering an amednment to the sundry civil bill. The bill provided \$750,000 for the protection of public lands and he cut a third of it off. In advocating his amendment he spoke for twenty

Killed By Train. W. L. Henry, of Statesville, was killed by an accidental fall from a railroad train at Cisco, Cal.

Mr. Thomas on Gen. Greene. Friday being the anniversary of the birth of Gen. Nathaniel Green, Representative Thomas called the attention of the House to a pending bill for the erection of a statue to Greene on the battleground of Guilford Courthouse, near Greensboro. No action was ident of the association, said that the this grand total the various Protes- taken by the House. Mr. Thomas characterized General Greene as next in the struggle for independence.

Child Killed by Whiskey.

The six-year-old child of Mr. James Smith, of Stokes county, died from ficials at Lisbon that an attempt upon as the real president of the United the effects of a large drink of whisthe life of King Manuel is likely to States. After the president had fin- key. Mr. Smith went to the field to be made soon The Spanish police, ished his speech, Rev. Dr. F. B. Mey work, carrying along a bottle of whis-

The little boy came along some time later, finding his father asleep bottle and was immediately taken seriously ill from the violent effects of the intoxicant. After suffering several hours death came to his relief.

North Carolina Nuggets. James Johnson, colored, 17 years old, entered an apartment at the Carolina, at Wilmington, and stole a five-year term, one hundred and sev- lady's gold watch, valued at \$90, which he later sold to a colored delivery wagon driver for \$2.

The Corporation Commission has elected A. J. Maxwell, of Dover, seccompanies out of three hundred and retary of the commission to succeed sixty-eight reporting, one-year immu-nity. The report does not deal with accidents or deaths of employes.

H. C. Brown, appointed by the Gov-ernor as Commissioner to succeed the late B. T. Ayeecki