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We have picked out fifty suits. Cassimers, Ohev iots, and Worst- ship company (Horsley Bros. of Liveds. Sizes, 30 erpool) for facilitation of export and to 42, that form- roads agreeing to bring freight and the erly sold at \$5. to \$18. They go now at 50c on the dollar.

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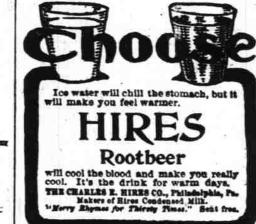
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CHARLESTON'S RATE GASE IS BEING HEARD

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Discriminations Alleged by the Carolina Town.

RAILWAY PEOPLE TESTIFY practicable to have him tried by a court-

Feature of the Session Was the Intro- thorities. duction of a Letter Showing That Barrier to Increased Traffic.

the hearing of the discriminating freight rate case in which the Charleston, S. other man his arm. C., bureau of freight and transportation appears as complainant against the va- cient to warrant Arnold being indicted rious railway lines connecting Charleston, Norfolk and Wilmington with tor General Isborne is now making a gral W. S. Taylor has more votes points west and south. The charge is full investigation. the long standing complaint of Charleston that discriminating rates are made the service. His discharge was of course against Charleston both on products from the west and for foreign and coastwise shipment and for railway distribution from Norfolk to other south- SOLD COUNTERFEIT MONEY. themselves.

ern points. The examination, which probably will | Gang of Stick Swindlers Duped E continue several days, was begun with the examination of S. F. Parrott, chairman of the Southern Freight association, and in his testimony he said he thought the roads were acting largely some citizens of Escambia county, Ala., est of a dark horse. The opponents of Southern, is now in Europe, but is exunder the provision of the old Freight and Steamship Line association.

The hearing was continued today. The witnesses heard at the morning session were William Campbell, general and exhibited specimens of counterfeit dislike Goebel will not support Taylor, be made until the consolidation is there freight agent of the Chicago and East- money which are said to have been while they would support some Republication oughly effected, it is at this time even ern Illinois railway; L. A. Emmerson, finely executed and explained that he lican who has not been identified with beyond the probable stages general freight agent of the Southern would furnish \$100 of it for \$10 and in any clique. It is also charged that there is probable that here. Culp will railway in charge of the Charleston like proportion up to \$10,000. F are 65,000 negro voronte, and H. W. B. Glover, traffic A number of residents bit at the support Taylor.

ter from Mr. Campbell to the Charles- deliver the money and secure the bad. gates. Most of the delegates will arrive ton freight bureau, in which he charac. The swindler carried his toupe up the tomorrow, but such as are here today terized the rates on the South Ohio steps into a tall building, knocked at a flock to the headquarters of Taylor, roads as exorbitant and a barrier to in- door and bade him remain outside until while Colonel Stone and Judge Pratt creased traffic and said that his road he entered, exchanged money and re- are not disturbed much by callers. For ready to make reductions to south- turned.

IT ON DANGEROUS CILS.

ip to the standard by law.

his action is taken to indicate that he fight on illegal and dargerous oils, which the report of State Chemist Mc-Candless showed abounds in the state, on in dead earnest.

below which oils are declared dangerous

Tribute to His Memory. instructed to be very partituar about the character and physical condition of the men enlisted, and these in siru tions from other parts of the state, crowded Trinity Episcopal church yesterday COMBINATION AT MOSILE when the funeral services of ex-Governor Richardson were conducted. The statehouse was closed, the flags Mobile, July 11. - A combination has

been formed by the Southern railway, the Mobile and Ohio Railroad company | Confederate Veterans, also attended in and the Mobile and Transatlantic Steam | a body. At 1:45 p. m. the casket was Hotel Jerome to the church. The services were conducted by Rev. import business, via this port, the rail. W. E. Evans, rector of Trinity. The

body was later removed to the train and ernor some years ago.

in operation here for several seasons with success. The Mobile and Ohio is Crops In the North State. completing a branch road to the lower Mobile bay, but this will hardly be used lina report on the condition of crops for export work this season, a though designated ultimately to give the roads June 30, based on returns from over a continuous route to the deepest water 1,000 correspondents, was summarized by the agricultural department here last evening. It gives the following per-TAMPA, Fla., July 11 - So far all is cent acreage, 90 per cent condition; quiet here among the cigarmakers who corn, 10116 acreage, 98 condition; tohave been locked out. The men declare bacco, 1051, acreage, 91 condition. The that this strike is a decisive one, and increase in tobacco acreage is in the that, knowing that if they lose this they least. The yield is found to be 7316 per lose everything, they are going to starve cent of average crop and that of oats

before they will take one point off of 601/2 per cent. Scale Agent Kills Himself. other hand, they claim that there will E Wright of Chester county, S. C., be plenty of help forthcoming when Montgomery, Ala., July 11.—Presi ball being taken out on the opposite trains from New York to Florida will he was advised to do the Mendish deed pointed Jack Bishop, a well known ne leaves a wife and children at Newton, gro, to be postmaster at White Oak, a N. C. He had been drinking for several village in easiern Alabama. Bishop, days and had told his friends that he

being a sensible fellow, knew that his would soon be dead. acceptance would breed trouble, and he. To Print Court Reports. promptly declined the honor. He had not applied for the place, and his prompt refusal of it has been generally ap ernor Johnston has let to The Dispatch bama supreme court reports, from the Los Angeles, July 11.-The opening beginning of the publication to volume session of the International Educational association convention began here this print 500 each of the reports; one-fourth afternoon. J. E. Phillips, superin- of them in six months and the balance

> MOBILE, July 6.-Copies of La Lucha, a Havana newspaper, arriving here in today's mail, announce that the will of the late H. B. Plant bequeaths \$500,-000 to General Fitzhugh Lee and \$50 .-000 to General Maximo Gomez.

Stuckey Released on Bond. SPARTANBURG, S. C., July 10.-The jury rendered a verdict in the Stuckey today appointed Joseph W. Avery, forcase of guilty of manslaughter. Judge merly quartermester sergeant Second Gary sentenced Stuckey to ten years in North Carolina regiment, to be captain the penitentiary at hard labor. His attorneys gave notice of appeal and made a motion for bail, which was granted, the amount fixed being \$5,000. The bond was soon made and Stuckey is a

TO BE TRIED IN SAVANNAH. TAYLOR APPEARS TO Private Arnold of Third Kentucky BE A SURE WINNER SAVANNAH, July 8 - Private James H. Arnold of Company I, Third Kentucky regiment, has just been brought

here from Fort Thomas, Ky., to stand Kentucky Republicans to Put Out State Ticket.

martial, and he was sent here under a FIRST PLACE IS SETTLED

Stone and Pratt Are Still Working, but Virtually Admit Defeat, and Only the Lower Offices Will Be Con-

LEXINGTON, Ky., July 11.—The candidates are all here for the Republican state convention tomorrow. They opened their respective headquarters today to meet the early arrivals of delegates. So there is no contest, as Attorney Gen- & Nashville. pledged than are necessary to nominate. quittal he will, of course, receive full with a view to defeating Taylor, rather than with any expectation for victory

The Stone and Pratt men are not pull- one great raproad system. ing together harmoniously even in oporganized it is likely to be in the interfarmers who had cashed in their crops have been such that the Democrats who are 65,000 negro voters who will not then be traffic manager of the entire

Senator Deboe is openly championing

nd that the proceeded down the rear steps with the central figure at Taylor's headquarters, dence good money of the poor Alabama vic- but also in his counsels. They gine together, walk about together and the delegates say they sleep together. Neither Deboe or Taylor seems to be disturbed in the least about the attacks | the market of their opponents, who say that Taylor has not only used his state patronage, but also had all patronage under Senator Deboe in his interest. It is charged that all the places in the federal census; as well as the prospective patronage un-

> der Taylor, has been parceled out. The opponents of Taylor called on him and Senator Deboe late last night. man for governor, but they will not en-They insist that none of the charges are well grounded, that the disaffection will blow over after the convention, that they have made the race in good faith and do not intend to be scared out of the results of their successful canvass.

SOIL PIPE TRUST FORMED. Alabama Plants Will Be Greatly Im-

proved and Enlarged. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 11 - All the manufacturers of soil pipe fittings in Alabama have entered the new combine of soil pipe manufacturers now forming in New York under the name of the Terrell yesterday directive him to bring Central Foundry company, with a capitalization of \$14,000,000. The Alabama concerns in the deal are H. C. Welden & Co., Anniston, Ala.; Power company, the Acapta Railway Pipe works, Bessemer; Hoffman, Bil. lings and Weller Manufacturing com-

pany, Gadsden, Ala., and Rush Manufacturing company, Gadsden. It is stated that extensive enlargements among these plants are contemplated and that the consolidation has practically been effected.

It is stated also that another concern backed by St. Louis iron manufacturers is preparing to form a combination in competition with the Central Foundry company and that if its plans carry the St. Louis organization will build a large pipe plant at Bessemer and perhaps at, other southern points.

SEABOARD WINS ITS FIGHT. RALEIGH, July 8.—The North Caro- Road Now Secures Fine Terminal

Property at Columbia. COLUMBIA, S. C., July 11.-The Seaboard Air Line has paid to the city council the \$30,000 fixed by the jury of concentages of acreage and condition as demnation for the Sidney park property compared with last year: Cotton, 83 per and now the Seaboard holds the title to the finest terminal property in the state, covering 23 acres of the most picturesque land within one block of Main street, in the very heart of the city.

This is the outcome of a most vigorous legal fight that has been in progress | Athens, Ala. for some weeks. A party of wealthy citizens took every means possible to prevent the park from going into the applied for work at the Ciople's Cotton hands of the railroad. They got a tem- factory. Captain Martita got the inporary injunction when condemnation formation and had him a rested simply, proceedings were instituted.

Captain T. F. Hill Dead.

ANDERSON, S. C., July 11.—Captain

Valley, N. C., Sunday afternoon at 3 ville county, was fatally that by a neo'clock. A number of prominent citi-zens from Anderson, a delegation from Dr. Jennings drew his pistol and fired the Masonic lodge and from the Meth- three shots, killing his assailant inodist church met the remains at Wal. stantly. Dr. Jennings is a young phyhalla yesterday afternoon and acted as sician, the grandson of the doctor by an escort to this city, arriving at 11 the same name who lived at Edgefield, o'clock this morning.

Willett Leaves For Hom .. NEW YORK, July 11. - Joseph J. Wil-

lett, president of the Alabama Bar association, who was chief orator at Tammany Hall on the Fourth of July, left for home this morning. He will stop at Baltimore, Richmond, Charlotte and Atlanta on his way home for the purpose of consulting political friends at those places.

North Carolinian Appointed. Washington, July 11 .- The president grant the petition.

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Reported Deal Wherebe Southern and L. & N. Consoldate.

Herald today says:

"The disputch would seem to indicate that Mr. Culp will leave the Southern source, that negotiations frave been in progress for several months looking toward a consolidation of the Southern and the Louisville and Sashville into

"It was learned yesterday that the position to Taylor, as they accuse each | controlling interests, of the two roads | on the queen's birthday. other of weakness in many counties. If | expect to have matters in shape to bring any formidable opposition to Taylor is about the consolidation it; he early fall. "Samuel Spencer, president of the Taylor say that he is in the same class | pected back in a few weeks, and the as William Goebel, the Democratic nombest opinion is that the coasolidation is ince for governor; that his methods probable soon after his retarn.

Steps Taken by the Agricultural Department Officials.

ATLANTA, July 7 .- Letters received by the agricultural department from all over the state indicate a widespread interest in the subject of of inspection. While the most of the in spectors have been diligent in the performance of

their duties, complaints received by the department several months ago from different parts of the state indicated that some inferior oil was being put on This led to the adoption of a new rule

by the department, requiring each inspector to send to the state chemist for analysis samples of all bill with the inspector's test. This brings the work of every inspector under the revision of the state chemist, making the inspection as near perfect as possible under the workings of the present law. says the work will be victorously prose-

Assistant Commissioner R. F. Wright venes Commissioner Stevens will endeavor to have the present law amended so as to greatly improve and simplify the method of testing oil

A TEMPORARY INJUNCTION. Street Railways of Atlanta Restrained

ATLANTA, July 7. - On application of a number of citizens Governor Candler issued an order to Athrney General suit in the name of the saite against the Atlanta Consolidated Steet Railway company, the Atlanta Railway and gia for an alled violation if the constitution of the state, in deseating or attempting to lessen competition, by

went before Judge Car Her, who, on hearing the petition, isseed a restraining order, temporarily injoining the transfer of any more fock from the Trust Company of Georgia to either of the other companies nam 1, or from the Atlanta Railway company to the Trust Company of Georgia. His order further enjoys the opera-

tions of the lines under the amended way company, or as a cot bination.

BOY MURDERER CAPTURED. Tom White, Slayer of Father, Mother

MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 7. - Captain John W. Martin of the Montgomery police force effected by intenuity a most important capture hero last night in the person of the 13-year-old loy murderer, Thomas White, who a liw days ago killed his father, mother and sister near

24 hours, reaching here esterday, and on suspicion. The engineers of the Seaboard Air White confessed to being the inhu-Line are already at work and by Jan. 1 man murderer of his own kin, saying

Shooting on an Excursion. COLUMBIA, S. C., July .-On the re-T. F. Hill, a prominent citizen and turn of an excursion from Augusta, Dr. druggist of this city, died at Cashiers W. D. Jennings of McCirmick, Abbe-

> and is one of the most prominent physicians in the state. Craig Law to Be Tested. RALEIGH, July 7 .- The Craig law enacted by the last legislature requiring the domestications of all foreign corporations doing business in North Carolina will be tested in the courts by the Southern railway. The latter is sued

Fierce Telephone War Ends.

NEWS PARAGRAPHS CULLED IN VARIOUS QUARTERS.

Tuesday, July 4. A plot to set up'a king in Cuba is said to have been discovered. Governor Bradley of Kentucky ordered out troops on false information

received by telephone. The contributions to the Dewey home fund so far amount to \$12,522. The contributors to date number 10,474. Hon. C. P. Rogers, Sr., has been elected, without opposition, senator

Kingston and Port Antonio, Jamaica, enthusiastically observed the Fourth as a compliment to Florida's generous exhibition of Anglo-American sentiment

The gunboat Nashville struck a snag during her recent trip up the Missis-She is now in dock at Norfolk, and the examination of her bottom has shown slight injuries, which will cost \$2,000 to repair.

Wednesday, July 5. The Samoan commission has ranged to leave Apia July 14.

The weekly weather bulleti issued in Atlanta, shows that crops throughout Georgia are suffering from Governor Stevens has ordered a

vacancy in the Eighth Missouri district caused by the death of Congressman At Fort Thomas, Ky., orders have been received to arrange for mobilizing a

Cincinnati for that purpose. Jose E. Leon Castillo of Gautemala, who was once a candidate for the presidency and escaped from the country after an unsuccessful revolt against Barrios, has arrived at San Francisco.

Thursday, July 6. Elk City, Kan., is under water and many families have had to leave their

most complete steel plant in the west. duced by Governor Candler. George T. Winston, now president of

chanical college at Raleigh. Fighting at Barcelona, Spain, resulted in the wounding of three gendarmes and several rioters. Eighteen arrests were made. Martial law will probably

be declared. In a letter addressed to President Mc-Kinley, 110 prominent Chicago citizens declare the chief executive has violated a solemn pledge in his recent civil service order, and he is earnestly besought

married at Elizabeth, N. C., to Mrs. Hattie Taylor, sister-in-law of ex-Governor Bob Taylor of Tennessee. The war department has been notified of the death at Santiago de Cuba of Major John Heatwole, chief commissary there, he having succumbed to an at-

tack of yellow fever. Parham H. Mabry, who stole \$15,000 while agent of the Southern Express company at Brunswick, Ga., and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary, has been pardoned by the gov-

A study of the details of exports from the United States during the fiscal year just ended, the bureau of statistics says, shows that every part of the world has evinced an increased desire for American products. The standing committee of the Epis-

copal diocese of Alabama, in session at

of Chicago is said to have been organized to build a railroad from Memphis The North Carolina Bar association ended its first annual meeting at Moore-

head City with a banquet after electing Charles F. Warner president. Senator Hanna, in an interview at London, said he believed the next congress would provide for "sweeping the

Admiral Cervera and the other con manders of the Spanish fleet destroyed in the battle of Santiago, whose conduct has been the subject of inquiry by special courtmartial, have been acquitted and formally liberated. The quarterly report of the Georgia

state prison commission, just completed and filed with Comptroller General Wright, shows that the gross income to the state from this source for the first quarter amounts to over \$50,000.

cause the latter interfered in a dog fight. Several leading citizens of Guatemala, just arrived at San Francisco, confirm the reports that a revolution is threatened in that country. A letter has been sent to Admiral

him of the program citizens of Washington have arranged for his reception. Twenty cigar factories were shut down at Tampa, Fla., and 4,000 people thrown out of work as the result of a disagreement between owners and op-

Dewey, through Secretary Long, telling

a book on the operations of his cavalry during the civil war and it will be published for the benefit of the Wheeler cavalry camps throughout the south. Dr. E. Y. Mullins of Newton Center, Mass., has accepted the presidency of the Southern Baptist Theological seminary at Louisville, tendered him at a

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time without assistance, and, on the

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ham, Ala, was one of the speakers.

plauded in the community.

guard to be turned over to the state au-Arnold, who is a mere boy, only 19 years old, killed a comrade in the Third the Charges Are Exorbitant and a Kentucky, Private Herman Hunt, just before the regiment was mustered out here last May. According to the story, Washington, July 11.—The interstate he was cleaning an old Spanish Remcommerce commission yesterday begun ington rifle which he had traded for in Cuoa, when it was accidentally discharged, killing Hunt and costing an-

So far no evidence has developed suffifor murden, and the worst seems to be Arnold has not been mustered out of

Accus d of Marder.

trial for murder, or some lower degree

of criminal homicide. It was found im-

cambia County Men. MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 8 - A gang of slick swindlers have recently taught a good moral lesson. One of the swindlers came among some of the

snare, got together something less than | Every possible objection is

The poor fellow tarried at the door- themselves. od on the stand Mr. way for an hour or two and upon invesight the present tigation learned that the buncoman had the cause of Taylor. He is not only the tims and was gone.

In eight cities in Georgia, the names of which are withheld by the officials, large supplies of oil have been tested recently and found to burn at a point below the limit of 120 degrees Fahrenheit,

and illegal by the law of the state. RICHARDSON LAID TO REST All Columbia Turns Out to Pay COLUMBIA, S. C., July 8.—Citizens of Columbia, with friends and relatives

were at halfmast, and all the officials attended the funeral in a body. The members of Camp Hampton, United removed from the apartments in the

steamship companies to supply the vestaken to Camden, where the interment took place in a lot selected by the gov-The Transatlantic company has been

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 8.—Thomas committed suicide at the Charlotte hotel by shooting himself with a pistol. The bullet passed through his head, the side. He was agent of the Stimpson be pulling through the prettiest park in thorities have been communicated with. Scale company of Eikhart, Ind., and

MONTGOMERY, Ala., July 8 .- Gov-Printing company of Birmingham the contract for the publication of the Ala-95. The Dispatch company assumes to

tendent of public schools at Birming in 12, 18 and 24 months. Lee and Gomez In Luck.

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GREAT SYSTEMS OMBINE? | CURRENT WEEK'S DOINGS.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 7 .- The Age-"An Associated Press dispatch from Louisville yesterday afternoon says it is rumored there that J. M. Culp, traffic manager of the Southern railway, with headquarters in Washington, will befar as the governorship is concerned, come traffic manager of the Louisville

railroad to accept a similar position with Colonel Stone and Judge Pratt are still the Louisville and Nashville. Instead by the railways in favor of Norfolk and against Charleston both on products be determined. In the event of his action against Charleston both on products be determined. In the event of his action in the event of his action in the event of his action in the minority. They are now working the case, The Age-Herald has it from an apparently reliable

"While no official antiorncement will

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will be permitted on the market if the the vigilance of the department can prevent it. When the legislature con-

From Consolidating.

The state's attorney immediate's

charter of the Consolidated Street Cail-

and Sister, Cancht.

The boy traveled over 20 miles within

in the state court for \$2,000 damages. The Southern will file Fictition for the removal of the case to it United States court and believes Julie Ewart will

JACKSON, Miss., July 2.- The Cumberland Telephone and Belegraph company has purchased the exchange wires and good will of the People's Telephone company, a local concest, and assumed active control this miring. A fierce netic, full of life nerve and vigor, take No To | rate war had been in progress between

from the Sixteenth Alabama senatorial district to fill the unexpired term of

Governor McLaurin is leading his opponents, Allen and Williams, in the Mississippi senatorial contest.

special election for Aug. 29 to fill the

new regiment for the Philippines and recruiting offices have been opened in

A company has just been organized at St. Louis to build the largest and A great crowd heard Hon. W. J. Bryan speak at Gainesville, Ga., on 'Pending Problems." He was intro-

the University of Texas, has been elected president of the Agricultural and Me-

to revise the order at once.

Friday, July 7. Colonel N. E. Harris of Macon was

Mobile, gave canonical consent to the consecration of Rev. Joseph M. Francis, bishop of Indiana, and Rev. Arthur L. Williams, bishop coadjutor of Nebraska. Saturday, July 8. A company headed by Edwin Woods

rebels out of every nook of the Philip-

Monday, July 10. At Augusta, Ga., James Wiseman killed Police Officer John Spalding be-

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