ils General, Local, But All of Some Importance.

WANTS A DISPENSARY,

in the Senate to Instruct Senators and Representatives for Free

SENATE:

Montay, At 4 o'clock the House The hall was as clean as a pin the committee on microbes reportht all had been killed. alls were introduced:

Iv House To amend the election Victoring duties now devolving herefork of the court upon the abounthy-To extend the Act for of sheriffs and tax collectors

ron, of Cleveland To repeal sec-100 1 . chapter 203, Acts 1891. To incorporate Robbinsville,

by adopted: "That when the Legtere adjourns Tuesday it adjourn

testimony in the Mecklenburg | the consent of land-owner. in ted election cases was filed. The Person-To amend the Code in releation's committee was called to meet I gard to mayors acting as justices of the a once to take up the case.

and a bill to prevent public ate at noon Tuesday go into the election for Senator.

ol not less than SIO or be tion of Senator adopted. d upon complaint before any | weapons was tabled. hall issue a warrant of ar-

ar. Senate met at 11 o'clock, and Governor Reynolds presid-

Valedield To prohibit the sale of

The time having arrived for the elecfor or a Senator, all other matters were

Cabb the journal of Tuesday was read political meetings from willful inter- was tabled by a unanimous vote. and approved. A few petitions were ruption and disturbance. introduced which are of very little importance to the general public. Bills and less believes were then intro- duty.

diced and referred as follows: Justice Bill to repeal chapter 277, lating to sales by trustees and mort- taxes.

Newsome To amend chapter 317 of or the bill. haws of 1889, relating to bridges and

(880), relating to pensions. posed of: Bill to amend section 2784 of require seats to be provided for salesthe Code. Passed second and third women in stores.

The President then announced that the Senate would repair to the House | capital cases, of Depresentatives to vote for United States Senator. SDAY Senate met at 12 o'clock | year's support. and the letteral of Wednesday was read

Mitchell, of Franklin introduced a Louisburg and the township of Lduis- cial Pauk of Marion.

After the reports of the standing committees, bills were introduced and re-

Ashburn Resolution to investigate Carolina public schools.

Alexander To prevent the for-' McCaskey moved to have the reform-

atory bill for young criminals printed. Chark By request-bill in regard to catching fish in Columbus county. Also bill in regard to the trapping

and killing of deer in Columbus coun-Abell - That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be intructed to

of silver at 16 to 1.

the currency of the country. The calendar was then taken up and the following bills and resolutions were disposed of:

Bill to reconstruct committees in Ionmally passed over. Bill for the relief of L. M. Morrison, ex-heriff of Cabarrus county. Passed

second and third readings. Bill to pay J. M. Early's expenses as contesting Senator in 1895. Passed second and third readings.

. Bill instructing Senators and Representatives to vote for the free and unlimited coinage of silver at 16 to 1. Mr. Grant moved to make this bill the spe-

Abell-Bill to amend section 1357 of The Code, relating to depositions.

Newsom—Bill to abolish Hertford In
Till to magistrates'
mayors' courts. ferior Court.

Parker, of Alamance-Bill to incor-porate the Pinehurst Railroad Com-Moye-To amend chapter 380, laws of 1889, relating to liens on canal com-

Justice-To incorporate the Levi Bank, of Rutherfordton. Mitchell-To levy a special tax in Rollins-Bill to regulate the law in regard to the dissection of dead bodies.

Early—Bill to amend chapter 235, laws of 1895, relating to fisheries.

one-legged Confederate soldier, allowing him to peddle without license, passed second and third readings.

Bill for the relief of J. L. Stewart, a one-legged Confederate veteran, allowing him to peddle without license, also passed second and third readings.

HOUSE. MONDAY. - Senate met at 4 o'clock. Ir Alexander, of Tyrell, offered the lits committee on microbes reported them destroyed. Bills and resolutions were introduced as follows:

Clark-To prohibit the sale of liquor more of tien. Robert E. Lee, as a within 200 feet of any church in North thing memorial to his life and charac- | Carolina; also to amend the act prohibiting hunting in Union county without

Anderson -For the relief of ex-Sheriff Grant, of Henderson. we cal venire as other jurors are | Smathers - A resolution that the Sen-

The following bills and resolutions and public meeting shall be guilty were disposed of:

lemeanor and upon conviction . The resolution in regard to the elecmed not less than 30 days or Bill to prohibit the sale of concealed

The bill to incorporate the Cabarrus Savings Bank was taken up. Grant thought the bill should go before a committee before action. Smathers the prayer by Rev. Mr. Daniel, | said it had no unusual features and of Monday was read and ap- | asked that it be passed. Mitchell said he agreed with Grant. After some dis-Ball resolutions were introduced | cussion the bill was passed. A message came from the House con-

In regard to the probate of taining a resolution that when the Senate and House adjourn Tuesday they do so in honor of Gen. R. E. Lee. nor near a church in Burke county. There was some discussion, as the elecang bill of Person, colored, Ition of Senator was to be taken up at taken un and discussed, but was noon, but the resolution was finally Person, of Edgecombe, introduced a Tuesday. House was opened with election returns passed, as did a bill to as follows:

bell fore tablish another voting precinct | prayer by Rev. R. H. Whittaker. The | incorporate Hamlet, and a bill to allow in the above county. Clark, Populist, day was, with the exception of inauguopposed the bill, and it lost on second ration day, the most interesting of the and build a jail. session thus far, and the galleries and resolution was adopted directing lobbies were filled, owing to it being house keepers a lien upon all baggage the doorkeeper to keep the Senate clock | the day set apart for the election of Senator

> Bills were introduced as follows: of grants of lands by the State. Lusk - To regulate service of process keeper had no right to seize property

who are funeral directors from jury

Murphy-For the protection of hotels and boarding house-keepers. Laws of 1895, relating to divorces; also | Pinnix -To allow ex-Sheriff Kelto repeal chapter 117, I aws of 1895, re- ley, of Yadkin to collect arrears of town of Vineland, Columbus county.

Bill to allow Robeson county to levy Walter - Eifl relating to probates of a special tax passed third reading. mathers. To amend chapter 277 of Buncombe, on the pension lists caused the laws of 1895, in regard to divorces. | some debate, but no action was taken

WEDNESDAY. - House met at 11 yony. To amend chapter 198, among them, favorably, the bill to repeal the Act for aid to the State Fire-

> Fills were introduced as follows: McKenzie-To pay special venires in Duffy-To amend The Code regard-

Wemvss-To designate the duties and fix the compensation of boards of county commissioners.

petition asking for a dispensary law for | Conley-To incorporate the Commer-Harris, of Halifax -To repeal the act requiring sworn statements of election

Sutton, of New Hanover-To allow active firemen at Wilmington; the amount of their city pell tax.

the use of the several histories in North |. Person, of Wayne, offered a resolution to prevent the sending of any committees to visit the penal and charitable estate of goods sold on the installment institutions of the State. It was, on motion of McKenzie, referred to the finance committee. A resolution was also introduced to pay \$88 to the persons who in November compiled the

tion in two townships in Cumberland charged with being drunk on the bench, county was read, and then at noon the Senate entered, to hold a joint session ported that there was no ground for the and elect a Senator. THURSDAY - House met at 11 o'clock

of local importance. Among those Butler To prevent discrimination in worthy of mention are these: Hancock-To amend the charter of

Newbern. Hare-To make it a felony to steal any election bill or other official record of election.

White, of Alamance to protect birds in Randolph and Davidson. ators and Representatives in Congress to work for the repeal of the tax on fruit a reduction in working time and wages.

McBryde-To amend the Robeson county stock law. Ferguson-To amend the divorce law. so if a man is in jail his wife can re-

cial order for Tuesday next at 12 The bill to allow clerk of Superior o'clock. The motion of Mr. Grant was Court to appoint deputies who can probate wills, deeds, etc., was takan up, Grant, by unanimous consent, intro- applying to Columbus, Craven, Hendaced a joint resolution that the presi- derson, Cabarrus, Buncombe, Daviddent of the Sepate appoint five Sena-tors and the speaker of the House ap-point eight to consider the election law son, Wilson, Richmond, Madison, Perpoint eight to consider the election law son, Wilson, Richmond, Madison, Peraud the subject of county government. quimans, Edgecombe, Randolph, The bill passed second and third read- Vance' Granville, Polk, Caswell, Halifax. It was re-commmitted in order TRIDAY.—Sensete net at 12 o'clock, Lieutenant Governor Reynolds presiding Journal of Thursday was read and approved. Bills of most support of the higher court the explosion. At the time of the explosion of the explosio

party to the action. It does not appry to magistrates' courts, city courts or

Bill to provide that guardians, administrators and executors who misappropriate funds are liable to indictment

Pritchard Gets Eighty-Six Votes on for embezzlement was passed, after Mr. Lusk had explained it and stated that it was eminently just and greatly need-

Bill to protect furnishers of material or contractors, by amending the laborers' lien, was discussed, but it went to

Bill was passed to allow Robeson county's commissioners to hire or farm out the chain gang, no females to be laws of 1895, relating to fisheries.

The calendar was then taken up and the following bills and resolutions were disposed of:

The bill was passed exempting from jury duty undertakers. The bill to incorporate the Carolina Exchange Bank at Monroe was tabled.

Petree—To give deputy clerks of the Superior Court power to probate deeds Pritchard's nomination was seconded and conveyances. grounds from the ravages of poultry,

ready been paid. wilfully disturb a political meeting came up on third reading, and after considerable talk on the bill properly to the control of the Commonweal army to considerable talk on the bill properly to the control of the agreement had not yet been ratified.

The control of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. Of the agreement had not yet been ratified to which no objection was offered. considerable talk on the bill pro and

committee. to its second reading by a vote of 82 test.

Bill to allow register of deeds to aplicenses was tabled. Bill to reduce the pay of registers of deeds to 10 cents per sheet for recording | cluded the ballot was proceeded with | the scarcity of work.

A bill to give hotel and bearding tion of guests and power to sell the same | joint session to declare the result... within 30 days, provided the board is

c'clock, Lieutenant-Governor Reynolds in criminal actions; to protect game unless it was worth over \$500. The bill ate: Pritchard, 762; Thompson, 24; presiding. After prayer by Rev. Mr. and song birds in this State; to protect had a favorable committee report, but Doughton. 27. Pritchurd, therefore, The bill to reduce salaries of clerks of McKenzie-To, exempt undertakers the House from \$5 to \$4 per day came up with a favorable report. Mr. Sutton,

of New Hanover, moved to table. Lost, ayes 27, noes 71. By unanimous consent Mr. Schulker introduced a bill to incorporate the

## GEN. NUNEZ GETS OFF.

A bill to put a man named Nail, of No True Bill Against the Prime Mover in Getting Out Cuban Expe-

Gen. Emilo Nunez, the prime mover e'clock. Many bills were reported, in getting out all expeditions from this country to aid the Cubans in their The valendar was then taken up and men's Relief Association; also bill to struggle for freedom, has no more to ker is a bolting Populist. few folls and resolutions were dos- punish public drunkenness, and bill to fear from the grand jury of the United ported that it had failed to find a true Democrats had tried to effect a union shortened from three to two years, been placed under bond in the sum of Populists had passed the offer by un- being the first executive to fill the office ing appeals from assignments of widows \$1,000 by Commissioner Eagan last heeded. September on a charge of aiding in spies and testified against Gen. Nunez at the hearing before the commissioner, and it was on their testimony that he Brown explained his vote. He said the Chicago Tribune, was \$33,670,120. was held for the grand jury. The same that he recognized the pledge made two This shows a gain of \$4,000,000 over negroes, with five others, appeared be- years ago by the Populists and there- 1895 and \$13,000,000 over 1894. It is a fore the grand jury last Saturday and fore voted for Pritchard. gave their testimony. The jury was "no true bill" was the verdict.

Georgia Judges Get Off.

The committee which has been in- 62; Doughton, 27; Thompson, 24. vestigating the conduct of Judges Seaborn Reese and Joel Sweat has made gressman Pearson said: "Not a man A bill to provide for a stock law electits report. Judge Reese, who was impeachment of either judge, but some of the members will express censure of dience of 2,000 to 2,500 people filled the judge in his course toward Mrs. Crosby and Miss Bradley at Indian Springs.

The recommendation of the reduction of rates on fertilizers in Georgia is viewed with alarm by railroad em-Hare (resolution)—Instructing Sen- ployes. It means a reduction in rail- vibrate. road earnings, and they fear as a result To avoid such an unfortunate condition, the employes of the different lines of railroads in that State have prepared an address to the railroad commission, which will be accompanied by peti-

Coast Fortification. Gen. Craighill, chief of engineers, has just returned to Washington from cipal points inspected were St. Augus- the northern part of the city and as far the severity of the weather. ance introduced and referred were: shall be sent up at the request of either isfactory progress is noted generally.

First Ballot.

Democrats Voted for Daughton and the Populists for Cy Thompson .--Pritchard Received 17 Pop. Votes.

and lobbies were filled, the excitement At present a number of the States

'Senator Smathers, of Haywood, arose and put in nomination Senator Pritch-By leave Mr. Hancock introduced a ard. He said Pritchard was the "dadbill to amend The Code as to the pharmaceutical association.

Friday.—House met at 10 o'clock. A great many bills were introduced, nearly all local in character. Among those of general interest were these:

Wilson—To change the time of holding courts in Gaston, Stanley and Mecklenburg counties.

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Wilson—To change the time of holding the said the Populists owed him their support anyway as a debt of gratitude. He said the Populists owed him their support anyway as a debt of gratitude. He said the Populists of the Plans Mass-Meetings for February and they ought to vote for the Republicanian to the Plans Mass-Meetings for February and they ought to vote for the Republicanian the populists of the Plans Mass-Meetings for February and they ought to vote for the Republicanian the populists of the Plans Mass-Meetings for February and they ought to vote for the Republicanian the populists of the Plans Mass-Meetings for February and they ought to vote for the Republicanian the populists of the Plans Mass-Meetings for February and they ought to vote for the Republicanian the populists of the Plans Mass-Meetings for February and Plans Meetings for February and Plans Meetings for February and Plans Meetings for

by the negro Senator from Edgecombe, Lawhon - To protect, cultivated who said he wanted a colored man for Senator, but not ten negroes in North Carolina voted for Populists to come by making it a misdemeanor to allow poultry to go on or remain on such ground after one day's notice by its owner.

Carolina voted for Proplinsts to come here except to vote for Pritchard. If eral Jacob's. Coxey, calling for a section of the Populists voted against Pritchard ond assembling of the unemployed they would never see Raleigh again ex-

who carried election returns of election to the county seat; that not to apply to counties where such officers have al-

Wakefield, of Caldwell, (Populist) | Washington. con, it was re-referred to the judiciary | stated that five out of six of his constituents were Republicans who favor The special order, bill to incorporate | co-operation. He seconded the nomi- lamation, calls upon the unemployed the Moore County & Western Railroad | nation of Pritchard, and said it was | workingmen of everycity and hamlet in Company was taken up and discussed. selfishness gone to seed for Populists | the United States to assemble in the

nomination of Thompson. He said the of these meetings is to demonstrate in point register who can issue marriage | Populist party breathed breath into the | the most practical manner the extent of dead carcass of the Republican party.

Pritchard, 24; Thompson, 17; Dough-Caldwell county to levy a special tax ton, 7. Pritchard having failed to receive a majority there was no elec-

Wednesday the two houses met in The following Populist Senators votnot paid, was taken up. Mr. Jusk said ed for Pritchard; Baker. Cameron, rescue fund, arrived in New York on Sutton To regulate the registration it was clearly unconstitutional, as it Early, Newcome, Odum and Wakeviolated the homestead law, that a hotel | field

The following is the vote in the Senreceived eighty-six votes, a majority of In the House, at noon, Representa-

tive Luck, of Buncombe, placed Senator Pritchard in nomination in an eulogistic speech. He said he never regretted having voted for Marion But- that the Armenians, goaded to despera- crats. The House also met. Penrose re-Ier and that he was a worthy Sena-

Representative Schulken nominated | sequence. Dr. Cy Thompson, He invited all Democrats to come to the support of

nomination of Pritchard. When he nominated Pritchard and stated he was the choice of the Populists of Eastern North Carolina, the applause was deafening and lasted several seconds. Par-

Dr. Dixon, of Cleveland, nominated Lieutenant-Governor Rufus A. Doughbill against him. Gen. Nunez had of all the silver legislators, but the Gov. Morton, who was elected in 1894,

The voting in the House was about as setting on foot the expedition alleged expected. Brower voted for Pritchard, to have been carried out from the New | but almost inaudibly. Bryan, of Chat-Jersey coast by the Eteamer Laurada, | ham, and all the other bolting Populists Several negro men employed on the save Fagan voted for Pritchard. Those en by private individuals to American steamer were bought by the Spanish | who did not vote were Cox, Dockery, | educational and religious institutions,

fore voted for Pritchard. | wonderful showing and it only tells a Claude Dockery asked to be excused | small part of the whole story of the givevidently not satisfied with this, for from voting. He stated that under ing of the year; for it takes no account certain conditions he could not vote of gifts less than \$1,000, Colleges refor Pritchard and that those conditions ceived one-half of the whole sum, or had developed.

The vote in the House was Pritchard, next, receiving \$10,(0),000. Pritchard men are jubilant. Condisappointed us. Every one voted as we expected."

Cheered Cuba Libre.

At Charleston, S. C., Monday, an aufor Cuba and demanding the recogni. laying to discover the anonymous lettion of the insurgents and to cheer ter writer. Appeal to the Railroad Commission. Cuban Libre. The audience was a most sympathetic and responsive one and the pent-up enthusiasm frequently

Collector of Customs.

Senate the nomination of Thomas D. Bynum, of North Carolina, to be collector of customs for the District of Albermarle, N. C.

Great Fire and Explosion. At Mobile, Ala., the planing mill of the Dixie Mill company was burned.

### WRITES TO GOVERNORS.

Comptreller Eckles Wants Them to Recommend Changes in Legislation to Secure Bank Statistics.

James H. Eckles, Comptroller of the Treasury, has sent a letter to the Governors of all the States asking them to recommend legislation to secure uni-formity in the collection of banking statistics in the different States.

The revised statutes authorize the Comptroller to make a statement in his annual report exhibiting the resources and liabilities of banks and banking laws of 1895, relating to fisheries.
The calendar was then taken up and that the public law forbade such employment of females.
The bill relating to the meetings of countities, passed second and third readings.

Bill for the relief of N. T. Johnson, a one-legged Confederate soldier, allow
mittee.

employed on the roads. It was shown that the public law forbade such employment of females.

The bill to pay a per diem to persons and savings banks, organized under the laws of the several States.

At Raleigh, N. C., Tuesday proving the law of the laws of the several States and Territories.

The bill to pay a per diem to persons and the laws of the several States and Territories.

Reynolds rapped on his desk and approved in capital cases, the same as other jurous was taken up and discussed, but was re-referred to the judiciary committee.

make no provisions for the submission of reports from banks and bankers to any officer of State. In North Carolina the statistics of banks and banking are collected by the

The most important feature of the conference of the leaders in the Commonweal conference, which was held in St. Louis, Mo., is a resolution of Gen-Meares—Topay registrars and judges of election \$1.50 each for services last effection day and \$1.50 each to persons of the map.

Maxwell, of Duplin, for the Populists nominated Thompson, a man as honest branches, not only of Congress, but of ton, of Alleghenny. He referred to his short, General Coxey's resolution is a in regard to the treaty of arbitration just endar of pension bills and of other bills The bill making it a misdemeanor to ability and legislative experience and revival of the agitation of a couple of concluded with the United States, that he

This resolution, which is destined to become as famous as Coxev's first proc-After several amendments it was passed to expect the Senatorship in this con- public square or other public places on February 25. Washington's birthday, Atwater, of Chatham, seconded the in open mass-meetings. The purpose distress and destitution prevailing The nominations having been con- throughout the country by reason of

WILL WIPE OUT ARMENIANS. An American Gives His Idea of Their

Future. : W. William Howard, who went to Turkey in the interest of the Armenian the St. Louis Saturday. He states that he sent 12,000 Armenians to Russia, Bulgaria and Egyptewhile abroad.

"England and the United States have contributed nobly to the relief of the Armenians," he said, "but neither France nor Germany has yet contri-Mr. Howard thinks that after all, the

tion, will uprise and commit some overt

act, and suffer extermination as a con-

This Year's Elections. There will be only five gubernatorial Parker, of Perquimans, who was elections in the United States this year. hardly able to stand, seconded the Rhode Island leads the way on April 7, and on the 2d of November will be followed by Iowa, Massachusetts, Ohio and Virginia. The gubernatorial term in Rhode Island and Massachusetts is one year in length, in Jowa and Ohio two years, and in Virginia four years. New York would have chosen a gover-States Court for the southern district on on behalf of the Democrats in a been retained, but under the new innor in 4807 if the old constitution had of Florida, for the grand jury has re- magnificent speech. He stated that the strument the gubernatorial term is

for the briefer period.

Private Donations. The aggregate amount of money givthat he recognized the pledge made two This shows a gain of \$4,000,000 over \$16,000,000, and the charities came

Woman Frightened to Death. White aps placed an unsigned note date for the nomination of Mayor of Philaon R. A. Parker's porch in Pitt county, North Carolina, telling him if he did not leave the county in thirty days he would be killed. His wife found the note. She went into spasms and died in a few hours. Parker had convicted vote for the free and unlimited coinage Many bills were introduced, nearly all Judge Sweat for conduct unbecoming a Academy of Music to listen to the elo- one Walston for killing his hog and quent speeches expressing sympathy hauling it away. The authorities are

> Worried Over Ugly Pictures. The Ohio Legislature is to consider a

burst forth in cheers which made the bill to prohibit the promiscuous disrafters of the picturesque old building tributions by patent medicine venders of pamphlets and bills describing symptoms of disease. There are cases of well persons having worried themselves The President Monday sent to the into a decline over fancied symptoms, and people of weak nerves are no doubt much worried by seeing these ugly pictures and uglier descriptions of

Heavy Snow Storms.

Heavy snow storms prevail throughout Great Eritain and show no signs of abatement. In Scotland the snow cov-During the progress of the fire sparks ers the ground to an average depth of an extensive tour of inspection of for- from the mill set fire to the city maga- two feet. There has been heavy loss of tine, Miami, Key West, Tampa, and Pensacola in Florida; Savannah, Ga.; out as the convent in Summerville, about nine miles from the scene of the west have been severe, and at this writ-Charleston, S. C., and Wilmington, N. explosion. At the time of the explo-

heavy snow falls.

# QUEEN ON ARBITRATION. The Proceedings Briefly Told From

Refers With Gratification to the Treaty With the United States.

BRITISH PARLIAMENT OPENED.

The Speech From the Throne Read in

the House of Lords. Senator Edward O. Wolcott, of Colorado, was in the "distin-

That part of the Queen's speech devoted to the arbitration treatles was as follows: "My Government has discussed with the United States, acting as a friend of Venezuela, the terms whereunder pending questions of the disputed frontier between that republic and my colony of British Guiana may be equitably submitted to arbitration, and an arrangement has been arrived at with that Government which will, I trust, effect an adjustment of existing controversies without exposing to risk the interests of any of the colonists whose established rights are in the disputed territory.

Was not taken up. Turpie began his third day's argument against the Nicaraugan canal bill. Mr. Morgan, (Dem.) of Alabama, wanted a day set for the final vote, but objection was made by Turpie and Vilas. Finally, a vote of years and nays showed an absence of a quorum, so the Senate adjourned until Friday.

FRIBAY.—The recognition of Cuba was brought up by Mr. Turpie (Dem.)

I hope that this arrangement way have further value in commending to other pow-

number of small differences, which, sometimes exaggerated, caused irratation and enmity. The tribunal of arbitra-Lord Salisbury pictured the nations groaning under excessive armaments, and declared that the Government believe! the measure they had taken was valuable in that it would lead to the graiual disappeargrowth of the tendency to substitute back upon. In conclusion, Lord Salisbury will be so successful that others more extenive and more successful will be made." The Prime Minister was heartily cheered when

he finished his speech. PENROSE, FROM PENNSYLVANIA.

Cameron. The galleries were crowded at Harrisburg, Penn., when the State Senate, met to east its Cameron. . Boies Penrose received the votes European powers will not interfere, and



ceived 168 votes, Black 33, and ex-Postmaster General John Wanamaker, of Probal liphia, 1 vote. Both bodies met in joint session next

day and concluded the election of Boles Pen- favor-sby the proprietor of the estab-Boies Penrose is a son of the famous Dr. Penrose. He was born in Philadelphia an i studied at Harvard, and was gradiented with high honors. He practiced law in Philalelphia, and was elected a member of the Pennsylvania Legislature in 1885. In 1887 began to say to the restaurant-keeper; he was elected as a member of the State Senate. In 1895 Mr. Penrose was a candi-

MASON WINS IN ILLINOIS

Ex-Congressman. William E. Mason, of Chleago, was nominated by acciamation for the United States Senate from Illinois to succeed John M. Palmer, at the joint Republican caucus at | this soup, that you are unable to est Springfield, all other candidates withdraw- it?"

ing when it became apparent that Malon would have a majority. The Democrats voted for ex-Governor Altgeld. William E. Mason was born in Frank inville, Cattaraugus County, N. Y., in 1853. In 1858 he removed with his parents to Iows. He studied law in Des Moines, and remove! to Chicago in 1872. He was elected to the State House of Representatives in 1879, and lember if he had waited for his to the State Senate in 1831. He was elected to the Fiftieth Congress and re-elected to the Fifty-first Congress, and was defeated for the Fifty-second Congress by Allen C. Dur-Olympian Games Will Be Repeated. borow, Jr.

Vest Re-Elected.

At Jefferson City both houses vote! separately for United States Senator from Missouri. The ballot resulted as follows: In

It is again proposed to raise Gladstone to the peerage, but somehow we

### NO. 4.

FIFTY-FOURTH CONGRESS Day to Day.

SENATE. Tuesday-The Nicaragua bill was for two hours. Turpie, (Dem.) of Indiana, denounced the bill. Mr. Hill, (Dem.) of New York, spoke for an hour and a half on a joint resolution relating to the electric sub-ways in the District of Columbia. The matter went over without action. Monday next was fixed

Joint Session in the House of Lords—
Salisbury Lauds Ark tration—treaty
Diminishes the Risks of War—Brings
Nations Together—Address Cheered.
Lords, England (By Cable).—The third session of the Fourteenth Parhament was opened Tuesday with the usual ceremonies, including the formality of searching the vaults of the Parliament buildings for possible Guy Fawkes. United States Ambassador Bayard and Secretary Carter were present in the House of Lords. Senator Edward O.

without action. Monday next was fixed upon as the day for the delivery of seulogies upon the late Speaker Crisp.

Wednesday, The Senate passed the custom house bill for the erection of a new custom house at New York at a cost not exceeding five million dollars. They are still hammering at the Pacific railroad matter. As to the lines between Venezuela and British Guinea, it was referred to the committee on forcing affairs. Turple (Dem.), of Indiana, continued his onslaught on the Nicaragua canal bill. The legislative appropriation bill was passed.

Thursday—An unsuccessful attempt

THURSDAY-An unsuccessful attempt was made by Mr. Hill, backed by Mr. guished strangers' gallery" in the House of | Chandler, to have a bill considered and passed fixing the term of all postmasters at four years. Mr. Hale, (Rep.) of Maine, objected and the bill was not taken up. Turpie began his

the disputed territory. was brought up by Mr. Turpie (Dem.), "It is with much gratification that I have of Indiana, saying he would call up was brought up by Mr. Turpie (Dem ). concluded a treaty for general arbitration with the President of the United States by which I trust that all differences that may arise between us will be peacefully adjusted.

I hope that this arrangement way have out of order, and the matter was ers the consideration of the principle by dropped. The Nicaraguan bill was

SATURDAY .- The Senate devoted it-The Marquis of Salisbury said in response | self to the business of clearing the cal-He hoped, however, that something would single exception. There were 104 of be done to diminish the risk of war. He them and it regired only 95 minutes to would not say that the treaty would remove dispose of them. Of the latter class of the greatest risks of war or restrain a Na- bills there were some 50 passed. Among poleon or Bismarck, but the policy with the above appropriations was a bill to the United States was full of an indefinite build a lighthouse at the pitch of the tion would settle these differences. for the public building at Norfolk, Va.

Monday. -The House spent the day in consideration of miscellaneous matance of vast atmaments before the ters, business of the District of Columbia occupying the greater portion of udicial decisions for the coarse arbitrament the session. The bill amending the of war. This would be something to look | patent laws along the lines proposed by the American Bar Association to give to said: "I hope that the effort, small as it is, the United States the benefit of devices patented by naval officers was passed. TUESDAY. - The House spent the whole of the day's session in committee

of the whole considering private pen-

sion bills. Favorable action was taken

upon fifty-two of them, one being the

Senate bill to increase to \$100 a month Elected United States Senator to Succeed | the pension of Major General Julius H. WEDNESDAY .- The House taken up the contested election case of Jacob Yost vs. H. St. George Tucker, from vote for a successor to United States Senator | the tenth district of Virginia for the possession of a seat in the Fifty-fourth of the forty-two Republicans present and Congress, and a majority of the compartial agreement of the conferees on the army appropriation bill was reported and agreed to, the House insisting

> upon further disagreement to the Senate amendments still in dispute. Bills were passed anthorizing the construction of bridges across the Cumberland and Tennessee rivers in Kentucky; authorizing the Secretary of War to grant certificates showing the service of telegraphers in the war for

the union. THURSDAY-Today after members of the House, including fifty-three Republicans, had voted in accordance with the recommendation of the majority of the committee on elections that Mr. Tucker was entitled to retain his seat as a member of the Fifty-fourth Congress from the tenth Virginia district, which was contested by Mr. Yost, (Rep.) two hours were spent in making the vote effective and finally settling

FRIDAY. - Today was private bill day in the House, and the only work of public interest done was the passing of the Texas judicial district bills over the veto.

Haste Wastes Time,

in his speech was dining in a restau-

rant, and was being served-a great

A gentleman who had an impediment

shment. This man was a bustling, nervous person, with an exaggerated opinion of the value of his time. Soup was served. The guest walted a moment, and at the first opportunity,

"I c-c-c-an't e-e-c-ea--" "Well, what is it, sir?" asked the restaurant-keeper, impatiently. "I c-c-an't eat my sour-The man snatched up the Mate of

The Republican Caucus Nominates the in due time he brought; but again the guest began to murmur; "I c-c-c-an't eat my soup-" "Well, pray," asked the restaurant keeper, "what may be the matter with

soup and was off after another; which

"I c-c-c-can't ea-ea-eat .my soup. I t-t-tell you," answered the guest, "w-w-withou-ou-out a sp-p-p-poon to

cat it with!" Then the restaurant-keeper comprehended that he would have saved time stammering guest to finish his sen-

The Greek government will introduce in the Legislative Assembly during the coming session a bill providing for the holding of Olympic games in the Stadion every four years. If this bill becomes a law it will assure the repetition of the games which so many were interested in this year. M. G. Averoff, ... the wealthy Greek merchant, who in part restored the Stadion for the games this year, has written to the Crown Prince of Greece, offering 3,-500,000 drachmas (about \$690,000) towards its reconstruction in marble.