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TRAINE GOING SOUTH. Leave Weldon 11 52 am, 9 43 pm. Arrive Rocky Mount 12 55 am, 10 36 pm. Leave Tarboro 12 12 am, 6 01 p m. Leave Rocky Mount 1 00 am, 10 36 pm

6 45 pm, 5 49 am, 12 47 pm. Leave Wilson 2 20 am, 11 16 pm, 7 17 pm, 622 am, 237 pm. Leave Seima 3 15 am:

Leave Fayetteville 4 47 am, 1 12 pm. Arrive Florence 7 35 am, 3 15 pm. Arrive Goldsbore 8 00 pm. Leave Goldsboro 7 01 am, 3 20 pm. Leave Magnolia 8 05 am, 4 24 pm.

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eaves Weldon 3 55 pm, Halifax 4 30 pm, arrives Scotland Neck 520 pm, Greenville 657 pm, Kinston 7 55 pm. Returning leaves Kinson 750 am, Greenville 852 am, arriving Halifax 11 18 am, Weldon II 33 am, daily ex-Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8 20 am and 2 30 pm, arrive Parmele

9 10 am and 4 00 pm, returning leave Parmele 9 35 am and 6 30 pm, arrive Washington 11 00 am and 7 20 pm, daily except Sunday. Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday 5:30 pm, Sunday 4:15 pm, arrives Plymouth 7 40 pm, 6 10 pm, Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday 7 50 am, Sunday 2 00 am, arrives Tarboro 10 05 am and

dany except Sunday 110 am, arriving Smithfield 8 30 am. Returning leaves Smithfield 9 00 am, arrives at Goldsboro 18 3 Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky

Mount at 4 36 pm, arrive Nashville 5 05 pm, Spring Hope 5 30, pm. Returning leave Spring Hope 8 00 am, Nashville 8 35 am, arrive at Rocky Mount 9 05 am, daily except Sunday. Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw

for Clinton daily, except Sunday, 11 20 a m and 4 15 pm. Returning leaves Clinton at 700 am and 300 p m. Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily, all rail via Richmond.

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Mother and Daughter Murdered. Near Burlington, Ia., Mrs. Mary Rathburn, a widow lady, and her 12year-old daughter, Mary, were found murdered at their home. Several arrests have been made, and the police are actively engaged in running down clues. The widow woman was of good reputation, but poor, and no motive but the outrage of the daughter can be surmised.

Suicided by Shooting Himself. At Richmon Va., Upsur B. Quinby, of Onancock | committed suicide by shooting himself. He had been suffering from meianchol

He-I envy the man who sang the tenor solo. She-Way, I thought he had a very poor voice. He-So did I. But just think of his nerve!

Negroes of an Entire County Ordered to Move Out

NEVER COME BACK.

Prominent Colored Man, in an Open Letter to His Race, Advises to Procure Arms and Killed the Lawless.

A special from Little Rock, Ark. says: Trouble between blacks and whites in Lonoke county is apprehended in the town of Lonokesville. Negroes have been killed by whites and others have been driven away. Notices have been tacked on the doors of nearly every negro cabin in town, and on many cabins in the surrounding country, ordering every negro in Lonoke county to leave Lonoke in thirty days and never come back, threatening to kill those who remain. The notices are not signed but are adorned with a skull and cross bones. Notices have also been placed on the doors of the ville for safe keeping. schools, warning the teachers to close the schools and leave. Many negroes but a large number have avowed their

purposs of remaining. One prominent colored man, in an \$75,000. open letter to his race, advised the colored men of Lonoke to supply themselves with arms and be prepared to protect themselves. "When the netwenty-five of these lawless white men, "said he, "the outrages against the negro race will stop and not until then." A white man of Lonoke re
includes towns without water-works or the smallest reported in the fourth week in January for five years past, how and in this case the provides for the abolishment of circuit provides for the abolishment of circuit week."

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situation as regards the race war in system. Lonoke county continues critical. Aced, negroes are leaving there in droves and business is almost at a standstill.

## TO FORM A COTTON TRUST,

Cotton Growers to be Organized to

Reduce the Acreage. Price, McCormick & Co., of New kers in the country, are urging a plan \$200,000. to reduce the acreage and increase the price of cotton in the United States. If this is accomplished it will mean prac-

The plan is to organize the "Ameri- started in New York. can Cotton Growers' Mutual Protective Association," whose object will be to regulate the production so as to prevent loss. No capital is required for

the undertaking. Moral suasion will be brought to bear upon all the leading planters of the South looking toward the desired end. Congressmen from the South have been asked to become members of the

## MEN ARE DESPERATE.

lown of Six Thousand People Out of

Employment. Almost half the people of New Castle, he will expend \$200,000. Dal., are on the brink of starvation. Nearly three-fourths of the 6,000 inhabitants of the town depended on the sel of the North American Trust Comweeks before Christmas the works shut | in the board of directors. down and they have since been without alarming and the idle men are desper-

Two Killed; Many Wounded, The St. John train, No. 29, known for the farmers' interest. also as the Provisional Express, was wrecked in the cut at Orono Basin Mills, Me., and six cars, including the smoker, was turned topsy turvy into the ditch One of the passenger cars, in which were a large number of people, was almost entirely demolished. Two persons were killed and more than a score injured, several probably fatally.

First Indictment for Flirting. A Knoxville Tenn., dispatch, says The Knox county grand jury has indicted the first victim of the 'Johnny law," enacted by the Tennessee Legislature last year, making it a misdemeanor to flirt with school girls. The case, if tried, will probably go to the Supreme Court to test the constitutionality of the law, which infringes an inherent right to flirt with a girl.

No Smallpox in Charlotte. There is not now a single case of smallpox in Charlotte, N. C. Of the two cases supposed to be smallpox, one Train on Mid and N. C. Branch leaves is dead and the other is far outside the city limits in the house of detention. I transportation of

#### danger of contagion. Sued for \$40,000.

A Raleigh special to the Charlotte N. C.) Observer says Governor Russel has brought suit in the Superior her husband was carrying at his death, matter. Court against Vice-President Anderson, and she has dismissed the case. of the Southern Railway, for \$40,000 nating questions of the State Railroad Commission.

## Resist the Examination Act.

Attorneys representing twenty five of the strongest banking institutions in believed Fitzsimons will accept. Georgia have filed suits attacking the private banks, asking the courts to re examination.

## McKinley Touched the Button.

Last Saturday, in the presence of the entire California congressional delegation, Justice McKenna of the Supreme Court, Mrs. Leland Stanford and other ladies, President McKinley touched a telegraph key at the White House and opened the California golden jubilee at San Francisco.

#### Birthday Celebration. President McKinley celebrated his 55th birthday on the 20th of Jan. Post master-General Gary gave a Cabinel

dinner in his honor.

SNAP SHOTS AT THE NEWS.

The South. Rev. A. W. Moore, editor of the Centenary, died in Florence, S. C.

McCune's anti-flirting bill before the Virginia Legislature has been killed. hydrophobia.

Mooresville, N. C., route by July 1. Judge Thos. Henry Hines, ex-chief justice of the court of appeals and one Kentucky, is dead.

duction of wages.

The second trial of the wife of Gov-more firmly held. "Boots and shoes hold the late adernor Atkinson, of West Virginia, on indictments of perjury, will not take vance and manufacturers of heavy place until the latter part of May.

Tenn., has been arrested, charged with on large sales and firm receipts abroad. grave-robbery. Threats of lynching Prices of most staple products are was made and he was taken to Nash- higher on the week; noticeable instan-

Hurricane Springs distillery, near Tulhave taken their families and moved, lahoma, Tenn., has been destroyed by fire. Nearly one thousand barrels of whiskey were also burned. Loss about low, with prices holding the late ad-The Kentucky and Tennessee board

of fire underwriters authorized a reduction of 20 to 25 per cent. in rates on groes of Lonoke county kill about twenty-five of these lawless white

S. Courts. Special attention given promptly acquitted by a justice of the of district courts. It is said the change will save \$75,000 per annum, retaining The latest from Little Rock says the the best features of the county court Were 29 in the Batch and Only One While workmen were drilling and cording to trustworthy reports receiv- tamping in a quarry, near Marion,

Smyth county, Va., an explosion oc-Robert McClanahan, and the probable fatal injuring of two other men, named Scott and Hutton respectively.

#### The North. The Ewart building at Chicago was

York, one of the largest firms of bro. damaged by fire to the extent of

A pulpit crusade against keeping tically the formation of a cotton trust. open drug stores on Sunday has been conditional upon the location of the Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, Ill., has

> ordered the closing at midnight of salcons where women congregate. Mayor Van Wyck, of Greater New York, is opposed to spending any more money in creating small parks in the tenement-house districts.

wind storm incendiaries started fires in three different parts of the town. The | ings and plant. loss is over \$50,000.

model roads for the Sleepy Hollow in by Secretary Long for the information Westchester county, N. Y., on which of that body in case it desires to em-Adlai E. Stevenson, former Vice-President of the United States, has accepted the position of Western coun-

Delaware iron mills for a living. Two pany of New York, with a membership There are 300 farmers' clubs in Michian income. The situation is becoming gan, with a total membership of 20,000, and they are being urged to look sharply after the nominations for the State | Hampton Institute on Sunday, the Legislature at the next election, and to see that they go to men who will care

# Miscellaneous.

The Cuban war has now been in progress just three years, having begun the first of February, 1895. At Hot Springs, Ark., Jack Ever-hasdt knocked out Eddie Donnelly in

the sixth round. John Sammons, aged 76, was bitten and stamped to death by a vicious jack

in Lawrence county, Ky. The Leiler wheat combine claims to own all the surplus wheat in the country, amounting to 15,000,000 bushels. Joseph Leiter, who is holding 11,

000,000 bushels of wheat in Chicago, says he expects to get about 21 of for it Steamers leaving the Pacific coast for Alaska are compelled to refuse passengers, so great is the rush to the gold

The county of Lancashire, England, has 1,700 firms engaged in the cotton business, with 72,000,000 spindles. They Tracy bill, providing for the

Senate. The New York Life Insurance Company have settled the claim of Mrs. full for \$24,000, the amount of policies | Ellerbe will give his attention to the

After an ungrateful tramp had murhis home, the latter shot himself, at

Fort Worth, Tex. simons to come off this summer. It is head from his body.

President Sanford B. Dole, of Hawaii, constitutionality of the act which re and E. P. Mckissick, of Asheville, N. quires the State Treasurer to examine C., were among the guests at the thirteenth annual dinner of the Gridiron strain the Treasurer from making the Club at Washington, D. C., on Jan. 29th.

### Washington Jottings. The nomination of Hon. John W.

Griggs, to be Attorney General, has been confirmed by the Senate. The oath of office has been adminis-

dents of the districts represented by Congressmen making the appointment. fered there.

## THE WORLD OF TRADE.

A Slight but Distinctive Improvement in the Cotton Goods Situation. Bradstreet's commercial report for the past week, in part, says: "Favor- They Were Looking for Gus Harable conditions in the trade situation Fulton Henderson, colored, died in continue to far outweigh those of an Ringdom, N. C., in terrible agony from opposite character. Stormy weather throughout a large section of the coun-Two men who have been engaged in try has checked the movement of mercounterfeiting \$10 pieces have been archandise into consumption, but a per-rested in Virginia. The quarantine convention of the sonable goods is reported as already Southeastern and gulf States will be resulting. The last week of the month held in Mobile on Feb. 9. It is announced that trains will be lines; another considerable drop in the running through via Moxville and number of failures reported; large exports of cereals, particularly wheat, corn and flour, and perceptible confidence in nearly all branches of trade as of the most distinguished citizens of regards the outlook for spring business. "Another favorable feature of the week is the slight but distinct improve-Winston, N. C., has a factory strike, ment in the cotton goods situation, in 300 regular laborers in one tobacco fac- which speculative activity is awakening. tory having gone out by reason of a re- Print cloths are higher and some makes of gray and medium weight cottons are

Dr. C. B. Heimark, of Eagleville, livery at present prices. Wool is strong ces are those of wheat, which is past markets. The active demand for the Klondike trade is reflected in canned

"Collections are generally reported fair, those indicating backwardness coming most generally from the South. Cereal exports are again heavy.

## ARMOR PLATE BIDS.

Named a Figure.

In accordance with the advertisement issued by the Navy Department recurred, resulting in the killing of cently, proposals were opened in the sentenced to the penitentiary at Walla office of Secretary Long, at Washingtion of a government armor plant for the sale to the government of sites suitable for such a plant, and for the machinery and buildings necessary if the The Fall River, Mass., mill strike is and they covered every phase yet so skilfully has he applied himself practically ended, a compromise having of the advertisement. Many of that he has been complimented by past the proposals were merely offers grand masters on his knowledge of Mato donate sites to the government sonry. plant; a number of others were for the supply of machiney. There were only two bids to furnish a complete plant and manufacture of armor for the navy did not submit proposals. The Hunting-At Mahanoy, Pa., during a terrific board and build a complete plant for sum of \$3,825,905, including site, build-

It will take some time to schedule all Millionaire John D. Rockefeller has the bids, but as soon as they can be arlaborers at work set building ranged they will be sent to Congress bark the government in the manufac-

### ture of armor. Virginia Brevities.

Near Leesburg, a large barn was burned, the loss including twelve horses, twenty-four cattle and 136

Founder's Day, the birthday of Gen eral Armstrong, was celebrated at the Major C. H. Broome, chief clerk in

the navy pay office at Norfolk and owner of the Norfolk baseball team last season, is dead. It is understood that Mr. J. M. Hill, the well known race track owner, is working up interest in the establish ment of a racing circuit in Virginia, to be conducted in a strictly legitimate way. It is proposed to have Richmond, Norfolk and Alexandria in this circuit. Governor Tyler has been invited to attend the unveiling of a Confederate monument at Luray, in June, and the committee requests that his youngest daughter, Miss Lilly, be allowed to pul the cord that will draw aside the veil. The Governor will attend unless some

#### at the unveiling. Palmetto State Pointers.

unforeseen obstacle prevents, and it is

Marlboro county is out of debt. Richland county's clerk of court, Mr. E. R. Arthur, is dead. He had held

the position for seventeen years. On March 10, 1898, the midwinter e meet of the Aiken Bicycle and No person need have the slightest fear baggage, passed the Kentucky House Athletic Association will be given or of going to Charlotte, as there is no and is said to be safe for passing the their quarter mile track in Eustic Park, Aiken, under L. A. W. sanction.

It has been discovered that there is no portrait of John C. Calhoun in the Hellmon, of Topeka, Kan., which has United States Senate along side of other been in the courts for nine years, in distinguished Americans. Governor

At Troy two negroes were scuffling mear the track while the down freight because he would not answer incrimi | dered John Holloran's wife and burned | train was passing. One of them, San Holmes, reeled, was struck by one of the cars and knocked under the wheels. Jas. J. Corbett has signed articles The first wheels passed over his chest calling for a fight with Robert Fitz- and the next completely severed his

#### North Carolina Pension Law. Since 1889, when the new pension law went into effect, the Auditor says \$764. 006 has been paid out. This is exclusive of the regular appropriation, from

the general fund, for disabled soldiers.

it is said that several of the New England cotton manufacturers who are now visiting the South are on the lookout for sites on which to build cotton tered in the Senate to H. D. S. Money as mills. The Yankee has never been ac-Senator from Mississippi, to serve for cused of blindness to business opporthe unexpired term of the late Senator | tunities, and the fact that he sees in the South the best of all regions for A bill is in the Senate requiring that the manufacture of cotton is a sufficadets to West Point shall not be ap- cient guaranty that he will take care pointed unless they are bona fide resi- to get his share of the advantages of-

mon, Colored, But He

HAD BEEN TAKEN TO ASHEVILLE.

The Sheriff, to Satisfy Them, Accomand Rooms.

A special to the Charlotte (N. C.) ment Observer dated the 26th, from Marion, says: This morning about 1 o'clock a jail with guns, pistols and sledge hamwoke him up and demanded Gus Har-

jail they seemed satisfied. They left and to as many sections of those States cal debate which has been in progress and territories as possible. The amending the consideration oming most generally from the South. ereal exports are again heavy.

"The business failures for the week the smallest reported in the fourth of the suburbs of the town. It is thought there were about 75 of the ethe smallest reported in the fourth of the appropriation bills. Almost the expense of the proposed extension. The pension appropriation bill was passed in the discussion of political topica.

He Has Swindled Members of the Masonic Fraternity the World Over. A Tacoma, Wash., special says: Geo. Fleming, who has been convicted and Walla, to serve two and one-half years ton, D. C., last week for the construct for obtaining money under false pre- over. tenses, has made a confession, which, if it were not corroborated by more than 100 letters from different Masonic morrow. After the agreement to lodges in the United States and other government decides to make its own countries, would be received with inarmor. There were twenty-nine bids, credulity. Fleming is a bogus Mason,

By his own admissions he lived for years from money borrowed under false dollar which was the most valuable to lege will build a science ball to cost pretenses from Masons in amounts him, but if he did not know which he \$10,000. varying from \$10 to several hundred, | would receive he would do his utmost only one of these named a figure. The or, as he told ex-Sheriff Van Devanter, to maintain the parity of all dollars. two companies now engaged in the "according to their circumstances and Mr Caffery, Democrat, of Louisiana, times." The total amount of money delivered an extended speech in oppothus obtained will probably reach sition to the resolution. Mr. Cockrell ton, W. Va., chamber of commerce of fered to follow the specifications of the board and build a complete plant for cite all the instances. He has traveled and possing various financial enactall over the world and never spent a ments since 1870 to show that United cent for railroad or other transporta-tion. He has so many aliases that he annot name them. In Paris he claims the conclusion of Mr. Cockrell's speech, be have met and dined with the Prince adjourned at 6:50 p. m., on motion of Wales and Dudley Warner. For desert he borrowed \$150 from the 29TH DAY.—The Senate, by the de

> Gibraltar by the way of Cadiz. Increased Southern Exports. The Manufacturers' Record of last week calls attention to the remarkable development of the South's export trade, which is emphasized by a summary of the statistics of breadstuffs ed with 1896. The total shipments of twelve and one-half grains each of corn, wheat, oats and flour from five standard silver; and that to restore to leading Southern ports aggregated 167, - its coinage such silver coins as a lega bushels in 1896. The total increase was cipal and interest, is not in violation of 39,077,125 bushels. The total value of the public faith nor in derogation of the exports of all breadstuffs from the the rights of the public creditors. leading ports of the country for 1897 was \$243, 121, 108, a gain over 1896 of were voted down by majorities ranging against \$57,177,884, being an increase of \$31,877,168. Thus of a total gain from the entire country of \$66,900,000, nearly one-half, or \$31,877,167, was from five Southern ports. Making a comparison by percentages, the increase

55 7-10 per cent. against 23 5-10 per probable that Miss Lilly will officiace cent, for all other ports. To Amend the Virginia Election Law. In the Virginia House Mr. T. W. Berry introduced a bill to amend the election laws so that an elector, in preparing his ballot, may require the presence of either or both of the other judges while the ballot is being prepared by one judge, and they shall witness the preparation of the ballot, or see that it is prepared as the elector may

from these five Soutdern ports was

#### direct. Coal Miners Jubilant.

The inter-State joint session of bituminous coal operators and miners. which has been in session at Chicago for the past ten days came to an end on the 26th. The miners were jubilant over the results of their session, for it means to nearly 20,000 soft coal miners an advance of 10 cents per ton, and a uniform day of eight hours at uniform day wages.

Hanna's Son Sued for Divorce. A Cleveland, O., special says: Daniel R. Hanna, the only son of Senator Hanna, has been sued by his wife, Carsie May, for divorce. The decree is asked for on the ground of gross neglect and extreme cruelty. The couple were married in 1887.

Grants a Permanent Injunction. A special from Asheville, N. C., to the Charlotte Observer says the Buncombe county bond suit was heard before Judge Norwood, at Wavnesville. The suit was to test the validity of bonds issued by the county in aid of the Spartanburg and Asheville Railroad, and was brought up by the county commissioners against Treasurer Payne. Judge Norwood decided the bonds void and granted a permanent injunction, restraining the treasurer bas been raging since Monday was dike fortunes as there is in most for-from paying interest on them. from paying interest on them,

#### FIFTY-FIFTH 'CONGRESS. Proceedings of Both the Senate and House Day By Day.

THE SENATE. 25TH DAY. -In the Senate Morgan reviewed the annexation of Hawaii somewhat extensively. Walthall, of Mississippi, presented a joint resolution adopted by the Legislature of Mississippi, urging the United States govern-

fore the Senate at the time of adjourn-20TH DAY. -The Senate was charac-

terized by a heated and almost acrimo-nious discussion of the financial ques-miners. Mr. Swanson, Democrat, of mob of masked men surrounded the tion. For nearly four hours the Teller resolution was under consideration, the principal speeches being by Allimers. Four men with masked faces son, of Iowa, Berry, of Arkansas, and depression in the South to exclusively went to the sheriff's room and quietly Hoar, of Massachusetts. The sharpest high tariffduties. colloquy was that indulged in by the advocates and the opponents of the ressault Miss Minnie Cuthbertson, near debts of the government in silver, even damages sustained by that corporation Nebo, on Sunday the 16th of this if is the cheapest metal. Hoar contended during the war, after encountering an month. Sheriff Nichols had been in- that the question was not one of legal formed by some one that a mob was power, but of honor and good faith. vote on two previous private bill days, likely to come at any time after the ne- After a long debate the resolution was was piloted to its passage in the House, gro, and he had him spirited away to Asheville jail for safe keeping. The sheriff told the would-be lynchers that the world, gold or its equivalent, whether that he silver One of the largest warehouses of Oid the dollar mark again at many Western he had left the negro in the Asheville whether that be silver or paper, overwhelming majority and the opposition of the largest warehouses of Oid the dollar mark again at many Western he had left the negro in the Asheville whether that be silver or paper, overwhelming majority and the opposition of North Caroline of North Caroline and the opposition of North Caroline and the op jail, yet they insisted on the sheriff's accompanying them around the cages and rooms to search, which they tion bill, providing for an extension of on the bill was 188 to 67. the experiment of rural free delivery to After the mob had searched over the every State and territory in the Union, prospect of an abatement of the politi-

> ment might pay the principal and in throughout the day. At times con-OPERATIONS OF A BOGUS MASON | terest of the United States bonds in siderable acrimony was displayed, but silver, was under consideration for as a rule the debate was good natured. more than six hours. In the course of both sides seeming to recognize that it the debate Daniel, of Virginia, spoke was a struggle to score political adin favor of the resolution, saying that vance. Only a few pages of the District there was no disposition to pay the appropriation bill were disposed of government's obligations in discredited | The clerk of the Senate transmitted the

28TH DAY. - The Senate decided to vote on the Teller resolution and the pending resolutions thereto to vote had been reached, Mr. Daniel resumed his speech. made a legal argument in support of the pending resolution, holding that the that he has been complimented by past law never contemplated giving to the government's creditors the option as to the kind of money he was to be paid. The creditor would naturally pick that

Prince on the strength of Masonry. | cisive vote of 47 to 32, passed in Teller In Madrid he worked Hannis Taylor | concurrent resolution. The resolution | two. for free transportation to the Rock of is a practical re-affirmation of that of Stanley Matthews, in 1878, and is as follows: "That all the bonds of the United States issued, or authorized to be issued under the said acts of Con gress hereinbefore recited, are payable, principal and interest, at the option of the government of the United States, in silver dollars of the coinage of the United shipments for the year 1897 as compar- States, containing four hundred and

938,972 bushels against 128,861,847 tender in payment of said bonds, prin All efforts to amend the resolution

# THE HOUSE.

28TH DAY. - The House completed seven pages of the Indian appropriation bill. It was decided that no informa tion be given at present in regard to the government's armor plate plant. last week by the Plant system six car Grosvenor and Simpson locked horns by an allusion made by Simpson' rela | loads of palmetto logs measuring fortytive to an alleged interview with the

29TH DAY. - Under the parliamentary tack of the teredo it is invaluable for fiction of discussing the Indian bill, the the purpose designated. House devoted almost the entire day to a political debate in which the mair question was whether prosperity had facturing Company, of Favetteville, N. come to the country as a result of the C., has been incorporated by W.L. advent of the present administration | Holt, E. H. Williamson, L. A. Wil As the speeches were limited to five liamson, J. W. Menefee and Herbert minutes each, many members partici | Luiterloh. The capital stock is fixed pated, and the partisan spirit kept the at \$60,000, with the privilege of ininterest keyed up to a high pitch. The creasing to \$200,000, and the purpose is acrimony which usually characterizes to manufacture cotton goods. such debates was almost entirely alsent, but, although good natured. some hard knocks were given and re

30TH DAY. -In the House the motion to strike out the appropriation for the Carlisle Indians was defeated. The most interesting feature of the day was the debate on the question of reducing the mail carrier service in the large ate to attach the estimated deficiency made a remarkable record, and the of \$16,000 to the urgent deficiency bill. This subject has been agitating the metropolitan cities ever since the order was issued for cutting down the force on January 1. A dozen representatives from as many different cities, protested are stirred up over a promised indusagainst the proposed reduction and try that will employ at least 1,000 urged an immediate appropriation, when Chairman Loud, of the postoffice committe, and Chairman Cannon, of the apet, R. I., has purchased 100 acres of propriation committee, allayed the wrath of the members by assuring them that there was no occasion for alarm, that the service could not possibly suffer until June 15, before which time successful a large cotton mill will folthere would be ample opportunity to

pass a deficiency appropriation. 31st DAY. - The House finally succeeded in passing the Indian approria-

bill which followed it. The only two important changes made in the indian bill as passed were the elimination of the provisions for the leasing of the giisonite mineral lands of the Uncompaghre reservation in Utah and the coal lands of the Kiowa, Commanche, Arache and Wichita reservations, both of which went out on reints of order. Mr. De Armond, Democrat, of Missouri, criticised the Cuban policy of the administration, and with fine sarcasm ment to intervene in the Cuban war in ridiculed the official explanation of the behalf of the insurgents, "peaceably if visit of the battleship Maine to Hait can, forcibly if it must." The resopanied the Mob Around the Cages lution was read and referred to the Republican, of Iowa, an elequent recommittee on foreign relations. The ply. Mr. Grosvenor, Republican, of pension appropriation bill was up be- Ohio, as the latest evidence of tres. perity, called attention to the 10 cents per ton advance in the wages of coal

miners agreed upon at Chicago. That

Virginia, submitted some remarks on

the situation in the cotton industry,

North and South, and attributed the 32p. Day. - The bill to pay the Book Publishing Company of the Methodist obstinate filibuster which staved off a

33D. Day.-There seems to be no bullion, but in silver dollars that will Teller resolution which passed the buy as much as gold dollars the world Senate and was cheered by the Democratic side of the House. The resolution remained on the table.

## OUR INDUSTRIAL COLUMN.

A Batch of Squibs of Interest From Here and There.

The Fort Mill (S. C.) Mills are reported as running on full time.

At Maryville, Tenn., Muryville Col-

At Jackson, Tenn., Drs. Rochelle and Warford will erect a sanitarium to

cost \$12,000.

Stock to the amount of \$35,000 has been subscribed for a cotton mill of Kinston, N. C.

At Elizabeth City, N. C., contract will be awarded Feb. for the erection of jail building. The Parmele Lumber Mills, of Jacksonville, N. C., will resume operations shortly, after a suspension of a year or

A new mill is to be built at Albemarle, Cabarrus county, N. C. It will represent \$200,000, \$160,000 of which has already been subscribed.

63, 30 miles of hard road, an increase of 33, 30 miles since 1895. The cost of construction per mile ranged from \$6,000 to \$2,000. At Chattanooga, Tenn., the American Arms Co., of Boston, Mass., D. W.

Crosby, trustee, has made a proposition

to the Business Men's League for the

In Montgomary county, Ala, are

establishment of an arms factory. The Piedmont Fire Insurance Co's. \$66,900,000. At these five Southern ports the total for 1897 was \$89,055,052 and substitute was defeated by the lat five stories in the front, is nearing completion, and will be the first in the city, as well as the largest in the State. Most of the offices have already been

> five feet in length. They are to be used President on the subject of immigra in wharf building, and as this wood is the only one known to resist the at-The Holt-Williamson Cotton Manu-

Mr. B. F. Kramer, a contractor at

Charleston, S. C., received in that city

The Richmond Locomotive and Machine Works has secured an order from the Wabash Railroad Co., for ten compound and five simple locomotives. Some time ago this company sent one of its engine through the West for the purpose of being tested by the rail-roads of that section of the country. This engine which was described in the cities, owing to the failure of the Sen | Manufacturers' Record at the time. has order referred to has probably been one

> of the results of its exhibition. Norristown, Conshohocken, Pa, hands. Mr. Potter, formerly of the firm of Howard A. Bullough, Pawtuckland from the estate of Theodore Carey, at Ivy Rock, on which he will erect a plant for the manufacture of textile machinery. If this venture proves low. In a few months dwellings will

be erected for employes. It appears there is as much faith to tion bill, and the political debate which be placed in the stories told of Klon-