VOLUME XX.

IUST FOR FUN.

The farmer tills the soil and the ber

The absent-minded pickpocket admitted that he had many moments of abser

Angelina-Certainly. When your sired John Wananiaker began life without

dollar in his packet. So did we. A young man in town says the beat kind of a metre to save gas is "meet her

by moonlight alone." When a married woman goes out to look after her rights, her husband &

usually left at home with his wrongs. Terre Haute Express: Even the go unemotional man can't contain himself the first time he goes to sea.

Rochester Post-Express: The Fig. bourgeois is a different type of man from

If animals had kings, we would know what "reigning cats and dogs" meint Putsourg Chronicle-Telegraph. It isn't always the man who wears, the largest hat who knows the most, but

generally he is the man who, thinks he

A writer says. When talking to pretty girl, keep the lips apart. If fellow doesn't half understand his bu

Western constituent Ser von Democrat? Gave me voir hand!"

ington Belle tabsent mindedly - Ask

smoke in the house! Henpeck-Now un less she wants the bugs smoked of her

The self-closing door spring is an awful and that fleat as it say "excuse me," aggravation to the mon who is going or, "I'll be he a minute," but is up out of your office mad and wants to sind gone and a secures a birdseye same the door.

Major Stoath I say, Mawkins, what tof thriving, pressions.

Major Stoam I say, activing to do you think of that eight I gave you. And the control of the con Mau-Help! Help!

skin me if I went on the ice any more Unfortunate Skater—"Help! Help! Asilisbury. As Frain whirls along, Party on Bank—"Hold on Hold on I'll said the brokers stalls out the stations, rain right home and get my book on every head is to the windows of

Short and Sweet. Shell-Did vongun-He-He did.

She Henri: I his yours!

She-Henri, I am not yours

To-day: Old Grype tenturing his hor from his cent per cent, office)-Will, is dinner ready. Als, Grype'i who is chilonically short of market money - Yes-fext

"You can't do anything without money, my boy

"I'd like to kalely what !! "Get in debt." Wonkers Statesman

How are those glasses ' Do they work It ran through in less than fifty minutes vesterday."-Harper's

anti: We ought to have an article on How to Put on Floves. Who would you Assistant Elitor: John L. Sullivan She (looking up from paper)-Well,

trath is stranger than fiction He tibrowing paperson ground - Wes

Mrs. Isaneson-"Mein tear, leedle Isaac vants vonluew vlannel shirt Mr. Isasieson - Vell, I'm yearing you off ven id is vashed leedle Isaac gan hagid. "Old Mr. Skinner is a very charitable man, isn't be " ! Oh, ves, of course. But if he ever casts his bread upon the waters you bet he expects it to come back a

Anglomaniae That's the way it goes. I we hunt toxes tolks say we're crue; it we hunt aniseed bags tolks laugh at his What can we hunt without exciting in liguation or richcule?"

New York Weekly: Blinks! Hear you had a great time get-ting married-cloped with the girlfather and mother furious gave but they didn't catch you! did thek Blinks (sadly)-Xo-o.

Doctor: "Why do you think your has band's mind is wandering 's Cutem: "I know it. When I went ive him his medicine just now he called me darling. He has not done that

efore for years. The circus was a new thing to Boliby Then he approached a giraffe he stood en-mouthed astonishment. "Why, pa." exclaimed, "this thing doesn't belong -Harper's Bazar.

who made the first steambent Waldo?" asked the Boston schooling

she's going to have. Four banks, elec-trollights, gate teks, a female college with one hands and ten dear little gels, grande per streets and side-wilks, four sail of shig business houses, nere," replied Waldo, with a proud consciousness of recitude, which was changed to dismay when he went down foot.—Harper's Bazas.

Pirst sweet girl—0, did you hear the news Mr. Niccellow, who is engaged to lake Vere de Vere, hugged her so hard ast night that he broke one of her ribs, second sweet girl—my luck. I might are had him myself,—I hiladelphia

The Pirst Symptoms of Death stomach, loss of appetite, feverpimples or sores, are all positive of poisoned blood. No matter

won't dak of the light on every time.

A TALLEF TWO CITIES.

ROM C SCOMBE'S LOFTY BILL O GUILFORD'S LO SLY PLAINS.

What the Witen Saw and Heard While "F sing on the Rail".
Two T cas that Take no Turn tekward in Materi Progress and

Selopment.

GREESBO? S.C., March 31.— Going down the search action of the parties of the callroad man of the search act. watching the mam of people pouring in and out of cars of passenger train No. 52 Nate of afternoon. "Yes: ref the long-haired, wild-

car hung our 1 sting for the latest piece of news, and to receives more cussin on general to piece, and less praise when he dest to it most, of all the sinwhen ac destant in the surprers against a law since the days of grandon Ade.

"That's right remarked the man of the broad had and punch. "Best road in the comparison the Western North and the comparison to the Western North and the R. & D. (System)

of the R. & D. System: solid train to ways twice a day; skepels go to the from Hot Springs to Washington, determ without change; solid utgel to sixty pounds weight asto Greensboro; elegant pt. plush-covered seatsders—from the brough the weirdest, whidest, hoss to aderfully beautiful scen-cry in all the series deverything done to make son end to the and happy. Say: hop aboard there

the mountain gorges and the trees; now run-ingside some mountain sparkling waters re-Snaggs "Our town is much more minded the comparking waters reprosperous than yours. Our minder's pling running sing and rushing over the surface of property twice as much." Jenkins the surface of the train spectors.

The Colonel—D'you know anything of the Spanish Castlea Company? Sobler tare thrown the Spanish Castlea Company? Sobler that passenges go so and others are taken on. The fell of is pulled; the engine Din a director.—Fun.

The gay and festive Young Painter—"Well, what do you say to my views of Subaco?" Critic—furmer upon a Antain-side breaking up the sile with the sile

Nebraska State Journal: The agricultural poets have been especially favored by this Administration. Rusk rhames with husk in the best style imagniable.

Boston Transcript: The physician same space of makes his morier by practising. When he has become so skilful that he doesn't have to practise then he retires.

Mischka—Don't you think the days are growing longer?

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[Chimpa—Oh yes: the daylight is not ells us that satells; out the hand, nearly so dark is it used to be.

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huildings too Gousto count; and ne thinks whatsay to be to these Hickdryites are, to go free. The town looks aresh, healthy a glean, and—but there is that whistly again, and off we go to cain, and off we go to Train which along. How to Respect the Drowned and Relieve the Frost Bitten. Short and Saint Sheet Sheet bid yoursus Sheet Sheet bid yoursus Sheet Sheet bid yoursus Sheet Sheet bid yoursus Sheet Sheet

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mothers the me. Insxes shall no to Cain, and our re-

anercial Produce ordains that the others like no hand the music (?) Markotte on another Cain, and the rest for purchases a ticket for Greenshoro, and Flower city, and, after getting a to dism fair supper, conafter getting a uniform supper, consisting of six of the same bedd, is choosing a directly state of the same bedd, is choosing to see the state of the same bedden the same bedden to see the state of the castle of

wn is one grain Muservatory—beauti-women. Wet there is nothing like it

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phrey, manager of the Cirizen repre-cial obligations for him while in Greens-

testimonial can be in there is nothing yow but what he is sired information;

knows who keeps

one car with the Greensbyrop. As his box and bit has a ge on one seat, refused to divide only red baseling, and red baseling, and the lines, criswded be such as the coach was red to bribe the car time for seat we. But he says a ort of eight were blue cellars and Afferkin, and he briggars, the reporter to veler got off, and a seat as a fellow-lexington, and the reversible Gaines togains and jay glance at the seomed adjusters that one adding and dalm and lexit the glance glanc into Greensboro, saic and sound, ad ally smiled by the guger-ca course of the McAdoo, and out. She is going so has the going so has the glance of the McAdoo, and out. She is widening out. She is widening out. She was a more room, and she's going so has tree lights, water the same college.

Washington's portrait at full length.

The passenger department of the Pied mont Air-Line is gathering information with a view of publishing the names.etc.; of persons who will take hourders for the ensuing summier.

We would like to see our section of the country thronged with people next summer, and to this end would suggest that families desiring to accompandate summer boarders to communicate at once with the nearest station agent of the Richmond & Danville Ragroad, at or near which they reside, giving postoffice address, at or near what Station, con vevance used, if any, number of guests to be accommodated, with terms per day, week and month, Blanks will be furnished by application to station agents.

A gentleman writing to the CITIZEN could only learn it from a woman, and a from Hickory says: "The Hickory supplement, gotten up by the CITIZEN, was success and proved highly pleasing to our people. I received this morning a letter from Chicago asking for more specific information and referring to the sup-

Eczema, Itchy, Sealy, Skin Tor the best carriage, and horses in town, and won't dask in frestrons. We know him He'll ho to get to go to Greens for a real most ready to New It'sh hot to are almost ready to be shapped from the subject of the subject to the subject

ECHOES FROM THE PRESS. PROGRESSIVE ASHEVILLE.

Notes and Opinions Concerning Men and Measures Carefully Compiled.

Nashville American . That rainbow of romise which was to prove a bright reality when Harrison succeeded to power seems to have finled in so far as it manifest destiny:" "We yesterday met and interviewed Dr affects the slaves of the Pennsylvania coal and coke barons.

om patriots might sale car fars. It is presumed that every appointment made by the President will be confirmed at the proper time. He is Where he is to go ahead and not to back down. Washington Post: At Vienna, Col. frant will be graciously received, as in fact he would be wherever sent, and no

adaptedness to any day that may devolve upon him in his social or official Richmond State & Cardinal Gibbons Eminence says: "The papacy is too intimately connected by bast associations

removal from Rome at all probable." Courier-Journal: Mr Harrison would strike, but the importunate office-hunters give him no time. This is really too bad. A President of the United States should always be allowed a few hours to inform himself on the workings, of a high war-

Philadelphia Times: The distribution of awards among the theat Editors has been unaccountably suspended. But the Great Editors of Philadelphia are still at their posts, laboring with that zeal that ever characterizes there and showing themselves worthy of the proudest diplomatic appointment on the list.

New York World: Histr. Elliott F Shepard, who, having thropped into a fortune, has recently dropped into sacred ournalism, knows no more about his own business than he Boes about the affairs of his neighbors, his condition may be said to be deplorable. And, taken altogether, we rather think it is.

Philadelphia Record: The elopement of a daughter of Chief Justice Fuller shows that even the Subreme Court of the United States has not jurisdiction in will not go, and the city is now as noted cases where hearts are introlved, and that as a winter resort as it has long been a simple and unlearned Justice of the Peace has the power to render a decision which the highest sutherity can not

Montana Record: Montana must have Lower California, as she has started a gold excitement of her swn, with the Philadelphia syndicate has bought a result that she is getting thousands of beautiful site comprising about 60 acres citizens from the other States and Territories. Montana wants & big showing when she enters the Union, and she has taken the quickest means of getting it. Atlanta Constutition: The south is

prospering, and should not pose in the attitude of a beggar. The is able to support her own helpless sons and she ought to do it. A retreat in fach Southern State for homeless yeterars would cost but little, because it would have but few inmates, and it would not have to be supported many years.

Chattanooga Times Why should an for New York to night to complete an office be given to Gene Langstreet? He rangements. When I left there two has been a flat failure in every position weeks ago, being called home by the bestowed on him singe the war. He seems thorough unadapted to successful by the terms of which they were to put civic employment, and certainly, when there are many republicans in the South struction company, the money to build who are qualified, it would be folly to select for the high honors then who have falls through. I have another compans neither personal following nor business in view who are anxious to take hold

Philadelphia Record: It is said that Secretary Proctor, who is a strenuous advocate of the Puritan Sabbath, will soon issue a strict order against all dress parades and inspections on Sunday. As these inspections are in behalf of that elegaliness which is next to godliness. his proposed change of thearmy regulations will be manifestly in a wrong

Philadelpia Times: Some of the paper nave been making a great outery against the green postage stamp, But the color of the United States postage stamps in less objectionable than their form. They are all funnecessarily large. The small square stamps of England and France are prettier and more convenient. If Mr Wanamaker would give us comething on this model he would gain the approbafashionable handwriting of the period leaves no space on the envelope for

Summer Homes

low. Wonderfully low prices on best plated knives; forks and spoons. Rogers' triplt plated knives at \$2 a set. Every thing in Crockery, Glass and Lamps, at Law's, 57, 59 and 61 8, Main St.

STATE NEWS.

ASHEVILLE, N. C., THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1889.

State penitentiary.

A new directory of Winston-Salem is Attracttions and Sights of that being published. Beautiful City of the Hills."

The Raleigh News-Observer of yesterda pays the following handsome complimen to Asheville and its attractions and its

Turney and Mr. R. T. Gray who, as we saw from The CITIZEN, visited Asheville last week, looking especially into the op New Orleans Phayane: Committees eration of the new electric street railway and taking in, incidentally, the other at tractions and sights of that beautifulcity of the hills. As to the street railway hese gentlemen are enthusiastic in thei admiration of its perfection in design and he exactness with which all of the de tails of construction have been executed by Mr. E. D. Davidson, the contractor and principal owner of the system; The curves are beautifully laid and even the slightest bend in the streets are representmestion can be entertedned of his entire ed in the alignment of the track; the cars are large and elegant and similar to those in use on the Broadway road in New York, and the electrical equipment seems to be without a defect. The great triays that there is not probability of the which they have contrived to overcome Pope ever, removing to America. His the apparently insurmountable obstacles of nature and to glide easily, gracefully and without a jar up those steep grade with only a "little chained lightning. and memorable everts to make the Pope's The traffic is large and gratifying to thos who have invested their money in the en terprise. All agree that Asheville een particularly fortunate in having like to read up a little. On the Fall River Mr. Davidson interested in an enterprise in the line of which he has had great experience and for which he has so much enius. A New Yorker, sojourning i sheville for his health. he conceived the dea of establishing the road and with a zealous effort he soon carried his concep tion into execution. Mr. I. H. Barnard ilso of New York, formerly of the U. S vavy and a son of Gen. Barnard; of the mited States Army, having become thor. oughly identified with Asheville, is super tendent of the road and of several othe interprises in the city, and has decided nanagerial ability. A Raleigh boy, Mr rank P. Lewis, son of Maj. A. M. Lewis of this city, and an expert in the employ of the Sprague Motor Company, of New York, is entitled to the credit of the per fect electrical construction and equip-ment of the system. The fact that his company entrusted a work requiring much expert knowledge and skill solely to him is a recogni tion of his worth and attainments that gives his many friends here great pleasure His rapid rise in his chosen profession, a field where the developments are new, startling and boundless, shows that is appreciated and his friends believe he has "struck it rich." Asheville is full to overflowing, of Northern visitors. The hotels and boarding houses have reached the limit of their capacity for comtoxtable accommodations, Beyond which they

prise and improvement.

Rive Ridge and Knoxville R. B

[Franklin Press.]

In passing through Tallulah the othe

day we had a chance to talk with presi-

dent Thomas concerning the extension of

his railroad, the Blue Ridge and Atlantic

completed a trade with some capitalists

the work and push it through at once

Everything; will be settled definitely

within the next thirty or sixty days. Bu

all the money that has been promised me

"TALKED IT OUT."

Conjuring Act

posed, rolled out from the fire, terribly

burning his left leg from his boot-top

almost to his hip. His knee cap is burned

off. Besides, a regular M. D., old man,

John Bean, the conjurer of the neighbor

hood, was summoned to 'talk the fire

Mr. Bean, an uneducated old Con-

ederate soldier, told your correspondent

to-day, that he had succeeded, after two

'talks," (this number being pecessary, in

extreme cases), and unless gangrene or

'arysipelas" sets in, he is confident, the

Mr. Bean further remarked that he had

learned this remarkable art from an

old Dutchwoman, and that a "mar

A bigger bargain than ever before-26

sets (only) of fine Russell steel and cellu

old handled knives at \$2 a a set. Thirty

sets of fine white-handled knives at \$1.35 A few pairs fine carvers to match, very

natient will recover.

woman from a man."

lett, of Charlotte, is chairman of the comsummer capital. "Battery Park," lan elegant structure and commanding riew surpassed only by Connally's

which is as beautiful as an artist's April 23 and ends on the 26. The editodream and beyond the power of camera or pencil to justly portray), shelters in rial banquet will be given on the 23. It its cosy corners millionaires by the score. will be really a private affair and givennoted hostelry, is making arrangements or large extensions to the building A By an act of the last Legislature the

ity of Wilmington was anthorized to say near Asheville Innetion, on which they will creet a \$300,000 hotel this summer to manufacturers everywhere that they Mr. George Vanderbilt, who has bought are at liberty to locate and carry on busseveral thousand acres, is contemplating ness there "without paying local trino-one-knows what magnificent enter "We congratulate our western capita upon its present beauty and prosperity

officer of the United States ordnance department will soon go to Wrightsville to erect batteries of ten-inch guns and mor tars there at the site of the permanent encampment of the State guard. The batteries will be in place by July 1.

through to Knoxville. He said; "I leave inst. The Gleaner says: His neighbor, Thos. Dixon, who is over seventy, gave nim a big turkey dinner and furnished him with an historic chair to sit in on in a bank, subject to the order of a conthe occasion. The chair was owned and the road through to Knoxville in eight used by Lord Cornwallis when he passed through that part of Chatham and Alaompanies are waiting to take hold of Moon is remarkably well preserved, and as to his age, that is authentic.

get \$100,000 from North Carolina and The session of the District Grand Lodge not less than \$200,000 from Tennessee of B'nai Brith comprising the States of I am certain to get all I want from Ter essee, as Knoxville a few months age Maryland, Virginia, North and South promised me \$200,000, and I feel satis arolina, Georgia and the District of fied I shall have no trouble to get it now Columbia, which recently met at Sa-So it all depends upon what North Caro anah, Ga., and to which Mr. A. Whittina does. If she will issue bonds to \$100,000 stock, the road, as I said, will ock, of this city, was a delegate adbe completed through to Knoxville with ourned in a body to visit the Orphan's in eighteen months. If not, the road will Home established and recently completed at Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Whitlock with the other delegates, was greatly pleased with the Home. It was constructed at a cost Mr. Rean Gets There With Hi of \$35,000, the city of Adapta contributing more than enough for its Toil-ELMWOOD, N. C., March 27.-Joh pletion, and has an endowment of over Pope, a young man of twenty-one sum-\$100,000. It is designed for a home for mers, and employed at Gilbert, Taylor, orphans of members of the order, and & Co's saw mill, is in quite a precarious others in indigent circumstances of the condition at this place. About a week lewish faith. It is an ornament to the ago, while working on the public road, city of Atlanta, a credit to its founders, he became intoxicated, and finding some and but another monument to the many wagoners encamped for the night, he obbenevolent societies of which the R'nai thined permission to sleep by their fire. Brith is one. During his drunken sleep, a log, it is sup-

An Instruction Car.

house Automatic Air-Brake Company, passed down the Western North Caro ina road yesterday. This car has gone over the entire line of the Richmond and Danville system, giving instruction to the engineers of that line in the use of the Automatic Air-Brake, The car is elegantly fitted up-one end being constructed so as to be used as a drawing room in day time, and as sleeping apartments at night. Everything about the car is of the Westinghouse make, stationary engine, dynamo for electric lights, and a set of thirty brakes, representing thirty freight cars, which the chief operator, Mr. Hartman, and his two assistants used in giving instruc

Anecdotes of General Grant.

General Grant, on his return to this

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

specially pesignated as a Disbursing Office of the Treasury

Ten car-loads of negroes passed through Quite a sensation was created among Salisbury Tuesday on their way South. he officials of the First National Bank Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, has been vesterday morning when the following appointed one of the directors of the mmunication was received from secretary Windom of the treasury depart-A new survey has been made over the

> Washington, March 26, 1889 Cashier First National Bank, Asheville, C.--Sir: By virtue of the authority conferred upon me by Section 3620, Re vised Statutes of the United States, the First National Bank, of Asheville, N. C. depositary of public moneys, is hereby pecially designated for the reception

The municipal contest in Wilmington Respectfully yours, Phursday, resulted in the election of a majority of Democrats on the board o The selection of the First National as

Rev. J. Y. Fair, of Charlotte, has de eided to accept the call to the pastorate of the Grace street Presbyterian church The Scotland Neck Temperance Associ-

ition, in Halifax county, will celebrate ts second anniversary Friday, April 19 Rev. W. G. Starr, of Danville, Va., will

reach the sermon before the graduating

Northwestern North Carolina railroad

Gov. Fowle has accepted the honorary

membership tendered him by the Perma

A railway from Ringwood to Enfield

Halifax county, is to be built by a com

pany which expects to begin work in six-

between Winston and Greensboro.

nent Democratic Club, at Raleigh.

lass of the Greensboro Female College it the approaching commencement. It is said that there is a temporary susension on the Georgia, Carolina & Northern railroad, some forty miles of

which have been already completed. State auditor Sanderlin has accepted the invitation and will deliver the annual address at the commencement of the

Chowan Baptist Female Listitute, at Murfreesboro. The largest cotton mill in the State i to be built at Favetteville. The projectors of the enterprise are now at the

North with specifications, completing the amount of stock required. The North Carolina Sunday School Convention will be held in Charlotte on April 2 to 4 inclusive. Mr. Chas. W. Til-

Ino. F. Crowell, D. D., president of Trinity College, will deliver the literary address before the graduating class, at the Kernersville High School on May

The grand celebration at Avoca begin

sun is going down in Alaska the next

ern part of Alamance county, eclebrated his one hundredth birthday on the 20th nance on his retreat from the battle of Suilford Court House in 1781. Mr.

The B'nai Brith's Orphan Home.

General Grant, on his return to this country, is said to have been severely afficted with a cough contracted while crossing the ocean, and which had stubbornly refused to yield to any treatment. A friend procured for him a bottle of Symphyx, and by its use in a few hours see was entirely relieved. Heremarked to sus friend: "Men look upon me as a great soldier, but this bottle of Symphyx is greater than I. My calling has been to destroy men's lives, but this medicine is a victorious savior of men. I shall never be without it again."

daw occasionally see an intimation that "the uphung arch-traitor" is yet living, though weble.

Cough, in the morning, hurried or difficult breathing, raising phlegm, tightness in the creating or sweats at night, all or any of these things are the first stages of consumption. Acker's highish Cough Remedy will cure these fearful symptoms, and is sold under a positive guarantee by T.

THE MOST IMPORTANT MOVE MENT VET INAUGURATED. Department.

a Paid-Up Capital of \$150,000, and an Authorized Capital of TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Secretary,

safe keeping and disbursement acording to law of funds advanced to disdursing officers of the treasury depart-The gentlemen referred to are, Mr. W WM. WINDOM, See'y of the Treasury disbursing office by the Secretary of the Treasury, was entirely unsought by the officials of the former institution, and the reasons prompting the designation are a offered mystery to them

The designation increases the volume of dealers in that State. business already being done by the First National to a greater extent, and demon strates the confidence reposed in the Bank by the head of the Treasury de Hereafter, all moneys belonging to the Treasury department, formerly held

of collectors, marshals, etc., will be kept in this Bank, and checked out in payment retording to the provisions of section .620 of the Revised Statutes. The First National, in every way, de erved the honorand confidence evidenced y Secretary Windom in his letter, and the bank officials teel much gratified at the distinction of being the only disburs

Courier-Journal: Miltiades, Scipio and Belisarius favored a war tariff only while a war was going on. Possibly the

ing office of the Treasury in North

New York Sun is not aware of this Wheeling Register: A wreck like that which overtook the copper syndicate ought to overtake all organized conspiracies to congrol the market in the necessary articles of life. Courier-Journal: The beautiful spring

weather is highly favorable to the de-velopment of John Chalfant New's British side whiskers, which he will need so much when he arrives in Lunnon. Boston Herald; Good Democratic postmasters are to be allowed to serve out their terms. The only trouble is that

Assistant Postmäster-General Clarkson s the judge of this goodness. Atlanta Constitution: The Texas Press Association will neet next month. One of the features of the program is a bulldittes in this country are better equipped

New York World: The Treasury sur rate It will require reckless extravaparty now in power to turn the "con-lition" into a "theory." Sioux City Journal: The sun never sets

northing's sun is an hour high in Maine. his is a big country for a fact, and the olificians are always up and dressed. Cliengo Mail: Here's a scheme: Let Mr. Maine stay in the Cabinet until he wish and then let him be appointed

Minister to England, so be can go over and pull the sinuous thing out by the Washington Post: It was just like Mr Reid of the New York Tribune, to be confirmed too late for Mr. Elliott Shephard's afternoon paper to get the news before next Monday evening.

"Shep" is playing in tough luck, and yet he is a "genius." St. Houis Republic The Republicans of the Bity-first Congress intend to evis-cerate the Treasury. They may make a alary grabe a part of the process, but they do, they will bear the truth about t and themselves in language that will

not accommodate isself to any delicacy they pray feel as they fill their pockets. Philadelphia Times: The appointment of General Batchellor, who is a member of the New York Assembly, as Assistant secretary of the Treasury, has set whole lot of New York Assemblymen to wishing something would fall on them besides the papier mache ceiling of the

Nashville American; "For where your reason is there will your heart be also. protes for esteemed contemporary, Col Elliott F. Sheppard For the first time Col. Sheppard has slipped up in his he Républican Bible the above passage should read: "For where the Treasur s these will the heart be also."

Washington Post The President has

out a wooden man into the Pension

Officed light is, not exactly wooden, just

partly wooden. And while we are speaking of it, the wood in t about his head; is at the other end of his anatomy. Corporal Tanner has a pair of artificial legs. His own legs, his real legs, the legs that reduce gave him, are down South somewhere-in good company. Philadelphia Record: If Halstead should be sent to Berlin to eatch the falling mantle of "Gentleman George" a countryful of patriets would clap their hands admiringly. Just fancy the dignity of the shake with which Friend Murat

would shake the dust of Berlin from his

patent leathers in the event of further

cute ampleasantness with respect to Kaupas City Globg: If Whitelaw Reid should happen to incur the personal dis-pleasure of Boulanger and receive a challenge from him the great dodging duelist of France will find he has made the worst blunder of his life. Mr. Reid can just send to New York for an old opy of the Tribune and swipe M. Boulanger into seven kinds of debris with one of his double leaded, self-repeating ociety items, loaded at each end.

Richmond State: Some of the northern papers announce the "death of a Con-federate pirate." So the rare old tars are going rapidly to Davy Jones's locker, are they? But we learn from perusals of some of the exchanges announcing this lact that a goodly supply of rebel desperators and guerrillas are still round, and we occasionally see an in-

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT.

New Company Organized With

We have had such a large number of deasant visitors here this winter that our energetic reporters have found it imossible to mention, appropriately, even small proportion of them. This is the excuse for our neglect last week to note the arrival of several gentlemen from thio, who for several days have been doing" Asheville, and "viewing with a ritic's eye" her points of advantage from business, as well as a pleasure stand-

II. Young, of Kenton, Ohio; Mr. A. W. Butt, of Springfield, Ohio, a gentleman of large means, and for many years an ex tensive manufacturer of agricultural imolements; Mr. J. E. Heffelfinger, a wellsnown and popular life insurance agent, controlling most of that business in the State of Ohio, and Mr. Wm. Edmunds ton, one of the largest wholesale lumber

We have always admired the State of thio, which is now termed "the motherin-law of the Presidents"-we suppose beause ber daughters will marry no man unless he is fit to succeed George Washngton, and even with this high resolve, ione of these ladies need be old maids, if we may judge from the character of her men whom we have met. But, to come back from matrimony to business: These four gentlemen were so much pleased with their inspection of our place that on Saturday last they organized a compa-

A CASH PAID-UP CAPITAL OF \$150,000. With authority to increase the same, as their business may demand, to \$500; 000. We are not prepared to name the other stockholders, but their number will probably be limited to ten, and the new company will be good for at least \$1,000,-

The plan is to absorb into this enter prise the business and plants, now being operated, and heretofore owned by Messrs Avery & Erwin, who have established a large furniture factory here, and also the plant and business of the Tuckaseige Lumber & Manufacturing Co., now operating extensively in Macon, Jackson and Swain counties. This arrangement will be completed within ten days, or as soon as a satisfactory inventory can be made of the stock of goods and material in the possession of each

The business of both of these concerns will be continued in their respective lines. plication of such additional capital as can be used advantageously; thus, Avery & Erwin's machinery will be augmented by such items as will add to their present large annual output of furniture and many other lines of wood-working, including mechanical or agricultural implements and machinery, and probably the manufreture of caskets and coffins, for which latter they expect to find a market in regions less healthful than this They realize fully that there is no local

demand for such stock. The product of the Tuckaseige Lumber & Manufacturing Co., will be also greaty enlarged, and a depot for wholesale ousiness in lumber will be established iere, probably near the railroad depot.

While THE CITIZEN is delighted to note be establishment of any manufacturing ousiness, it considers this one of the very best because all the raw material will be bought in Western North Carolina, all the labor will be employed here, and as the principals will no doubt, with their amilies, soon reside here, even the profits

will remain with us. These gentlemen will doubtless select lesirable locations and creet handsome residences, so that our real estate men and contractors will be made happy, and to the nucleus thus made; many of their Northwestern friends will soon be added. To, all such THE CITIZEN tenders a most

"Welcome all to Buncombe Hall."

DR. McDOW'S PLEA.

A Letter from the Slayer of Capt.

F. W. Dawson. Mr. Charles Baybon, of Memphis, a friend, schoolmate and associate for many years of Dr. T. B. McDow, the

slayer of Capt. Dawson, has received the following letter from him: CHARLESTON, S. C. March 18, 1889.-Mr Charles H. Baybon-My Dear Sir Your highly appreciated remembrance is at hand-what a treat it was to me. My heart went back to my old home and friends where I was so well and so favorably known ten years ago. I have in no way, let me answer you, renounced the

claim they hold upon me. Taught from childhood to lisp the ac cents of truth, I can never cradicate them from my bosom, and let me assure you. I am neither a cowardly assassin, nor a self-confessed "rake and libertine." Actuated as I have ever been by a conscientious rectitude at purpose, I trust I have nothing to tear before an impartial jury I place myself before God and my cou try for trial. I have done no crime, Your friend T. D. McDow, M. D.

Cow. Milk, Corn, Beef.

We are reliably informed that there man on the east fork of Pigeon who three years since milked a cow during the summer, worked her to the plow and made a fair crop of corn, and in the meantime kept his family supplied with coffee and other necessaries from the sale of the corn. In the fall, not willing to carry her through a prospectively hard winter, he sold her to Mr. Jas. Osborne for beef."

Parents Criminally Liable.

More than half of all deaths occur before six years of age. An army of inno cent, lovely children are swept needlessly away each year. Parents are criminally responsible for this. The death rate of children in England is less than half this.
Acker's English Baby Soother has done
more to bring this about than all other
causes combined. You cannot afford to
be without it. T. C. Smith & Co.

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When a Kansas editor makes an af fidavit that he saw a grasshopper light down on the back of a robin and lift him two feet high, in an effort, to carry him off, it is simply one solitary instance of the richness of the soil of the State. Next year they are going to tame the grass-

Railroad Tickets to all joints bought sold and exchanged. 9 N. Public Square, next to Barnard Building.

Any man can marry comfortably if he has sufficient money to procure a license and pay the parson. The hitch comes when the knot is tied.

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Professor Arnold says: MAn incurable lyspeptic is justified in committing suf-We will guarantee to cure any dyspeptic within three months by Acker's English Dyspeptic Tablets, T. C. Smith

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fhuman nature is all very well in a cent in an ordinary grocery store. There are times when a feeling of lassitude will overcome the most robust, when the system craves for pure blood, to fur-

nish the elements of health and strength

The best remedy for purifying the blood

"So you are running & Prohibition paper in Iowa now?" Yes, and doing well. See this cane It was presented to me by the local

s Dr. J. H. McLean's Sarsaparilla.

Prohibition club. "It's a beauty." Sick headache biliousness nausca cos-

tiveness, 'are promptly and agreeably banished by Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and Kidney Pillets (little pills.) "You know nothing of the peculiar ascination offered by ducated darkey to his illiterate brother. "Yes sah, I does," said the latter; "I

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In office anywhere; For habit will compel the man To do the write thing there.

nd you are feeling out of sarts and tired out, tone up your system by taking Dr. I. H. McLean's Sarsaparilla The Denver bank president, in the presence of the robber that held the bank ip, drew his check to order and made it

If health and life are worth anything

avable to bearer, so that the gentleman need not wait to be identified Dizziness; nausea, drowsiness, distress after eating, can be cured and prevented by taking Dr. J. H. McLean's Liver and

Kidney Pillets (little pills) like Eben Backlot, and so do l. But are you sure he is a young man of good moral character?" Mr. Wayback: "The very best! I was behind the fence that time he turned the first furrow in the stone pasture, and he

only swore once going and once coming. A low condition of health is common vorry. Mental anguish causes bodily sufferings. Anxiety and care has broken lown many constitutions. A train of lisorders usually follows mental distress Heart affections, nervousness, sleepless-ness, dyspepsia, liver complaint, kidney roules, cit. He among the list. ure remedy for relieving all mental and hysical distress is Brown's fron Bitters. t at once strengthens every part of the ody, making work a pleasure and care

Miss Penelope Peachblow+1 am sorry on were so jolly, as it is considered bad orm now for girls to drink champagne. Miss Dolly Flicker-It may be bad form, out it's good taste.

A Scrap of Paper Saves Her Life. It was just an ordinary scrap of paper but it saved her life. She was in the last stages of consumption, told by physicians that she was incurable and could live only a short time; she weighed less than seventy pounds. On a piece of wrapping paper she read of Dr. King's New Discovery; and got a sample bottle; it helped ber; she bought a large bottle; it helped her more; bought another and grew better fast; continued its use and is now strong, healthy, rosy, plump, weighing stamp to W. H. Cole, druggist, Fort Smith, Trial bottles of this, wonderful Discovery free at F. L. Jacobs drug store.

Mr. Ouav-"Mr. President, here is another man I want nominated for a oreign mission." Harrison (wearily)-"Is he a son of his

"No: he's a son of the ould sod." "Oh! Thank you, thank you; anything for a change." Even the most vigorous and hearty

people have at times a feeling of weariness and lassitude. To dispet this feeling

take Dr. J. H. McLean's Sarsaparilla; it vill impart vigor and vitality, "If I were going to start a paper," re-marked young Dolly, "I'd call it the

'Jackpot.''
"Why?" asked Grimsby.
"Because every one would want to