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KNOXVILLE'S FESTIVAL.

A SUCCESS MUSICALLY AND FINANCIALLY.

Juch's Divine Voice and Pretty Face-Perolii's Magnificent Tenor-Campanari's Ovation.

idence of The Citizen Special Correspon KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 13 .-- Knox-KNOXVILLE, Tenn., June 13.—Knox-ville's first attempt at a musical festival is now a thing of the past, and we are glad to be able to report was a decided success, certainly musically, and we think financially. To attempt to have a mus cal festival, and to put it through successfully, even in a place of the size of Knoxville, required much more than one might at first sumose A the size of Knoxville, required much more than one might at first suppose. A music-loving people of sufficient number and wealth to secure talent from the great musical centers, is the first re-quisite, and a few with energy and perse-verance to make the effort. This was done early in the winter, and after several failures, success was at last attained and Knoxville decided to have a June festival. This has been largely due to Mr. W. P. Chamberlain, Prof. John Marshall, Mr. Alex. A. Arthur and a few other gentle-men, aided by the musical people of the dace, of whom there are quite a number. The weather has been most unpropitious, the first two days of the festival being very stormy. This, of course, deterred many from coming, but would not ac-count for the seemingly total absence of visitors from the country. The audiences both in the theater and at the open air concerts were popular in character, being largely, so far as a stranger could tell, formed of the town's people. This is hardly surprising, when one considers that the rural population of this section of the country have not had the necestaste for music that one finds in the Germans or Italians. This festival has certainly been a most choring certainly been a most glorious oppor-tunity to many to whom the delights of really good music had bitherto been a closed book, for getting a glimpse, and a good one, into the pleasures in store belief.'

for them if they will only seek them. The city has been decorated on many of its streets, and particularly Gay street, with bunting and evergreens in honor of its first festival, but the rain has sadly dampened them, and the red, white and blue present a most woetul mixture of shades. The warm welcome that the citizens have given visitors has pargely atoned for the unfortunate weath

The services of Herr Carl Zerrahn, were secured as musical director of the festival. Herr Zerrahn is most ably supported by the Boston Symphony Cluby an orchestra that has proved itself well fitted for the important place it occupies in the festival.

The soloists are, Miss Emma Juch, the foremost among American sopranos, Mme. Herbert Foerster, who has been the dramatic soprano of the Metropoli-tan opera house for the past winter. Miss Helen Doenhoff, contraito; Signor Jules Perotti, the famous tenor; Signor Gui-seppe Campanari, baritone, and Herr Emil Fischer basso, who for some reason, however, did not appear. The in-strumental artists are Frl. Aus der Ohe, pianiste; Mr. Max Bendix, violinist and Mr. Victor Herbert violincellist.

The festival opened with a concert Monday afternoon at Staub's theatre. The program was of a popular charance of the conference. Mignon," and closing with Gounod's grand march from "La Reine de Saba." The best numbers on this program were a solo for a violinello, a nocturne by Chopin, and an Aria of Rossim's from Barbierre by Signor Campanari. The Monday evening concert proved in many respects the most enjoyable of the series, selections being well made and in nearly every instance well rendered. Miss Juch won for herself at once the position of the favorite of the festival, not only by her wonderful voice, but as well by her charming manners and lovely The storms of applause with which Miss Juch was received and the persistency of the encores spoke more than words of the pleasure she gave. On Tuesday afternoon the first open air concert was ed at given at Elmwood Park, three miles from the city. A large pavillion the had been erected for the occasion. The number present by a careful estimate, did not exceed seven hundred. The program was very properly more popular. The pleasure of listening to it was largely marred by the disturbance kept up by the andience, excessively annoying both to the performers and to those who were enjoying the music, Beethoven's An-dante, Fifth Symphony and Berlioz Hun-garian March, "La Damnation of Faust," were on this program and were well ren-dered. The Opera House was filled to overflowing for the concert Tuesday night, scarcely a vacant seat remaining The first part of the program was thor-oughly enjoyable. Handel's Largo for violins, (solo played by Mr. Bendix) was violins, (solo played by Mr. Bendix) was beautifully rendered. Mr. Bendix is a general favorite and has won many friends by his good looks as well as his delightful Signor Perotti gave as his solo playing. Signor Perotti gave as his solo "Di Quell a Pira" from Il Trovatore The Unknown Wreck. HALIFAX, N. S., June 13 .- No further news has been received here about the Signor Perotti ranks as one of the four great tenors of the world and is famed wreckage that drifted ashore on Shelburne for the case and vigor with which he reaches "high C." His voice has wonderonst. A dense fog has prevailed to westward for a week or ten days. There is ful strength and flexibility, but lacks to an impression that the steamer is a large ship, and has been wrecked on Little Hode Island off Liverpool, where the some extent that element of sweetness so essential to an enjoyable tenor. A concerto in E Flat of Liszt's by steamer Merrimac was lost year before Frl, Aus der Ohe received a well merited burst of applause. Miss Aus du Obe has the reputation of being Liszt's favorite The Dock Strikers Weakening. pupil and this selection gave her an ample opportunity to display her wonderfu GLASGOW, June 13 .- The striking dock laborers along the Clyde show signs of weakening. There are now 6,000 men around this harbor who have quit work. umand of her instrument. Her technique is remarkable, ranking far above the average female professional. As the second part of the program the fourth The strikers have stopped, and set fire to second part of the program the act from II Trovatore was given. a van in which provisions were being car-ried to imported laborers in the Anchor The expectations of the audience were reputation, but were scarcely fulfilled at the highest pitch owing to Perotti's Warning to Switzerland. The orchestra fell far short of rendering their part satisfactorily, which evidently hampered the singers, and the rendition LONDON, June 13 .- Rusia, Germany and Austria have sent an identical note to the Swiss government, advising it to deal of the act lacked warmth and feeling, The open air concert Wednesday after noon was much more of a success than more severely with anarchists and socialists. the previous one, the audience being very large and enthusiastically appreciative. Panama Canal Troubles. PARIS, June 13 .- The cabinet to-day liscussed the difficulties of the Panama for after his rendering "Factorum" from the Barbee of Seville, Wednesday Canal company. The liquidator of the night. The last night of the festival was given up entirely to Wagner, all the sing-ers taking part. Herr Zerrahn had his ment will shortly present a bill. ers taking part. Herr Zerrahn had his orchestra remarkably well under control and the instrumental parts of the perfor-mance were unusually well rendered. Sc-lections were made from Taunhauser, The Meisterwinger, The Flying Dutch-man and Lohengrin, giving an excellent idea of the four great operas-a taste that only sharpened one's appetite for more. Miss juch was not in as good voice as usual, but Perotti excelled him-self. The festival may be said to have Plotting Editors Arrested. staff of the Italian Irredente paper L., Independent published in this city have been arrested. A Discovery

munical treat for all in this section. It is as little as can be said for the people of Knoxville that they deserve great credit for undertaking and successfully putting through their festival and we trust that their success this year may encourage them to repeat it another seasion. THE CRONIN CASE.

Gov. Hill Refuses to Surrende Maroney and McDonald

seen the the island. Martinson, the expressman who hauled the furniture to the Carlson cottage, and the bartender, who found the bloody trunk after it had been abandoned by Woodruff and his accomplices, were both brought to the jury room. Nothing has trans-pired thus far that is new in the result of

to-day's investigation. ALBANY, June 13 .- A requisition was presented to Gov. Hill to-day from Gov. Fifer, of Illinois, for the surrender of John J. Moraney and Charles McDon-ald, charged with the murder of Dr. Cro-nin. The Governor denied the application again expose her to yellow fever. without renewal of the same, simply upon these grounds: First, that the ap-plication was not accompanied by an indictment, and second, that no proof whatever was presented showing that the accused are guilty of the crime

MRS. MAYBRICK

Committed for Trial at the Next Session of the Assizes.

LIVERPOOL, June 13 .- At the hearing day in the case of Mrs. Maybrick who is charged with poisoning her husband, Michael Maybrick, brother of the deceased, admitted that he had given to the police a copy of the despatch which the accused had requested him to cable New York. He had sent the despatch next day. The hearing was concluded to-day, and Mrs. Maybrick was com

nitted for trial at the next assizes. The Samoan Conference.

BERLIN, June 13 .- The American comissioners to the Samoan conference nive received instructions from Mr. Blaine, the American Secretary of State. n relation to the protocol drawn up by the conference. Mr. Blaine disagrees with several provisions of the protocol, and is ulso of the opinion that England and Germany have not gone far enough in re-spect to the rights conceded to the United States. The conference had a sitting to-day to receive Mr. Blaine's reply. The English and German commissioners will afterwards consider Mr. Blaine's objections and decide upon what policy they shall pursue; and upon the attitude which they adopt depends the continu-

FOLKS YOU KNOW. A NEGRO APPOINTED COLLECTOR OF CUSTORS AT BEAUFORT, S. C.

Elmwood. The Kearsarge Ordered to Hayti-

The Collector of Customs at Petersburg-The Samoan **Commissioners Canard.**

WASHINGTON, June 13 .- All applications at the State department for information respecting the cablegram received yester-day from Hayti are met with a point blank relusal, the officials even declining to make a negative statement that there visiting relatives in Asheville

was nothing alarming in the news. Secre registered at the Swanna retary Tracy, however, was willing to say that the dispatch did not reveal the existence of a dangerous state of affairs at Hayti, but another officer who had cablegram hinted that it told of renewed fighting between the factions on

Knoxville yesterday.

Commodore Ramsay, of the New York navy yard, had a long private interview with the Secretary of the Navy this morn-A. Burwell, Esq., a prominent and wealthy resident of Charlotte, is at the ing. Secretary Tracy has ordered the Kearsarge to proceed at once to Hayti.

Contractor E. D. Davidson of the She will carry Rear Admiral Gherardi. It was the original intention to send the Electric Street Railway Co., has returned rom New York.

was the original intention to send the Boston on this mission, as she could make the trip in about half the time that will be taken by the Kearsarge, but the latter has been substituted because the Boston is technically known as a "fever ship," and it would be hazardous to Assistant manager A. W. Brownson o the Mountain Park hotel at Hot Springs, was here yesterday.

ille festival.

A. J. Reeves, of Waynesville, and Chas. F. Meller, jr., and wife, of South Bend. The President to-day appointed to be collector of customs T. Jefferson Jarrett, for the district of Petersburg, Va.; Roht. Ind., were at the Grand Central last night.

Smalls for the district of Beaufort, S. C. Jefferson Jarrett, appointed collector of customs at Petersburg, Va., is a mer-chant of high standing, a leading mem-ber of the church, and has three times Mr. E. Breese has leased the Rawls ottage corner Spruce and College streets. He will conduct a boarding house during the summer

been elected mayor of Petersburg. It is understood that he is in political accord Mrs. B. M. Jones, mother of our towns with ex-Senator Mahone. The former men Thos. A. and B. M. Jones, returned Virginia Senator was asked this after-noon to what side in the fight the new to the city last night after a year's resiappointee belonged. There was a merry dence in Louisiana.

twinkle in his eyes as he replied: "I know nothing about sides." Then, Yan-kee fashion, he continued: "Did you ever see a jug with two sides? A jug has only Judge Chas, E. Fenner's family, of New Orleans, arrived last night and will spend the summer in Asheville. Judge Fenner will reach the city next week. one side and handle. Jarrett is a straight, energetic, vigorous Republican."

J. Richardson, Terre Haute; R. B. Robert Smalls, appointed customscol-lector at Beaufort, S. C., is a well-known Green, Richmond; R. Starke Heriot, Macon, Ga.; W. W. Brown, S. C.; were colored Republican ex-Congressman from the "Black district of South Carolina." late arrivals at the Swannanoa last He was a slave at the outbreak of the night. war but captured a vessel belonging to

W. G. Doolittle, late proprietor of the the Confederacy and rendered good service to the Union cause. amous Spring Hotel at Richfield Springs, The record of the examinations at the

N. Y., has assumed the management of military academy just read at the war the Mountain Park hotel, at Hot department shows that cadet Young, of Springs. Ohio, the only colored cadet at West Point, failed to pass final examina-

Mr. J. A. Tennent has been elected buildtions. On the recommendation of the academic board he will be given two months time to make good his deficiency ing inspector of the city by the City Council. The appointment is a superior one, and Mr. Tennent will make a faithif he can,

ful and efficient officer. There is the highest authority for the Mr. C. L. Hoffman, a student at statement that there is no foundation whatever for the story published in New Ravenscroft School, this city, will return York this afternoon that Secretary Blaine had ordered the American commissioners to his home at Lexington this morning, having completed his studies at the

to withdraw from the Samoan conference unless more concessions are made. above named institution Negotiations at Berlin, it is said, are proceeding in perfect harmony. Bond offerings to-day were \$37,500 of four per cents at \$1.29, and \$37,000 of United States district attorney Chas Price, of Salisbury, is at Battery Park.

four and a halfs at \$1.06%; all accepted.

and Flood.

Who They Are: Where They Are and What They Are Doing. THE MASS AT STONE BRIDGE BURNING FURIOUSLY. Mr. Robert Loudon has returned from

The Loss of Life Not Near So Great as at First Supposed— Shipment of Supplies to be Stopped for the Present.

THE VALLEY OF DEATH.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., June 13.—The first real work under the supervision of the State commenced this morning at six o'clock. The whistle at the Cambria Iron and Steel Works was the signal for the men to commence, and about 1,500 started in with their picks and shovels started in with their picks and shovels. The early morning was warm and cloudy, and the fames and odors from decayed bodies was something almost unbearable. As the morning advanced the weather grew warmer, and by ten o'clock the sun was shining brightly, and everyone on the ground was hard at work. During the morning a crowd of worthless loafers in some manner secured entrance to the town and wanted to in augurate a strike among the workmen

augurate a strike among the workmen. Some of the laborers were already dis-satisfied at having new bosses over them and only wanted a chance to complain. James McKnight, of Pittsburg, of the State contractors, got wind of the trouble brewing, and went among the men and imformed them that he would have no kicking, and all those who wished to quit would have to do so immediately, and about 100 men left, but the loafers remained around, and Mr. McKnight went to Gen. Hastings and demaned protection for his men. A detachment of militia from the Fourteenth regiment all the men who refused to work. This caused Gen. Hastings to issue an order to the soldiers not to admit any one to ohnstown proper, without an order. The business men of the town seemed to have awakened to their senses, and this morning a number of them were preparing to start over again in business. Two grocery stores were started near the Pennsylvania railroad freight sta-

tion, both places doing a land office business, and this encouraged other mer-chants to start up and the probabilities are that inside of a week, at the latest, a hundred stores will be in operation. Already two barber shops and one jewelry store have been opened. JOHNSTOWN, Pa., June 13 .- The general

opinion among well posted people here is that the loss of life will be between 3000 and 4000.

It was generally given out that Johns town and the boroughs adjoining had a population of 35,000, but this was a very high estimate and conservative people put the population between 25,000 and 28,000. Col. Rogers, who has charge of registration, states that from all he can learn, the population only amounted to about 25,000; and this ac counts for 10,000 people supposed to be lost. Reports sent out from here to the effect that 12,000 to 15,000 people were missing, were based upon the supposition that there were 35,000 inhabitants in these boroughs. Reports as to the num-

these boroughs. Reports as to the num-ber of bodies recovered at different points along the flooded disasters are very con-flicting. Supposed official reports have been sent in by different persons, and these are also conflicting and put the number of bodies recovered anywhere function of bodies from 1,100 to 1,800. Consequently, there is no telling how many bodies have been

recovered. The total number of bodies recovered

to-day was 19, making a grand total of and each car will be equipped with two

two.

A MARK OF RESPECT.

The Fing Over the First National Bank at Half-Mast. The flag over the First National Bank

f Asheville remained at half-mast all day vesterday as a mark of respect to the memory of Dr. Andrew Simonds, of Charleston, S. C., who was closely identified with it personally, and also as a

director and stockholder. Dr. Simonds' death to the banking fra ternity in the South is a heavy loss, and he was regarded North as its leading inancier. His opinions were sought and quoted by such men as the late Secretary of the Treasury, Chas. J. Folger, and others.

He commenced his bank career as a director of the Bank of the State of South Himes, colored. Eleven were aga Carolina, becoming in 1859 the president of the branch at Abbeville, which position he held until the organization were sent in against parties indicted for of the First National Bank of Charleston

in 1865, when he was elected president and managed the same through the twenty-five years ending with his death Wednesday.

This bank is regarded as the strongest bank South, withits capital of \$250,000, and its surplus and undivided profits of \$450,000, consisting largely of United States four per cent bonds. In addition, it paid dividends of 10@12 per cent. and on one occasion 25 per cent., and paid

largest salary paid in the State. Dr. Simonds was born in Abbeville, S C., his mother being one of the Calhouns, and a granddaughter of Maj. Andrew Hamilton of the Revolution. His interest in the First National Bank of Asheville began with its organization and continued throughout his life, his advice, his bank's powerful resources and his personal credit being always at their ommand. A friend to Asheville, a friend to our friends, may he requiescat in pace.

THE STREET RAILWAY.

Work on the Extensions Will Be gin at Once-The New Cars Nearly Completed.

We are happy to answer the repeated nquiry, "when is work to be resumed on the Street Railway," by stating that Mr. E. D. Davidson returned to the city yesterday and informed us that he intended to start work on the north Main street extension immediately.

He will commence at the present terminus of the track in front of the court house, and on his way down north Main street will put in the switch at Pulliam street.

He hopes to have the road along north Main street in running order early in

They will comprise some new features

of the new Sprague motors. These mo

The new cars will seat forty passengers,

while those now in use seat only twenty-

RANDOM NOTES

Roped In by Rambling Reporters

Roaming Around the City.

Peaches are selling at twenty cents per

Sawyer's store on Patton avenue, is a

The Pinion Detective Agency's head-

store, corner of College and north Main

The market house, between Scott's

streets.

tors are each fifteen horse power.

THIRTY-EIGHT TRUE BILLS

NUMBER 54.

RETURNED IN FOUR DAYS BY THE GRAND JURY.

Bradley and Donovan Will be Ar-raigned This Borning–Liquor Dealers Indicted–A Number of Convictions Yesterday,

Thirty-cight true bills against parties adicted for violations of the law have been found by the grand jury of the present criminal court during the past four days, and their labors are by no means ended yet.

Among the eighteen bills returned by this body yesterday was one against Bradley and Donovan, the policemen charged with the murder of Winston Duffy, alias liquor dealers of Asheville charged with selling liquor to minors, and the rest

The bill against Bradley and Donovan will be read in court this morning, when these gentlemen will be arraigned upon a charge of murder. Solicitor Carter will conduct the prosecution assisted by Mr. V. S. Lusk, counsel for Duffy's relatives; and the policemen will be represented by city attorney Thos. G. Cobb, J. G. Merrimon and other able counsel.

Among the cases tried yesterday were the following:

Laura Shaft, assault with deadly weapon. Guilty; sentence postponed.

A. S. Metcalfe and Q. S. Metcalfe, assault with deadly weapon. Guilty; sentenced to pay \$15 fine and costs each. J. V. Jay, J. A. Wise and B. L. Ashworth, grave robbery. Case continued. J. H. Wheeler and Matilda Guthrie, fornication and adultery. Continued.

Chas. Rash, Robert Rash, A. Frisbic and Jas. Fore; disturbing religious congregation. Guilty; sentence postponed. Caney Smith, in same case, plead guilty, and was discharged on payment of costs. Robert Snelson also implicated in same case was held for trial.

Joseph McClatchy, charged with assault with intent to kill, having fled the county, an order for judgment against his surety was granted by Judge Moore. Mr. A. A. Featherston was McClatchy's bondsman in the sum of \$1000.

John Whitaker, charged with fence burning, was on trial when court adjourned at four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Great interest is manifested in the trial of policemen Bradley and Donovan, which will be opened this morning, and it is probable that the case will not be given to the jury before late to-morrow afternoon.

Beyond all doubt yesterday's session was the busiest of the term, and the The new cars are almost finished and court officers from His Honor down to are expected to be shipped next week, janitor, seemed glad indeed when the

Norman McLoud attended the Knox-Miss Ada Johnson is visiting Miss Jen ie Bingham at Salisbury.

Mr. David Rankin of New York City is J. Wyman and wife, of Cleveland, O. Messrs, N. T. Sherman and H. G. Feruson are here from Greenville, S. C. Col. W. E. Williamson, Fred A. Hull, and John S. Churchill returned from

The Arwagh Disaster.

ARWAGH, June 13 .- Many anxious The Celestials Meet Them by Fire riends are making inquiries for their nissing children at the infirmary to which persons injured in yesterday's rail road were taken. Crowds surround the Hong Kong via. Yokahoma. The Shang-hai Courier of May 10th, contains news ouilding and discussion of the terrible disaster engrosses the attention of the entire which the latter received from a corres community. The interior of the infirmary presents sad spectacle. One of

wounded, a boy named Cleland died this morning. Both of his parents and his two brothers were killed outright. The dead now number 74. Others of the wounded are in a critical condition.

Launch of a Great Torpedo Ship.

Commenting on this, the Shanghai ourier says: "In case this startling Loxnos, June 13 .- The torpedo de Courier says: partment ship Vulcan was launch news is true, it is a remarkable fact that Portsmouth to-day. Shi it has not reached Shanghai before now. largest vessel the as it is just a month since the fire was artment has ever built. It is intended reported to have occured still this is not that she shall accompany the fleet and carry a large equipment of torpedo boats has not happened; a month is not too She will form a floating work shop. She will be supplied with hydraulic cranes on long a time for a letter to reach Chung which torpedo boats can be hoisted in and out of water. The Vulcan is of 6620 ton's burthen, and 12,000 horse power.. We met a gentleman in Shanghai today who was in Ichong less than a month ago and he informed us that

The Ocean Steamers Sail.

QUEENSTOWN, June 13 .- The Anchor

e steamer. City of Rome left Liverpool resterday and arrived here to-day. She secured seven firemen at this place and roceeded for New York. Fourteen sail-CONDITION OF DR. ENNETT. body ors are waiting here to join the Inman line steamer City of New York, which was detained at Liverpool yesterday by

of

Defalcation of a Sheriff-A Large the desertion of her crew. Striking sea-Graduating Class. men and firemen at other ports still re-RALEIGH, N. C., June 13.-[Special.]-

Consternation prevails. Telegrams an-nounce that the bottom has fallen out of the Northern market. Some weeks ago Dr. W. T. Ennett, of the accompanied them, and is the guest of fain-Miss Bessie Gratz. The time of her return Wilmington, the president of State Medical Association State ted and fell into the fire. He has never recovered. His condition is very serious. Fears are entertained for his life.

Sheriff Bock, of Moore county, is short

in his accounts nearly \$12,000, due to mismanagement of his office. Commencement exercises at Wake For

st college were to-day attended by 3,000 Hy polite Victorious-Legitime people. Twenty-eight students gradu ated, the largest in the history of the

college. There are 218 students. Governor Fowle left to-day for a tour m the U. S. coast survey schooner Scoresby through the oyster waters of the State. He will return Tuesday. His ti physicians advised him to take this trip. Alene said that Legitime had sought pro-tection of the American consul at Port-

Sparks from the Wire.

Six setlers were massacred by Chippewa Indians at Mille Lacs Lake, near Moran, Minn., yesterday, Assistance has been asked of the Governor in quelling the uprising.

A meeting of the executive committee tants, A man named Maron, Legitime's of the Pennsylvania coal miners' associas tion at Pittsburg yesterday resulted in minister of foreign affairs, or an ex-president of the republic, whose name Williams could not recall would doubtissuance of an order for a general the company read his report, and the result of his findings will be that the govern-stores in the coal regions. The strike is presidency of Hayti. to go into effect to-m

The question of submitting the consti TRIESTE, June 13 .- The editor and tutional amendment providing for the election of State officers in Connecticut to the people, has been defeated in the lower house of the General Assembly now

CALAMITIES EVENYWHERE. trict of North Carolina. Mrs. Chas. A. Moore, Mrs. Theo, S

bodies recovered of 1 999. The mass at Morrison, Mrs. W. S. Child, Miss Addie stone bridge was fired this afternoon and to-night is burning furiously. With it is Davidson, Herbert Child, A. L. Wiley SAN FRANCISCO, June 13 .- Steamer, destroyed all hope of recovering the bod City of Pekin, arrived yesterday from Will Aiken and others, returned from Knoxville vesterday afternoon.

Mr. Price was recently appointed by

President Harrison for the western dis-

G. E. Cridler, E. D. Davidson, William Chapman, New York; H. H. Donohoo pondent at Chung King to the effect that Lu Chow, a city of some importance in St. Louis; R. H. Smythe, Jackson, Miss, upper Pougtszel, was reported as being nearly destroyed by fire. About a month H. L. Evans, Wilmington, Del., and Chas Price, Salisbury, are at Battery Park. previous, seven out of the eight gates of the city are said to have been destroyed

President Breese yesterday sent a letter and the loss of life in burned and tramped of condolence to the widow of the late Stanton, chairman of the transportation to death is estimated at ten thousand Dr. Simonds, president of the First National Bank of Charleston, whose death was announced in this paper yesterday. Conductor Thomas Murphy, W. N. C. stop the shipment of supplies in kind to R. R., and Pullman conductor J. E. conclusive proof that the great disaster Cantler passed through the city yesterday on their way from Swain court, where they were summoned to appear as witnesses in a damage suit.

Mr. Fred L. Jacobs of this city was Mandarin was a fellow passenger with him as far as Honkow and he told him about the fire, mentioning that three-fourths of the people of Lu Chow had been destroyed." elected chairman of the committee on Good of the Order at the recent session of the Grand Lodge, K. of P., held at Salis-bury. This is one of the most important to point anything special which could be better supplied from New York than from points nearer at hand. The great prob-lem of getting the people of Commangly valley upon their feet so as to enable the most important elected chairman of the committee on anything special which could be bury. This is one of the most important valley upon their feet so as to enable them to help themselves, is one to which

Miss Ethel Lyons, Miss Mary Ellis Atkins, and Miss Jessie Wheeler returned

from Asheville Female College yesterday

to spend vacation with friends and kindred. Miss Davidson, of Asheville,

Fugitive.

A Hig Tobacco Trust.

Inited States. Their scheme is claimed

ters.

The Knoxville Tribune of yesterday says: A lovely quartette of Knoxville tention.' girls consisting of Miss Bessie Gratz,

ies that are certainly there entombed. NEW YORK, June 13 .- The total amount received at the mayor's office to-day for the Johnstown sufferers was \$13,072. The grand total to date is, \$341,107. The benefit at the Metropolitan Opera House this afternoon for the Johnstown suffers netted \$226; at the Casino

\$557 A match game of base ball will b This dispatch was received by Walter played at Camp Scales this afternoon at three o'clock. committee, from Governor Beaver to-day "From my personal inspection at Johns Regular weekly meeting of the City town a day or two since, it occurs to me. Council at the city hall at eight o'clock that it might be well, for the present, to this evening. any of the points named. There are many cases of individual suffering, which Mail and passenger trains over all roads were behind time in reaching the can only be reached by personal investicity vesterday. gation. Food and raiment, and in most cases, shelter have been provided. In its new dress of bright colors, the

There is no immediate bodily suffering. Battery Park hotel is more attractive to I will ask Gen Hastings to communicate with you in case he should be in need of the eye than ever before. dozen on the Asheville market, and the fruit is inferior in quality, at that, beauty, with its solid glass front, handwe must turn our thonghts, and to this end the commission which I have just somely painted exterior and brilliant gas appointed will give their immediate atlights

WM. F. COLCOCK DEAD.

Distinguished South Carolina

Statesman and Scholar.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 13 .- Hon lumber yard and Woodbury's livery sta-Wm. F. Colcock died to-day. For many ble on College street, has been torn down years he was one of the most distinguish ed citizens of the State. He represented and the debris removed. of the House and served as representative vocate of secession, and a member of the scholar and possessed large wealth and

> The tower being removed from court square by contractor Kimber fell with a crash early yesterday morning, smashing the top into splinters. Nobody was hurt, and the tower damaged but little.

A Fourth of July celebration at Asheville Sulphur Springs is being arranged by Mr. Carrier. Balloon ascensions, glass ball and pigeon shooting, and a ball at night will be the chief features.

is being demolished preparatory to the crection of the proposed Patton avenue opera house. The work of excavation A Hig Tobacco Trust. Sr. Louis, June 13.—The latest is the trust of \$25,000,000, which takes in all the plug tobacco manufacturers in the for this building has about been completed.

Since the crection of the new engine at the electric light station has been completed, the lights furnished consumers in No Colored Odd Fellows The the city have been all that could be desired. Everyone is pleased with the increased brilliancy and perfectuess of the

THE ROYAL ARCANUM

Makes a Liberal Donation to the Brethren at Johnstown.

A special meeting of French Broad Council, Royal Arcanum, was held last evening, to take into consideration the propriety of sending a testimonial of sympathy to the brethren of that Order in the desolated region of Pennsylvania. After suitable expressions had been made by all the members present-expressions full of fraternal love and heartfelt sorrow, the Council decided to contribute the sum of one hundred dollars to the special relief fund, which the treasurer was directed to remit forthwith to the supreme treasurer.

A Quiet Wedding.

Miss Cordie Erwin, daughter of the late Major A. M. Erwin, and a popular and well-known young lady of this city, was united in marriage at eleven o'clock yesterday morning to Mr. John Edward Wright, of King and Queen county, Va., Rev. Dr. Jarvis Buxton, of Trinity Episcopal church, officiating. The ceremony took place at the residence of Mr. W. M. Erwin, on south Main street, and was witnessed by only a few invited friends. Mr. and Mrs. Wright left on the 1:30 quarters are now located over Cooper's afternoon train for Richmond and other citics.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds recorded in the Register's office resterday, were as follows: Chas. M. Daugherty and wife, to T. William Sharpless, city lot on French Broad avenue; consideration \$2,750.00 rank P.Love and wife to Chas. McNamee, tract of land in southern portion of Buncombe; consideration. 3,450.00 C. S. Cooper to Bostic & Blanton, city lot on North Main street; consideration 1.250.00

Total amt. of transactions ... \$7,450.00

Ten Dollars More.

Yesterday's contributors to the Johnstown relief fund in this city were as folows: Mrs. J. A. Sluder \$2; Miss Anna Woodfin \$2; W. P. Blair \$5; cash \$1.50. Total \$10.50. The amount subscribed yesterday swells the Pionion Detective Agency fund to \$444.75; and adding to this, the \$100 donated by the Royal Arcanum last night, the total sum raised in this city for the relief of the Conemaugh The livery stable of Reynolds & Spears sufferers reaches \$544.75.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

Devotional services will be held to-night at half past eight o'clock in the chapel of the M. E. church, South. All young men of the city are urgently requested to at-

TORONTO, June 13.-The Canadian or-der of Odd Pellows now in accession here voted down the motion to provide for the eligibility of a colored man for mem-bership in the Order.

rested soon Gov. Lec's Representative. RICHMOND, June 13 .- Gov. Lee, whose official duties preclude his attendance; has designated Hon. Wm. Wirt Henry to

son of Patrick Henry.

to be one of self-protection. All manu-facturers will sell out to one company

great influence. Trial of Paymaster Whan's Robgence substantiating the London cable reports of Hypolite's victory and Legibers. Tucson, Arizona, June 13 .- The prelimi nary hearing of the parties who robbed paymaster Whan, was commenced yes-terday afternoon. Gilbert Webb, Wilford ne's defeat. Chief officer Williams of the au-Prince. Hyppolite's officers had en-Webb, Matt Fallett, Lyman Fallett, M. tered Port-nu-Prince, and taken tossess-ion of the town. The victorious war-E. Cunningham, Thomas Lamb, and

David Rogers, were held to answer be rior, however, Williams said was not popular with the people generally, and could probably never be president of the black republic by the vote of the inhabi-cumstantial evidence adduced against Other parties will probably be arthem.

will be opened for the summer to-mor-

and during the war; was an ardent adconvention in 1860. He was a fine

Prince William Parish in the State Legislature for a number of years, was speaker

THE BLACK REPUBLIC. NEW YORK, June 13 .- The steame

to Asheville will doubtless be regretted by our young gentlemen who may be favored with her acquaintance, as she is one of Asheville's most charming daugh-

An addition one hundred feet in length, forty feet wide and containing forty in Congress for two years. He was col-lector of the Poet of Charleston, before the Home Industrial school building, for-

merly Oakland Inn, in Victoria. The Asheville Sulphur Springs hotel

row. Proprietor Carrier is preparing

Alene, from Kingston, Jamaica, June 6 arrived this morning, and brings intelli

for the entertainment of a large crowd of visitors.