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OUR NEW NAVY.

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.-The steel gov-ernment cruiser Baltimore, the third con-structed by the Messra. Cramp, and the

most formidable of the new navy, started lown the river this morning for a three

THE NEW YORK FLOODS.

BRIDGES SWEPT AWAY AND MANY LIVES ARE LOST.

mills and Tanneries Desloyed, Great Damage Done to Build-infis-a Scene of Desolation Left in Every Direction.

NEW YORK, July 10 .- A special from abustown New York says: The water Joinstowner of the water which came up over this village last night has subsided greatly this morning, but has left a scene of desolution in every direction. The water reached fifteen feet, and overflowing everything. It has now fallen about eight feet below its highest point. Ten people are reported missing The bodies of four have been recovered These four are all Johnstown people. Those whose bodies are recovered are Charles Frear and two men named Soakley and Yost, and a fourteen year old boy named Steadwell. The drowned old boy named Steadwell. The drowned and missing people were among a crowd of thirty to hfty persons who stood on the stone bridge crossing the river at Ferry street watching the rising waters. They seemed regardless of the danger until the bridge gave way, and the were pre-cipitated into the flood. The bridge was about twenty feet high and fifteen feet wride. It wans a single arch and was wide. It was a single arch and was crossed by the street car track. The stone bridge was swept away at seven o'clock in the evening. Two iron bridges of the Johnstown, Fonda and Gloucester railway were wrecked and carried away. Two tanneries owned by Simon Schriber were swept away and the Schriber and Anderson dams were broken down. The water in the Coyaduta creek began to rise at 4.30 o'clock and the stream was soon converted into a raging torrent of men, women and children who were thrown into the water by breaking of a stone bridge. A large number were saved by means of ropes thrown to them from the shore. This morning the fire to Saluda yesterday morning. Thompson, is engaged in a search for bodies. The final and fatal rise in the Coyaduta were sudden and is attributed to effects of a cloud burst. Besides the sweeping away of bridges and tanneries, there is much damage to buildings which are yet left standing. The electric light plant was washed out and the town left n darkness for the night. All commun cation by wire is cut off, save through a long distance telephone, over which this

message is sent. ALBANY, N. Y., July 10.-A special to the American from Johnstown, New York, says fifteen persons were carried down the Coyaduta creek last night. Four bodies were recovered this morning. Heavy rains last night choked the stream and flooded the districts. Schreiber's large mill in this place was carried away. elected. Twenty persons were on the Ferry street bridge when the arch fell into the rushing torrent which was filled with wreckage; and human cries for help. The alarmed residents, Chief McDonald with President Norbreet, of the villiage police, justice Anderson and others organized a searching expedition. Lanterns were pro-cured, and the party went along the banks of the stream with ropes to assist in the rescue. One person was seen splashing and plunging in the water near the Johnstown, Fonda and Gloversville railroad bridge, one quarter of a mile down the stream. As he floated past those on shore he cried "For God's sake help me!" He was swept by in the so close to the shore that a man

HENDERSONVILLE.

Five Items of Interest From a Neighboring Town. nville Times, July 9

Mr. W. S. Ventes, of the United States National Museum, at Washington, is here for the purpose of securing 100 pounds of pure zircon crystals to be placed on exhibition in that institution. -

Ex-Sheriff M. S. Justus, of Blue Ridge, and Mr. Zeb. V. Arledge, of Henderson-ville, have been appointed Deputy U. S. Marshals in this county. Mr. W. D. Brock, who resides near the Henderson and Polk county line, has also been appointed, and, we are informed, will work in Polk county.

Maj. W. H. Malone, of Asheville, and Mr. W. M. Davies, of this bar, have associated themselves together for the practice of law in Henderson county. Major Malone is known to the profession as one of the ablest lawyers in the State, and the author of Criminal Briefs and Real Property Trials.

On Thursday evening while some one was drawing water from the well in Mr. John A. Gallamore's yard, by some means

McCulloch, from Saluda, Polk county, in June was very unfavorable to germi-was arrested in this place, charged with nation, and the frosts of that period inbreaking into a store at Saluda the night jured or destroyed that which was above previous. He informed his captors of the whereabouts of the things stolen, con-plants are therefore small. In Michigan sisting of a small amount of money, some checks, and also the tools with which he effected an entrance into the house, which were all recovered. He was taken back

Fifty-three incandescent lamps of 20candle power each illuminate the Rich-mond & Danville passenger depot yard at Charlotte.

Wm. Weddington, the negro murderer of policeman Pearce at Mouroe last autum, will be hanged at Charlotte to-day. The execution will be private. C. T. Grandy, late editor of the Raleigh

News and Observer has resumed his former position on the editorial staff of the Washington Post. The joint meeting of the directors of

Arts college will be held at Raleigh today. Officers of the institution will be

wife. They fought with knives and Dakota 83. violence. No arrests have been made. Colonel Richard Irving Dodge, colonel of the Eleventh infantry, United States army, having been detailed by the Adju-tant General of the United States army to attend and inspect the State Guard encampment and to make a full report of the same, has arrived at Wrightsville.

Dr. A. W. Miller, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Charlotte, left will sail from that port Wednesday on the City of Paris for an extended European tour. Mr. John M. Morehead, of Charlotte, will sail on the same steamer.

HEAVY INCREASE IN THE NAIZE AREA REPORTED.

JUNE CROP RETURNS.

The Largest Increase West of th Mississippi-Condition of Win-ter Wheat Well Sustained-Spring Crop in Dakota.

WASHINGTON, July 10 .- The June crop returns of the department of agriculture make an increase in the area planted in maize of about one and a third million cres, and a total of over seventy-seven villions. This is only a preliminary estimate, subject to revision after a more thorough census by tests now in progress. The largest increase is west of the Missis-sippi. There is a small enlargement of breadth in some of the Southern States, out in the Eastern and Middle State taken together, there is no increase. The condition of the crop is only medium, lower than usual at this period of its development. Excessive moisture has de layer planting, and low temperature and saturated soil have retarded the growth on the Atlantic coast, north of South

John A. Gallamore's yard, by some means the curbing tilted, and a little child of Mr. Gallamore sell into the water fifteen feet below the surface of the ground. The water is four or five feet deep, but the little fellow floated till Ben Mills, a colored man present, went down and rescued him. He came out uninjured, but badly frightened. He was only three years old. Tuesday evening a man named Arthur McCallach from Salada Polk county. Carolina. In the cotton States May was here has been some loss of area by plowing up and seeding to millet from failure to obtain a stand. Cut worms have been very destructive in the west. More advanced fields in this region which

which should have been cultivated four times at this date have only been plowed twice. The crop is therefore late and dependent upon July weather for improve ment while it is exposed more than usual to possible adverse conditions. Maize of the northern border from Wisconsin to eral, promising a mitigation of full dep Dakota suffered from the abnormal cold of May and the early part of June, but looks quite as well now as in the Ohio valley. West of the Mississippi in the sub-humid belt and the border of

the arid region the crop is generally in

ne condition, though injured at points by overflows and excess of moisture. The great American desert is green with the great American cereal in high developnent. The general average of condition the State agricoltural and Mechanical

is about 90, and the averages of the prin cipal States are: New York 80, Pennsylrania 88, Virginia 90, Georgia 85, Texas 8, Tennessee 92, Kentucky 90, Ohio 81, A bloody fight occurred at Lexington Michigan 70, Indiana 81, Illinois 82,

Tuesday afternoon between a colored Misconsin 83, Minasota 87, Iowa 95, man named Thomas Hargrave and his Missouri 92, Kansas 97, Nebraska 98, gashed each other badly, and were with difficulty restrained from further acts of sustained, notwithstanding injury by The condition of winter wheat is well storm and flood, the general condition standing at 92. Former complaints of threatened injury by drouth are displaced by statements of some actual damage from abundant rains. Occasional reports of injury from the Hessian fly, chinch bug, midge and rust are received, but the local estimate of condition does not indi-

cate much damage. Probably the resulting damage may be more fully dis-charged by the books of the threshers. In the heart of the West, the harvest was well advanced and is generally finished by this date. It is entirely completed in the South, and threshing is in progress. The averages of condition of the

Improved Outlook as Seen From COL. EMMONS CLARK RE-CEIVES AN APPOINTMENT. the Department.

Washington, July 10.—The report of the statistician of the department of agri-culture shows improvement in the condi-tion during the past month.' Early planted areas are well advanced. That which was planted in May, and which had not germinated before the senson of dronth is late and small. There was irost nearly throughout the cotton belt on the last of May and the first of June, which prevented germination, already

AGRICULTURAL REPORT.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The Secretary of the Treasury has received the resigna-tion of Frank Bradley, collector of revenue for the district of South Carolina. which prevented germination, already long delayed, and arrested the growth of plants. There is a general complaint of the effects of a dry and cool sensou, continuing through May and into June in delaying germination and growth, and favoring the prevalence office, west of the Mississmui enverially. In Texas the sen-Mississippi especially. In Texas the sea-son is considered a wet one, and June rains continuing till the day of the report began at an earlier date than in the At-lantic States. The effect has been to imtrict of Columbia to be Secretary of began at an earlier date than in the At lantic States. The effect has been to im-prove the stand, which was very defective and to advance the growth of the plant. The prevalence of rains left the fields somewhat grassy on the first of July, a condition which a few days of sunshine tations having too large an area for the

tations having too large an area for the number of plows. The available crop was generally kept clean during the pe-riod of drouth." Wide variation in date of germination has had the effect to make Illinois, with a smaller reduction in Ohio the crop later by a week or two than that of 1888, and the stand is not good. and Missouri.

Some plants came up in April and some late in June. The period of germination has been longer than usual throughout the cotton belt. There are local differences in the length of period. This refers to the whole of the cotton belt. Percentages of condition by States are as tollows: Virginia 83, North Carolina 85, South Carolina 84, Georgia 86, Florida 90, Alabama 87, Mississippi 91, Louis-iana 92, Texas 90, Arkansas 83, Tennesee 82. General average 87.6. The caterpillar and boll worm have

appeared in Texas and Louisiana and in some parts of Mississippi. Setting of lights and catching of the millers that dation

Death of Mrs. Tyler.

Mrs. Tyler had only been at the hotel since Sunday evening, having come from a visit to her son, Lyon G. Tyler, at Wilimsburg, and was to have left here Monday on a visit to another son on the bridges, sidewalks, and everything to ames river, but teeling unwell she kept her room. Tuesday at 11 o'clock she was taken with a chill. Dr. Edward Mcuire was sent for, and he was soon oined by Dr. Hunter McGuire, but medical skill proved of no avail, and she died at 5.15 o'clock this evening. Mrs. Tyler leaves four children, Lyon G. Tyler, presdent of William and Mary College, Gardiner G. Tyler, who lives in Charles City county, Va.; Dr. Lacklan Tyler, of Washington City, and Mrs. Wm. Ellis, of Montgomery county. Her children have been telegraphed for, but it is doubtful if any of them will be able to reach the city to-might.

Seven Cents Each.

BRAZHA Ind., July 10 .- At a regular semi-weekly meeting yesterday of the Miners' Kelief Committee \$5,754 dependents and \$462 in relief fund were reported, which is just seven cents each.

The Encampment. We have no special report from

Wrightsville, and must be content with what information the Wilmington papers HER FIRST TRIAL TRIP. give us. The Star gives us some accounts which The Present Test a Private One Preliminary to the Official Test Soon to be Nade Before the Naval Board.

we will utilize as we find convenient. The troops have now all reached Camp Latimer, the name of the encampment the same as used last year, and the same

well shaded grounds are occupied, with arrangement changed to conform more closely to army regulations than was possible last year. There are three hun-dred and seventy-nine tents in all. The troops began to arrive on the grounds about noon of Tuesday and were all probably on the ground by the evening of that day. The number present will be

and mortars, giving the troops the advantage of fortification artillery practice, tion being to put to sea this even

to the welfare and order of the State. intention to make the test as thorough

legislators learn more of its worth as a conservator of the public peace and do all that is needed in the way of appropriations to promote and guarantee its permanent efficiency!

Our Ways and Doings.

The telegrams give as daily note of what is being done to build up devastated Johnstown, an operation from all accounts equivalent to rebuilding, not only houses, but streets and thoroughfares. A stranger coming here just now might conclude that all Asheville was doing the same thing; and it is making simultaneous overhauling of all its streets,

promote future convenience by destroying it altogether for the present. Such an amount of digging up the ground for sewer pipes, gas pipes, street railway tracks, water mains, etc., has probably never been seen in any one town at the same time this side of the Mississippi

river. This, together with the darkness that prevailed while the moon did not shine, the dust that stifled as soon as it ceased to rain, the blocking up of sidewalks by the work on new buildings, all occurring at the same time at the period

when the great summer influx of visitors has set in, is full of unpleasant impression, as it is full of real inconvenience. We are philosophic enough to accept the situation as unavoidable. Visitors cer-

Veteran Association.

We are pleased to see that the meetings

of that day. The number present will be, it is expected, between 1,200 and 1,400. The Government has erected a battery, under supervision of Major Arnold, U. S. the official test, which will take place in a few weeks under the supervision of naval officers appointed by the Secretary of the Navy. Shortly after 11 o'clock the bow of the Baltimore swung out into the stream, the propeller was set in motion, and the cruiser proceeded down the river to Delaware Breakwater, the intenvantage of fortification artillery practice, a branch of service new to this generation of volunteer troops. We take the liberty of quoting the fol-lowing extract from an editorial in the Wilmington Messenger relative to the State Guard: The organization is in every way to be commended. It is composed of the best material. It is becoming more and more efficient with discipline. It is a great source of safety and contributes no little to the welfare and order of the State.

as possible. FOLKS YOU KNOW

Who They Are | Where They Are, and What They Are Doing. Julius Schiff, Esq., of Charlotte, is at Battery Park.

Mrs. Thos. D. Carter is visiting friends at Morganton.

Genial Sol. Fleischman, of Richmond, is at the Swannanoa.

Messrs, E. K. Cunningham and A. S. Bryson, of Franklin, are here.

Miss Blanche Venable returned from Morehead yesterday afternoon.

J. A. Porter has gone to Danville, Lynchburg and Greensboro on a business trip.

John Vanlandingham, a prominent citien and extensive cotton broker, of Charlotte, is at the Grand Central.

Postal clerk Chas. L. Cliff. of the Ashcville and Columbia route, railway mail service, was here yesterday.

Thomas L. Gash, Deaver's: M. A. Cooper, Brevard, and Geo. Ducker, Sumter, S. C., are at the Grand Central.

Prof. John R. Monroe left yesterday afternoon for a visit to Hot Springs and other places on the E. T., V. & G. road. Mr. J. C. Pritchard, deputy internal revenue collector of the Madison district, was here on official business vesterday.

RICHMOND, July 10.-Mrs. John Tyler, wife of ex-President Tyler, died at the SPORTING NEWS. Exchange hotel this evening from a congestive chill. Washington Park Races CHICAGO, July 10.-First race-mile for three years old: Beath Breach won, second, Guy Gray, third. Time

Second vace-Handicap Sweepstakes, nile and half: Elyton won, Stony Mont-gomery second, Montrose third. Time 1.3412 Third race—Selling two years olds, six urlongs: Willie M. won, Grace Ely secnd, Pullman third. Time 1.17. Fourth race-six furlongs: Lady Gay

von, Somerset second, Vermont third Fime 1.15%. Fifth race-six furlongs: Estelle won, ousin Jeems second, Greenshot third. Time 1.15.

Brighton Beach Races.

NEW YORK, July 10.-First race-mile Brynwood won; Young second; Broil third. Time 1.44.

Second race-mile and a quarter: Elgin won; Red Leaf second; Vigilant third. Time 2.12.

Third race-Brighton handicap, mile

The President has appointed Wm. P Bush to be postmaster at Lake City, Flat, in place of Elizah Adams appointed June 4th, last, but not commissioned. Secretary Noble was seen late this after non and asked if there were any truth in the reiterated reports that he desired to the reiterated reports that he desired to have a new commissioner of pensions in the place of corporal Tanner. He was foster it in every possible way! May getting into the department carriage at

the time to be driven to his home. He said that he had nothing to say about the report. He made no answer and immediately drove off, when asked if this

statement could be interpreted as meaning that the publications had some foun-

The President has made the following appointments: Emmons Clark, of New York, consul at Havre; Archibald J. Sampson, of Colorado, consul at Aca-pulco; Roswell Horr, of Michigan, at Valparaiso; James F. Hartinan, of the District of Columbia for the Port of Trieste and all other ports in the Austrian dominions; John J. Chew, of the Dis-trict of Columbia to be Secretary of

A COLLECTOR RESIGNS.

secretary Noble Has Nothing to

Bay About the Tanner Affair-Vesterday's Appointments by the President.

turing leaf, the latter sustaining most of the loss. A preliminary estimate makes a reduction of 30 per cent. in Tennessee, 34 in Kentucky, 44 in Indiana and 30 in

who was in a boat secured to a pile of wreckage got hold of him, but owing to the swift current was unable to hold him and he was swept under the floating driftwood. Two other persons came down a moment later clinging to drift and shouting for help. They were swept out of sight below the railroad bridge.

At 4 a. m. the body of Burt Speedwell, fifteen years of age, was recovered from the debris at this place. An hour later Albert Soakley was pulled out from under the driftwood that had lodged back of Evans' mills. Soon after the body of a man named Treadwell was found in the same place. At 9 a, m. the body of Chas. Frear, 55 years of age, was recovered from under the wreck at Evans' mill disclosing The bodies were badly bruised. Charles Abbott was carried from the Ferry street bridge to-day, which he went over, going down a distance of sixteen feet, but he miraculously succeeded in swimming shore and escaped without injury. Peter Ewin, a stone mason, says he went down with fifteen others and was carried under the Ferry street bridge, but suc-ceeded in getting out below. He was bruised about the face. Purily Case rescued two men named Vellis and Vosburg by means of ropes,

Citizens are sugaged this morning in teen miles. removing the wreckage of Schrieber's mill near the depot, where they think other bodies have been lodged. It is believed that two men who went down on a plank lost their lives at the dam and that their bodies were carried down the scream and are now floating in the Mohowk river.

No one knows how many people were drowned or who are missing. The flood was so great and the current so swift that no help could be rendered without great danger. The State street iron bridge and railroad bridge were both swept away. They were large struct-

Yesterday afternoon during the heav icst part of the storm Main and Bleecker streets in Gloversville were flooded with water. The new pavement in Bleecker street was torn up for several blocks. A the town were entirely surrounded by water. The foundation walls of a new

stone building being constructed on north Main street, Gloversville, were partly carried away. Two iron bridges on the Central and the Fonda, Johnstown and Gloversville railroad at Fonda are gone. The loss will not be very great. The railroad and street bridges in Johnstown were first-class structures. Ferry street bridge consisted of an arch span ning the entire width of the stream. It was upon one of the plank walks that the people were standing when the arch was carried away. Schreiber's large mill is entirely wrecked and will entail a loss of about \$10,000.

There are several small buildings in the village which are partly ruined, their foundations being undermined. Many of the bridges on country roads along the valley are gone and some fields of grain

are partly covered with water. The loss to property at Gloversville will probably be covered by \$3,000.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., July 10.—It is now reported here with some evidence of truth that fifteen persons were drowned at Johnstown. There is no telegraphic communication between this city and Johnstown, and that place cannot be reached except by driving.

The Weather.

Writ of Habeas Corpus Denied.

Pennsylvania 96, Virginia 90, Georgia CHICAGO, July 10 .-- Judge Tuley, in the 94. Texas 86, Tennessee 95, Kentucky Circuit court this morning declined to issue a writ of habeas corpus in the case 88, Ohio 88, Michigan 89, Indiana 89 Illinois 94, Missouri 94, Kansas 98, Calof John F. Beggs, sr , guardian of No. 20, fornia 97. Clan-na Gael, now in jail under indict-ment, charging him with conspiracy to murder Dr. Cronin. The writ was asked The straw is generally short, and i usually well headed and plump in grain, though in some places it is somewhat in order that the prisoner might be shriveled. Fears were entertained of inbrought into court for a hearing on the jury in the shock after harvest, which juestion of his admission of bail. The change of weather may prevent. Re State opposed it in order to avoid turns concerning spring wheat in Dakota are very unfavorable from results of long the nature of the evidence against the accused at the present time. continued drouth. Rains late in June had Floods in the Mohawk Valley.

nproved the situation, but the general average as consolidated is 62. Results UTICA, N. Y., July 10 .- The tracks of are extremely variable, from a good yield the New York Central road are washed down to a bushel per acre. In some sec away at Fonda and Aiken. Great damtions as reported grain is already head age to property was done, not only at ng out with straw six inches high. Av Johnstown, but all down the Mohawk rages of Wisconsin and Nebraska are valley to Amsterdam. All the Central ach 95, Iowa 97, Minnesota 87 and trains are now running over the West the averages of Montana, Idaho and Shore tracks, which were not damaged, Washington are low. The general averalthough at a time last night they were covered with water for a distance of fifage is about 83, which is very low at

his stage of growth. Rye maintains its conditions and sarley declines to about 92.

NEW ORLEANS, July 10 .- Sullivan and Davitt Before the Commissioners, his party could not obtain enough ac-LONDON, July 10 .- Michael Davitt commodations on the steamship Hud-son, so they left this morning by the ppcared before the Parnell Commission | steam can carry them. gain to-day. He complained that some-Texas and St. Louis, the same route

taken by Kilrain. Sullivan showed up this morning considerably worse from heavy drinking since the fight, and his face still bears the marks of Kilrain's blows. Evening

A Ditched Train.

Sullivan at His Old Tricks.

BRANDON, Vt., July 10.-The north bound train for Montreal on the Central Vermont road was ditched in a washout who had recently testified before a mile north of here early this morning. A dozen passengers were injured, but none seriously. The train hands all escaped. The engine and five cars are badly wreck

Fire at Wilmington.

course and make inquiries to prove WILMINGTON, N. C., July 10.-The plan-ng mill and sash and blind factory of allegations. The Justice said that he himself regarded the matter as a silly Parsley & Wiggins were destroyed by fire this morning at 3 o'clock. Two saw mills were saved. Lass from \$1,000 to hoax. Alabama Sheriffs' Convention. \$15,000, partly covered by insurance. The schooner Vrooman, lying at the wharf loaded with lumber was burned; loss about \$30,000.

Hanging in Charlotte.

The Chronicle of the 10th says: Wed diagton, the acgro who murdered officer crime; using all lawful and reasonable every day. The houses here are beauti-Pearce in Monroe will be hanged to means within their reach to accomplish fully decorated with flags and bunting. norrow at 10 o'clock in the jail in Char-lotte. Already a number of tickets have been issued. Several people from Monroe members of the association in the dis-been issued. Several people from Monroe members of the association in the discharge of their duty. have secured ticket

Woman Murderer Hanged.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 10.-John Kelly, convicted of the murder of Eleanor O'Shea, near Geneva, on November 6, 1888, was hanged at Canandaigun at noon to-day. His throat was so badly run into by the southbound train on the cut by the rope that he was drenched with blood.

has been excessively warm here for three WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10.-Indica-tions for North Carolina-Pair; station-ary temperature; southerly winds.

and sixteenth: Ta Tray won; Panan second; Ten Boek third. Time 1.50. Fourth race-six furlongs: Seadrift won; Miracle second; Daksman third. Fime 1.15% orner-Fifth race-six furlongs: Ovid won; pal States are as follows: New York 96,

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Pericles second; Pelham third. Time 1.16%

Baseball Vesterday.

At Washington-Washington 6, Chi-

ago 4. At Philadelphia—Philadelphia 5, In fignapolis 3.

At Cincinnati-Cincinnati 4, Colum At Boston-Boston 5, Cleveland 8,

At New York-New York 14, Pittsburg

At Louisville-Louisville 0, Brooklyn

At Kansas City-Kansas City 2 Baltimore 3. At St. Louis-St. Louis 2, Athletic 4.

THE SHERIFF WAS LATE.

And John L. Gave Him the Slip -Kilrain Said to be Very Sick. NEW ORLEANS, July 10 .- The sheriff of Mariou county, Mississippi, came here this morning for the purpose of arresting Sullivan and Kilrain. He has gone to Baton Rouge to get a requisition from Gov. Nicholls, and will return to New

Orleans this afternoon- Meantime the whipped cream soda is a spanking good pugilists are speeding away as fast as drink.

MONILE, Ala., July 10 .- John L. Sulliody who desired to injure the Irish in van and party left New Orleans on a the eyes of the British public had placed special train this afternoon, and ran Tuesday morning, is reported to be much ories of wounds, hardships and past negtwo bogus dynamite machines within the precincts of the Court, and out of Grand Bay, Mobile county, was reached, better. A drill meeting of Buncombe Division

this alleged attempt at outrage, the where a special car awaited the regular Post of London had made a train from New Orleans and was coupled ensational article which said that this on and came to this city, arriving at 7 incident indicated the danger which o'clock. After a wait of half an the court had incurred, and showed how the train pulled out for the North via Montgomery. easily the desperate enemies of England

WASHINGTON, July 10 .- A rumor be the ommission could blow up the buildings. came current this afternoon here and in Chicago that Kilrain had died on the Davitt, in an excited manner, asserted lege street. is belief that the affair had been planned train coming north between Dallas and by Le Caron and Houston, Presiding Texarkana. A dispatch from Little justice Hannen said he understood why Rock, however, says that Kilrain passed Davitt would have strong feeling in the there at 2.30 p.m. to-day, and that he is matter, but he must take the proper pretty sick.

souls. Asheville is growing. The State Encampment. WILMINGTON, N. C., July 10 .- The

Carolina State Guard opened at Wrights-ville Sound to-day. About twelve hun-MONTGOMERY, July 10.-The sheriffs of the State met here to-day, and organized a State association. The objects and soldiers will be subjected to strict miliafternoon. surposes are to mutually aid and assist tary discipline. The Government has just rived at Wrightsville right side up with each other to enforce the laws; to arrest and bring to trial criminals, and fugitives mortars and two ten inch guns, and the care.' We shall expect to hear a good report from the boys when the encampment

> is over. THE CITIZEN job printing establishment is printing a handsome and unique

entalogue for Rev. S. N. Barker, president Burning of a Wilmington Steamer. of the Asheville Female College, setting

WILMINGTON, N. C., July 10.-The large steamer Queen of St. Johns was burned forth the unsurpassed advantages of that to the water's edge at her wharf just above thecity to-night. She was owned nost superior educational institution. by J. C. Christopher, and was brought CREATES many a new business; here from St. Johns river last summer to ENLARGES many an old business; run as an excursion steamer. She was an **REVIVES** many a dall business; immense boat with a capacity for 1,200 **RESCUES** many a lost business; passengers. The origin of the fire is un-SAVES many a failing business; PRESERVES many a large busines since last season. She is said to have

Light breaks were again the order of property which was to have taken place the day at the warehouses yesterday, Prices were only average. est in the country.

The relief fund decreased \$100, while the number of dependents increased 79 since Friday The trade has become so disoranized that it is doubtful if the opera- the authorities the speedy completion ors can afford to pay 70 cents as at first and closing up of all work now going on. offered. even if the working force has to be dou-

Martin Burke Delivered Up.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 10 .- The argu nent in the proceedings for the extradi tion of Martin Burke, under indictment in Chicago for the murder of Cronin, was oncluded here this afternoon, and Judge throughout the State on the 4th of July. Bain gave an order for his extradition. They were so numerous that we find it in

egister of deeds yesterday.

this evening.

Negro Lynched.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 10.-Near Tunnel Hill this morning Martin Love, colored the same end was reached-the formation of county associations, the aim of attempted a rape on Miss Addie Rogers a white girl. He was caught late in the which is to make provision for the needy lay and lynched by a masked mob. soldier of the late war. We suppose as a matter of course, as it will be a matter RANDOM NOTES

of necessity, that some central executive Roped In by Rambling Reporters body will be formed to put in concen-Roaming Around the City. trated shape the will of the many scat-The hotels showed up large laits of a tered county organizations, otherwise rivals in the city yesterday.

bled.

very little practical good can be effected. No marriage license was issued by the It is suggested that the veterans go into annual encampment, like the State

Young Floyd Justice continues to im Guard. Except as a pleasant social reprove. He is still confined in jail. union, we do not see any good to come

of this. Yet it would be churlish to an-John Carroll says that Carmichael's tagonize it, if the veterans so determine; for their sinking strength and lessening

numbers should be brightened with all the The condition of motor man Smith who had his haad so terribly mangled cheer that should lighten the dark memlect.

A Pleasant Occasion.

No. 1, Uniformed Rank, K. of P., will be The committee of the Sons of Temper held at their Castle hall on Patton avenue ance gave an elegant entertainment Tuesday night at their hall over Carmichael's

The Royal Arch Masons will be in ses- store. The principal features were a poem sion to-night, as will also the United of welcome by the chaplain; an excellent Workmen, at their lodge room on Col- recitation by Miss Edith Ward, and an original sketch entitled, "What the Goose

The new directory of the city of Ashe- Family did for Foxfield Farm." Refresh ville will show a population of between ments, choice and abundant, were also twelve thousand and fifteen thousand served.

Prof. R. H. Graves.

We regret to learn from the News A countyman with two young foxes second annual Encampment of the North and a pair of hawks amused the gamin Observer of yesterday, that the condition element of the city at the corner of south of this gentleman, who was removed to Main street and Patton avenue yesterday the insane asylum immediately after his attempt at suicide, is critical, and that The Asheville Lig'a Infantry have ar- his death is an early probability.

Suspenders.

The Raleigh Call announces the forma tion of a suspender company in Raleigh The Chicago papers recently announced the formation of one in that city with a capital of \$25,000. We wonder if the ob- of Rev. John Boring, closed last night. jects of the two are similar?

Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

There will be a regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. to-night at 8.30 o'clock, in the lecture room of the Presbyterian church. All men invited to attend.

Royal Arch Masons.

Asheville Chapter No. 25, will hold its regular monthly convocation, this Thurs-day evening, July 11th, at 8.30 sharp. Installation of officer. Companions SECURES success in any business To advertise judiciously, use the col-mus of "The Citizen." Everybody reads it; and in proportion to the returns it vields advertisers, its rates are the cheap-By order of the High Priest. S. HAMMERSHLAG, Secretary.

Mrs. E. J. Aston and Mrs. L. M. Pease tainly will not be so patient, neither will left yesterday for Franklin, Macon some citizens. We therefore urge upon county, where they will remain several days.

Messrs, R. M. Furman, Jas. H. Loughran and M. H. Kelly leave for Raleigh on the noon train to-day. They go on private business and will return to Asheville Saturday.

of the old soldiers were almost universal Mr. W. S. Yeates, assistant director of the National Museum of the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, is at the Batvain to report the results of all. In all, tery Park. Mr. Yeates is a son of ex-Congressman Jesse J. Yeates, of the first North Carolina district.

> The Charlotte Chronicle of yesterday :87.68

"Mr. and Mrs. John Vanlandingham accompanied by Miss Laura Orr, left yesterday afternoon for an extended trip West and North. They went directly from here to Statesville where they spend a day as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell; thence the party goes to Ashe ville for a day. After leaving there the trip will be by daylight to Louisville, Cincinnati, St. Louis, New York City, hiladelphia and Washington, thence home. The trip as planned runs nearly three weeks.

Asheville on the Seashore.

We clip the following from the News-Observer. The mountaineers are ahead of the lowlanders in genuine fisherman's luck. Attorney General Davidson had good training on Hazel Creek and the headwaters of Tuckaseegee, but he never made as full a bag in those lively streams as he seems to have done in the old ocean: MORRHEAD CITY, N. C., July 9 .- Attorney General Davidson and friends from Asheville made the largest catch of fish of the season yesterday, taking a hundred and seventy-five in a few hours. The weather is delightful and the crowd is rapidly increasing.

Arranging a Calendar.

A meeting of the members of the Asheville bar was held in the courthouse yestorday afternoon for the purpose of arranging a calendar of the causes to be heard at the August term of the Superior court for Buncombe. The slim attendance of the legal brethren was noticeable, but the calendar was arranged "just the same."

Meetings Closed.

The series of meetings which has been n progress for several days at the Central Methodist church under the conduct The meetings have been very interesting and the congregation has been much ben efited by them.

Rather a Warm Day.

Yesterday the mercury stood at eightysix in the shade, making the day the hottest, by four degrees, of any in this summer so far. But while the sun was hot, a pleasant breeze played, and the heat was not felt in the shade.

Three small cases before his Honor yesterday netted the city about \$9 in the way of fines.

The been partially insured.

No body was hart beyond braises.

Hot Virginia Weather. STAUNTON, Va., July 10.—The weather time and the beakes failed to work. The sale of the Black Mountain hotel

yesterday; has been postponed.

Another Railroad Wreck. CINCINNATI, July 10 .- A special des-patch from Oakdale, Tenn., says, that Cincinnati Southern, wrecking the engines and postal car of the southbound train.

from justice; to suppress lawlessness and troops will be drilled in artillery tactics