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"THE SUGAR trust has no sand," exclaims a disgusted commercial journal Probably not. It has put it in the sugar.

THE GOVERNOR of Louisiana displays ommendable manhood in returning a heck for \$100,000 sent by the Louisiana Lottery company to help pay the late flood damages. The worst cynic must admit that in such acts our politics are seen to be not altogether lost to the sense of clean money.

IN A FEW months from now some thouernment will begin the profitical work of taking the elevench censuls. The questions they will ask of each head of a famgoods that money can buy ily are twenty-nine in number, provided from E. Merck, E. R. Squibb, the questions relating to mortgages are Parke, Davis & Co., Jno. included, of which there seems to be some

THE FUTILE persecution of Mr. Parnell by the London Times has cost that paper dear, in cold cash as well as in reputation lost

The Nottingham Guardian asserts "or free of charge to any part of the city. Our stock of Drugs, Sir Richard Webster gets nearly £13,000, me this night, an angel of God, Whose Sir Richard Webster gets nearly £13,000. Patent Medicines and Drug- When the whole list of expenses is made

> With characteristic impudence the limes is now asking the government to

> At this distance it looks like a mighty ool proceeding to ask a government to tap its treasury to pay a newspaper for an unsuccessful effort to defend its own

A COALING station in North Carolina with coal dug from her own mines, is an event notable in the industrial progress of the State. We learn from the Messen ger that such a station has been established at Wilmington by the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad company. along whose line lie the Egypt coal mines. lieve in good living cannot be in Chatham county; and that the first first quality are not synony- is the beginning of a very large business. mous. I have in stock and because the advantages of location are superior to those of any port on the coast for vessels putting in for coal supplies, whether going North or South. This is the resumption of an enterprise begun before the war, continued during the war for the supply of blockade runners. but since then, until the present moment,

THE DEFEAT of the Blair All removes one very disorganizing topic from the public mind. So long as it was agitated, so long as there was hope of liberal expenditure of public money, there was pur pose to rely upon that agency for the maintenance of education, and natural relaxation of the efforts of the individual States to put forth their best efforts in their own behalf. And this was one or the strongest reasons why the bill deerved opposition; for it is human nature to receive that which relieves it of effort as justification for indolent dependence upon the sources of gratuitous bounty R. Q. Taylor's celebrated There was much in the Blair bill to win or satisfy; much to disarm hostility. much to corciliate, and much to confor style and quality. Spring vince. But behind and beneath it all there was so much to alarm the spirit of independence, so much to generate de of State sovereignty, without which free national existence is impossible, that the change in public sentiment is not surprising. The time has been when the bill was not only popular, but eagerly advocated. The people called for it, legislatures instructed for its passage. But it has grown steadily weaker the more it has been discussed, a proof of the wisdom RUGS, DRUGGETS AND ART SQUARES of deliberation in the adoption of great measures instead of hurrying them a specialty also. Sheetings through on the first heated impulses of (all widths), Towels, Nap-kins, Table Linens, Curtains, republican party. With it the Blair bill was the great panacea for all the evils that afflicted the South. It was the great party measure, and a very insidious one; for it won to its support a large democratic following, either through generous consideration for the aid it gave to education, or as one of the contemporaries admits in his complaints at the failure of the bill on its final passage, for the money it was to bring in its train. But the republican senate faltered toward the last: and if there is any odium attached to any party. it must fall upon the majority of the senate, who decreed the death of that which for eight years had the pillar of light for the republican party. We, however, have no words of censure, for that majority did exactly what we wished.

Knowing that some of our most valsed contemporaries were deeply committed to the bill and greatly deplore its defeat, we must confess our admiration as the good humored philosophy with which the result is accepted. We quote as an example the following comment of the News-Observer. It is disappointment,

but it is not crimination: We suppose that the Blair bill has de-parted this life. It was not near so strong at the South this year as on pre-vious occasions. The change of senti-ment is doubtless due to the feeling, that however much aid to education is needed, the drift towards teleral interference. the drift towards federal interference with the States has developed so strongly that it would be unwise to pass this measure. We regret very much that we are not to have this aid to our public schools. It would have been of great use to the people of North Carolina.

The hearing of the case of O. F. Hageman vs. the Doran, Wright Company has been postponed until to-morrow inorning. AN ELOQUENT SERMON.

REVIEW OF DR. W. A. NEL. SONS TALK VESTERDAY.

Some Sound, Sensible Advice to Christians—Four Ways to Work
—Witnessing, Sowing, Fishing and Preaching.

Rev. W. A. Nelson preached for the first time since his return from Florida yesterday morning at the First Baptist church. The church was crowded almost to overflowing, and the aisle occupied by chairs sands of agents of the Un red States gov- which were filled. The sermon was an excellent one. After coding the lesson describing the storm which raged as Paul and the other prisoners were being carried to Rome, Dr. Nelson announced for his text: "Whose I am, and Whom I serve," which is to be found in Acts 27:23.

This exclamation was made by Paul, when, the night being dark and all hope and gone, the soldiers and sailors were saying, "What shall we do?" Paul then appeared on deck and said: "And now ! exhort you to be of good cheer, for there good authority" that the Times' counsel shall be no loss of any man's life among am and Whom I serve, saving fear not up it is found that the Times is out of Paul, thoumust be brought before Caesar pocket not much less than half a million and, lo, God bath given thee all them that sail with thee."

This shows the wonderful works o God. Paul had for sometime been wish pay the whole or a part of these expen- ing to go to Rome in order that he might preach, but had no opportunity, and God made this the means of gratifying his wish. The essence of a Christian life is contained in the words "Whose I am," and salvation and service are contained in "Whom I serve." The first thing to be done is to deliver yourself from sin. and the next is to deliver your fellowman. Salvation is the power of God to them that believe.

A man cannot save himself, neither can his fellowman, nor angels. God alone can do it, by His Divine power. We must put down our own contrary will, and do His. If the sailors had hearkened to Paul they would not have been in such a tight place. There was no need of it had they obeyed. Service is implied by "Whom I serve." Happiness and joy come only from service. You must be useful. You are the servants of him you obey. If you are free from sin, you are servants of righteousness. It you serve the Lord you are his, or if you prefer to serve satan,

We can only be Christiaus as much as we are Christ-like, and no more. It you are His you will live to serve Him, but no date was 1855. man can serve two masters. If you are bent on making money at all hazards, stop. You are serving mammon, and you cannot serve God and mammon.

Every Christian is a workman. God calls Christians to render service in saving souls, and the unconverted man not to work, but to repent. No man can work with effect in this line unless he is a

There are four ways of working which are needed.

nouse when evidence is being taken. No hearsay evidence is allowed, you must tell what you know, and not what you tell what you know, and not what you have beard. The second way is by fishing for men.

to this are like people who go fishing with a book and line, and go and sit on top of a hill and wait for the fish to come. They build a fine church and then wait for people to come to it. The third way is by sowing. The word

of God is the seed, and the Christian is the sower. For rightly propagating the seed, everybody must say to the sin-

The fourth and last way is by preachng. It is not necessary to stand in the pulpit to preach. Kindness to the afflicted and to those who are troubled by the weather and that the farmers will at once begin burning over the old beds. this line and should be cultivated.

THE GOVERNMENT BUILDING. Another Letter Very Encourage ing in its Tone.

Superintendent Wagner received the ollowing letter this morning. It exmilding in Asheville:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Office of the Supervising Architect,
Washington, March 19, 1890.
Hon, H. G. Ewart, House of Representa-

tives. Sir:-I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th in-stant in relation to the drawings and specification for the erection and completion of the proposed United States court house and postoffice building at Asbeville, N. C.

Asheville, N. C.
In reply I have to advise you that advertisements, inviting bids for the work
will be issued from this office to the local and other papers the 22nd instant.
Respectfully yours,
Jas. H. Winden.

Supervising Architect.

The Mayor's Court.

Business in the Mayor's court was unusually brisk this morning. The first case called was that of Fannie Harden and Emma Anthony, who were charged with fighting. Fannie wore a piece of court plaster two inches square over her face, and the Anthony woman was unscarred. Both were fined \$5. Henderson Thompson was before the

our charged with being a principal in a scale

Grading on the Western North Carolina road is within six miles of Murphy. The Hessian fly is getting in its good and perfect work in some section of the

The survey of the railway from Con-cord to Mt. Pleasant has been com-

A number of converts have left Greens boro to join the Mormon colony at Ma-nasseh, Colorado.

Capt. W. H. Ballard, of Franklinton, a brave Confederate soldier, is dead. He was fifty years old. The Vance guards, of Henderson, have recently had an addition of ten soldierly

Webster thinks it had an earthquake on Tuesday night. Several brick chim-neys were knocked over.

ooking new recruits.

Four Durham boys, who left for South America, have been heard from. They have arrived safe and sound. any part of the city. The night bell will

A. L. Gregory & Co., general mer-chants of New Berne, have assigned. Liabilities \$8,000; assets unknown.

bilities, \$3,000; assets not known. Walter Yates was on trial at Wilming ton for the killing of W. F. Brown on January 10 and was found not guilty.

pany, draws a salary of \$50,000 a year. The Governor's guard, of Raleigh, would like to hold a competitive drill with any military organization in the

B. M. Upchurch, a baggage master on the Oxford and Durham railroad, was run over at Wilson's Springs and in-stantly killed.

The Tate Brothers and W. P. Bynum ir., have incorporated the Greensboro Land and Security Company. The capi-tal is \$250,000.

It is possible that baseball will come into favor again in this State this year Greensboro takes the lead, and an asso

The movement for the building of the

matter has made some stir and may ce into the courts. You expect the preacher to do all the The work on the Methodist church at fishing. Most people who do attempt to Southport is progressing very satisfactorily. The steeple is completed, the bell

> finished appearance. W. E. Christian, until recently the able

the old Baptist church at Henderson took fire from lightning and the fire was put out after considerable damage was done to the floor and windows. The Germantown correspondent of the

At the further hearing on Friday at Greensboro in the case of Kirkpatrick and other revenue officers charged with killing McManan, Judge Dick bound all the defendants over to the next term

following letter this morning. It ex-plains itself, and may be construed as flattering to the prospects of the public man carried the drummer up to the State museum and showed him samples of whet stones from twenty-five counties i North Carolina—all better than his.

> next week. The editor of the Wilmington Messen

Rev. Israel Hollar, of Wilkes county, who was given much prominence because it was said he was a hardshell haptist who was preaching that the world would surely come to an end this spring, says he is not a hardshell, and that he has preached no such doctrine.

Two gentlemen from Tennessee, expe I two gentlemen from temessee, experienced in the business, were in Raleigh last week with a view to establishing a a furniture factory. They were much pleased with the prospect and offered to put \$11,000 into a \$20,000 plant, which they say is quite sufficient to enter upon the business on a large scale.

NORTH CAROLINA NOTES.

Winston claims to have a regular wild

Pittsboro has a Building and Loan

The State penitentiary is entertaining 1,400 prisoners. Governor Holden's condition is re-ported as unchanged.

Arrington's mills, near Goldsboro, have een burned to the ground.

Raleigh is to have a red hot republi-can paper. It will begin business on June 1.

Colonel John C. Tipton, editor of the Greensboro Patriot, and Miss Josie Burke were married at Salisbury. be answered promptly. Grant's Phar-

Jas. D. Austin, dealer in general mer handise in Polkton, has assigned; lia

J. B. Duke, who was recently elected resident of the American Tobacco com

Mrs. F. A. Archibald, an estimable lady of Concord, has lost her reason through grief over the death of two of her children.

Henry Blount, the poetic editor of the Wilson Mirror, will deliver the address at the commencement of the Lumber Bridge high school.

ciation has been formed there. The first is witnessing. And you must solid basis and the factory will doubt-It is alleged that a census taker was

> managing editor of the Charlotte Demo-crat, has disposed of his interest to his partner and will accept a position on the Philadelphia Press. During the thunder storm last night

of the federal court. Some days ago a drummer tried to sel

The Crown cotton mills, with \$100. 000 capital, incorporated at Greens boro, are nearly completed. Their equip ment, which is being put in position, is of the best type. The machinery for the Raleigh cotton mill will begin to arrive

ger has received from Senator Vance a private letter one sentence from which he prints as follows: "You must know that the prospect here for the South has not been more gloomy since the days of reconstruction than at this moment."

fight at the quarry. He pleaded not guilty, took the stand for himself, and convicted himself. He was fined \$3 and costs.

Simon Nesbitt, a plain drunk, euriched the treasury by \$3.

Hou. J. H. Merrimon is in the city.

The revenue officers are very active in Cleveland county, where they have made several captures. They have also made things lively in Rutheriord county, where in two days they have captured three in two days they have captured three city. California, but was seized by the revenue officials on the train.

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